JANUARY THIRTY-FIRST.

1752—Gouverneur Morris, statesman in the American Revolution born; died 1816.

# THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.

Cloudy tonight; Tuesday, fair; light variable winds, becoming west. Maximum, 40; minimum, 34.

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## MORALITY AND BUSINESS

### People Suffer Because Some Trusts Break Golden Rule Says Pastor.

REV. MR. HERRING'S SERMON.

Too Many Big Corporations and Individuals Governed by False Principle that "Business Is Business."

Rev. Dr. Chales E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, last night preached a special sermon on "The Golden Rule" and its application to present day business methods. He said in part:

"All things, therefore, whatsoever ye would that men should do unto you, do ye even so unto them, for this is the law of the prophets.' The 'Law and the Prophets' is but another way of saying the Old Testament. The Golden Rule, then, is the message of the whole Bible.

"These words have been parodied into the phrase, 'Do others as they would do you if they had the chance, only do them first.' I fear that this is more than a parody. It is nearer the actual states of affairs in our business life.

"Instead of acting up to the measure of the Golden Rule, many men are governed by the principle that "business is business." They justify the use of this statement by saying, that business cannot be run on sentiment. It is true that a man cannot conduct his business as a sort of benevolent institution, but he should run it righteously, so righteously, that his Lord will approve it. The life insurance companies that were found to have betrayed their trust, probably acted on the principle that 'business is business.' The same might be said of the Sugar Trust. It is good business to buy low and sell high, but that is just what the men have done who have stored away the necessaries of life until the demand for these necessaries greatly increased the price. If the Bible code of morals is correct, then this sort of business does not pass muster with God.

"The Golden Rule is but another way of saying, 'Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.' If you will look in the Old Testament, Lev. 19: 18, you will find that this is the message of God to the Jews in their business life, and it is no less a message to us, for Christ reaffirmed it. He declared that this thought with the thought of loving God with all the heart is the sum of all Old Testament teaching. Imagine this motto on the walls of the Stock Exchange and on the walls of every business house, 'Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself.' Does it sound too ideal for business? Israel was not to hold it as an ideal to be realized in the future; they were expected to put it into immediate practice and when they failed so to do, the prophets uttered the judgments of God upon them. God's law for business men has not changed one particle.

"The Golden Rule means that a man should act in business on the principle of right, no matter what it costs. Thou shalt love thy neighbor as if positions were reversed and you were in his place. How would you want him to act?

"Because certain great trusts do not live according to the divine standard of the Golden Rule, the people suffer. Let us make the matter more personal. Perhaps because we as Christian people do not follow it, we cause others to suffer."

**Asked to Pray Daily.**

Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, at the services yesterday, requested the members of the congregation to unite in a concert of prayer daily between the hours of 6 and 7 p. m. for the work of the church, not forgetting the missionary, Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison, who has just gone to Arabia. A notice of this will be published in the weekly calendar each week.

**Gesang's Carnival Night.**

The committee in charge of the Carnival to be given by the Gesang and Turn Verein on Sunday night, February 13, has issued invitations for the affair. The committee has engaged Martin Denni, a comedian, of New York, to furnish the entertainment. Music will be furnished by Parnbek's orchestra.

**Alumni Association to Meet.**

The annual meeting of the alumni association of the Plainfield High School will be held at the High School, February 21. An attractive program has been prepared for the occasion.

**Co. K's Annual Inspection.**

The annual inspection of Co. K will be held on February 21, under the direction of a regular army officer. The boys are putting in lots of hard work in preparation for the event.

## PLAINFIELDER LANDS A CONSUL GENERALSHIP

Arthur DeBrigard, of Grant avenue, today assumed the office of consul general to the United States at New York from the Republic of Colombia, South America. He was officially informed of his appointment by President Gonzales Valencia on Friday by cable.

Mr. DeBrigard served in the same position for six years, or until four years ago, when a change in the administration of Colombia took place. Nearly all his life he has been interested in the political affairs of his country, where he held several official positions.

The re-appointment of Mr. De Brigard is in a large measure due to a petition of leading merchants and importers of New York, who petitioned President Valencia to make the selection.

## SPECIAL MUSIC FOR GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

The Ministers' Association of Plainfield is arranging a special musical service for the evening of Good Friday to be held in the Crescent avenue church. An invitation is extended to all the singers of the city, whether engaged in choir work or not, to form a chorus for this service. The work to be given is "The Passion," by Haydn. It is hoped by those in charge to have a chorus of at least 100 voices. R. A. Laslett Smith, organist of the Crescent avenue church, will conduct the work and Howard M. Case, of the First Baptist church, will preside at the organ.

Those desiring to sing in this chorus should send name and address at once, stating the part they sing, to Dr. W. H. Murray, 737 Watchung avenue, or H. M. Case, 52 Craig place. The first rehearsal will be held in the Crescent avenue church Monday, February 7, at 8 o'clock.

## JEFFERY PROVES CASE FOR WOMAN PLAINTIFF

William Jeffery, figured as the principal witness in an unusual case in the Fifth Municipal District Court in New York on Friday. About seven years ago Jeffery, through Joseph Essig, of New York, borrowed $500 from Mary Cambeis, also of New York. Jeffery gave a note for the amount and when it matured, Essig came out to this city, and secured the payment from Jeffery.

According to the testimony in the case Essig paid $300 to Mrs. Cambeis, telling her that Jeffery had gone to Europe, and would pay the remaining $200 on his return. Mrs. Cambeis never heard anything from Jeffery, but while reading a newspaper one day, she noticed his name in a story sent out from this city.

She corresponded with Mr. Jeffery and he informed her that he was the man who borrowed the $500, explaining at the time, that he had repaid the money to Essig. Mrs. Cambeis, on becoming acquainted with the true facts in the case, instituted suit against Essig for the recovery of the $200.

Essig put up the claim that the debt was outlawed, but the court ordered that he pay the money to Mrs. Cambeis or go to jail. Mr. Jeffery, as the main witness, was present at the proceedings and offered in evidence the receipted note.

**Entertainment at Heavenly Rest.**

The Young People's Society of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, recently organized, will give its first dramatic entertainment in the parish house tomorrow night. The program, which includes three sketches, vocal and instrumental music, will conclude with dancing. The affair gives promise of being an excellent one.

**Annual Meeting P. C. C.**

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Country Club will be held at the Hartridge School auditorium tomorrow night, when reports for the past year will be presented and members of the board of governors will be elected from which the officers will be chosen.

**Mid-Year Examinations.**

The mid-winter examinations began at the Plainfield High School this morning and will continue throughout the week. All the English classes had their examinations today and during the rest of the week the others will be held.

Mrs. S. W. Mulligan, of Orchard place, has entirely recovered from injuries received in a fall seveal weeks ago.

## IN DR. RICHARDS' MEMORY

### Union Service as a Tribute to the Late Pastor of Brick Church.

LARGE CONGREGATION THERE.

Three Congregations Unite and the Service is Also Attended By Many Plainfielders.

A union service in memory of the late Rev. Dr. William Rogers Richards was held in the Brick Presbyterian church, Thirty-sixth street and Fifth avenue, New York, last night by the Brick Presbyterian church, Christ church and the Church of the Covenant affiliated. The service was attended by many members of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church of this city, of which Dr. Richards was pastor for eighteen years prior to his call to New York.

The Rev. Dr. Richards, who was for seven years pastor of the Brick Presbyterian church, died suddenly on Jan. 7, at the age of fifty-six years. The church was draped in black and strung with evergreens.

Addresses were made by Dr. Francis of the Union Theological Seminary, the Rev. Dr. George Alexander, Moderator of the Presbytery of New York, and the Rev. Dr. Henry A. Stimson of the Manhattan Congregational church. The Rev. Edward B. Coe of the Collegiate Reformed church offered prayer, and the Rev. Dr. Henry Van Dyke, one of the former ministers of the Brick church, presided. There were about 1,000 in the congregation.

## MR. BERGEN DECLINES $300 MONTH OFFERED

Attorney Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth, general counsel of the Public Service Corporation, who was appointed by Governor Fort as a member of the commission to codify the New Jersey statutes, has announced that it will be impossible for him to accept the position. Mr. Bergen explains that the pressure of other business will not allow him to give the commission work the attention it deserves and he also suggests that his position as a corporation lawyer would make it difficult for him to act on a commission intended to take up such revisions as are contemplated. The appointment with its monthly salary of $300 is still in the air as a result of Mr. Bergen's withdrawal.

Mr. Bergen was selected by the Governor to succeed Alan H. Strong, of New Brunswick, who resigned. George L. Record was also named to fill the vacancy left by the late George T. Werts. The third member of the commission is County Counsel Joseph L. Munn, of Newark.

The commission was appointed several years ago, but has made no report to the Legislature. Last year a big batch of bills, prepared by the commission and each revising various statutes were introduced by former Assemblyman Young, of Essex, but were withdrawn when former Assemblyman William P. Martin criticised several of the proposed acts. It was suggested by Mr. Martin that no action be taken on the bills until they had been fully and carefully gone over. As they were introduced during the closing hours of the session there was no time for this and Mr. Young withdrew them.

**Party for Miss Dow.**

A party was given in honor of Miss Nellie Dow, of Somerset street, Saturday night. It was arranged by Mrs. Sparks, of Watchung avenue. There were guests from Newark, Trenton and Philadelphia. Selections were rendered by the Echo Quartet, comprising W. Sparks, Peter McDonough, Arthur Dow and W. Sothers. Frank Shephard rendered piano selections. Dancing and games were the feature of the evening. About fifty guests were present. Music was furnished by Suhr's orchestra.

**Young Germans to Dance.**

The turning section of the Gesang and Turn Verein will give its annual dance and supper on Wednesday night. The affair will be under the direction of Fred Becker, instructor of the classes.

**Present Your Bills.**

All bills against the city must be in the hands of the city clerk by tomorrow night to insure payment at the February meeting of the Common Council.

—A choice assortment of dried fruits, including fancy prunes, apricots, evaporated peaches and pitted plums, are constantly on sale at Neuman Brothers' grocery.

## FIRST BRONZE STATUE CAST IN THIS CITY

The first bronze statue ever cast in this city is now on exhibition at the Hinman Bronze Works, 710 East Seventh street. It is an imposing work of art and was made for the L. L. Manning Marble Works to be used on a monument for the late P. V. Clark, of Newark.

In addition to this interesting casting there is also on exhibition a varety of beautiful castings, chief among which is a massive ornamental solid door for the Leeds Mausoleum at Woodlanw cemetery, New York. The statue weighs 1,300 pounds and the door more than half a ton. The public is welcome to inspect the products of the Hinman concern.

## PLAINFIELDERS DRAWN FOR PETIT JURY DUTY

Well-known men were selected in the Union county court today for service on the petit jury, beginning next Monday. Among the Plainfielders chosen are Howard A. Colby, brother of former State Senator Everett Colby, who resides on Evergreen avenue; George H. Chapman, of West Seventh street; Lewis G Timpson, of Hillside avenue, while Lewis DeW. Wiltse, the well-known baseball pitcher, was also chosen for duty.

Other Plainfielders selected today are Andrew G. Carpenter, Arthur Embury Smith, Charles Arnold, Frank Cullen and William Startup. Mr. Wiltse, although he has been making his home here, has not been in the city for sometime and it is doubtful whether he can be secured for jury duty.

## FUNERAL SERVICES OF MRS. JOSEPH R. HALL

The funeral services of Mrs. Joseph R. Hall were held yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the late home on Central avenue, and were largely attended. Rev. George A. Warner, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, officiated. There were a great many beautiful floral tributes. The burial was in Hillside cemetery and the bearers were Mrs. Hall's two sons, Henry and Bradley Hall; her son-in-law, Charles Western, his brother, William Western, and her brother, Albert Brown.

Mrs. Hall formerly lived in Brooklyn, from which place she removed to North Plainfield. Later she removed to Cranford and again removed to this city last April. Her death was due to apoplexy and was sudden. Besides a husband she is survived by five children—Bradley and Henry Hall, Mrs. Ida Western and Mrs. Charles Western, of this city, and Mrs. A. M. Burleu, of Cranford.

**GIRLS HOLD DANCE AT THE PARISH HOUSE.**

Under the auspices of the Girls' Basketball Club, of the Church of the Holy Cross, a dance was given at the parish house, Saturday night, and was very successful. Twenty couples were present and enjoyed the dancing, which continued until 11:30. Miss Grace Whitou was the pianist.

The program included waltzes, two steps, the Paul Jones, barn dance and a cotillion led by Miss Annie Johnson and Alden E. Moore. The interior of the parish house was attractively decorated with club pennants and banners. Refreshments were served during an intermission about 10 o'clock.

Miss Susan Bennett was chairman of the committee in charge and she was assisted by the Misses Laura Bristol, Ida Hummel, Emma Van-Alstyne, Marguerite Shotwell and Edith L. Roberts, who also comprise the basketball team. The patronesses were Mrs. George A. Warner, Miss Iola Moore, Miss Miriam Carmen and Miss E. L. Roberts.

**Y. W. C. A. Athletic Exhibition.**

The athletic exhibition of the class of the Young Women's Christian Association will be given tonight in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium and a basketball game will be played between the Y. W. C. A. and the N. P. H. S. girls team. The reserved seats for ticket holders will be kept until 8:05 after which those which are left will be sold at the door. The class in the educational department will open tomorrow night.

**Will Hold a "Dutch Market."**

A "Dutch Market" will be held at Grace M. E. church tomorrow night, supper being served, beginning at 6 o'clock. The young women of the church will be in charge of the affair.

## ASSAULTED EMPLOYEES?

### Samuel W. Rushmore, Manufacturer, to Face Charges of 5 Former Workmen.

THREW 'EM DOWN STAIRS.

So Say the Men Who Entered Complaints Before Judge Runyon In the City Court Today.

Five complaints were sworn to before City Judge William Runyon this morning against Samuel W. Rushmore, of the Rushmore Dynamo Works for assault and threats to kill. The complainants were Mike Topack, Amos Woodruff, Patrick Breen, Charles H. Wilson and Joseph McCue, all of whom are residents of this city and North Plainfield.

Edward McCue acted as spokesman for the party and told a tale of abuse which amounts to the wording of the complaint. McCue alleged that the five men went to Mr. Rushmore for the pay that was due them Saturday night, and insteading of getting what they went for they were violently thrown out of the office and down the stairs and in the melee hats were broken and feelings much fractured.

In explaining the causes leading up to the alleged assault Mr. McCue said that the men had resigned their positions with the company on Saturday, January 22, and on that same night, three minutes before quitting time he (McCue) had been discharged without any apparent reason. He said the men went in an orderly manner and asked for the pay which was due them, but were told it was not ready and to get out of the office and get out quick. Not moving with the alacrity which would have seem advisable under the circumstances or quickly enough to suit Mr. Rushmore, it is reported that the latter aided their exit in a whirlwind manner.

The case will come up before Judge Runyon tomorrow morning.

## GUARDSMAN'S TRIAL FOR MURDER MONDAY

Walter Jacobson, a National guardsman, who shot his wife the day before Christmas, will be placed on trial next Monday in the Union County Court. The trialwas set for today, but was postponed for one week. The charge is murder. The National Guard is taking an active interest in the case, and Co. C, of Elizabeth, is supplying the funds for his defense.

Jacobson has decided to go on trial instead of asking permission to enter a plea of guilty to the charge of manslaughter. Samuel Schleimer has been retained as his counsel. Supreme Court Justice James J. Bergen will hear the case. It is said that Jacobson shot his wife by accident, it being the termination of a friendly tussel the pair had at their home.

**CALLAHAN FACES SENTENCE OF $100 AND SIXTY DAYS.**

John Callahan, who has frequently been before City Judge Runyon on the charge of drunkenness, was up again this morning on the same charge. He explained to the Judge that he had been to a ball Friday night and had been afraid to go home, so he took a couple of drinks to brace him up for the day—this was too much and he went down and out.

He woke up in a cell at police headquarters Saturday afternoon. This morning Judge Runyon suspended a sentence of $100 and sixty days in the county jail on Callahan's promise to reform.

The Judge, in pronouncing this sentence said he had given Callahan every chance to make good his former promises and had now reached the limit of his patience.

**Surprised John Gjettleson.**

A surprise party was tendered to John Gjettleson, of 404 East Fourth street, Saturday night, in honor of the fifty-fifth anniversary of his birthday. The affair was arranged by Mrs. John Johnson, of South avenue, and was largely attended by members of the church with which Mr. Gjettleson is identified. Games and refreshments were enjoyed during the evening and Mr. Gjettleson reecived a number of gifts

**Press Advs. Never Fail.**

The Daily Press is constantly winning new laurels as an advertising medium. Miss Minnie G. Morse, of Franklin place, lost her watch one day last week, and advertised the same in The Daily Press. The watch was found by William Nellis, of 302 East Seventh street, a reader of The Press, and returned to the owner.

## CHARLES H. FICKE DIES IN SIXTY-THIRD YEAR

Charles H. Ficke, for thirty years a resident of North Plainfield during wich time he had made a name for himself as an upholsterer and a business man of integrity, died at his home, 18 Duer street, on Saturday night of Bright's disease. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at his late the home, the services being conducted by Rev. John Duerschner, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran church.

Mr. Ficke is survived by his wife and three daughters, Mrs. S. H. Schleif, Mrs. George Zepp and Mrs. A. W. Pangborn. He will be missed by a large circle of friends who loved him for his kindly and genial disposition. Mr. Ficke was born in Bremen, Germany, sixty-two years ago last December and was therefore in his sixty-third year.

## SNATCHED POCKETBOOK FROM A YOUNG WOMAN

Two youths on upper Somerset street, early Saturday night, snatched a pocketbook from Miss Reed, the eighteen-year-old daughter of Aaron Reed, of 10 Fritz place, as the young woman was returning home from town on a shopping trip, in company with her fifteen-year-old brother.

Miss Reed and her brother were walking and passed two boys apparently about sixteen or seventeen years old. As she was going ahead one of the boys snatched the handbag and with his pal dashed down Somerset street, and disappeared at Coddington avenue.

The young woman screamed for help but before assistance came the young highwaymen were off with their booty which consisted of about two dollars in change. Late in the evening Chief Weiss arrested two boys on suspicion. After searching them at the police station he decided they were not guilty and released them.

## "IT'S A GREAT SHOW"—MANAGER SANDERSON

Manager Sanderson, of the Plainfield theatre, is much elated over securing George M. Cohan's "The Yankee Prince," with the original cast of seventy-five and with Tom Lewis as the chief fun maker. The production will be seen here on Wednesday night and Mr. Sanderson says that he will bank his thirty years reputation as a theatre manager on his prediction that the local public will enjoy it as well as any musical comedy ever seen here.

To Tom Lewis have fallen the two best parts George M. Cohan has ever written. Local playgoers will never forget "The Unknown" in "Little Johnny Jones" as played by Lewis, who in "The Yankee Prince" has a role equally diverting and original as Steve Daly, the Chicago sporting man in London. Lewis is even funnier in the new Cohan piece in which, by the way, he is featured than in "Little Johnny Jones" when he was fresh from vaudeville. George M. Cohan never wrote a better show than "The Yankee Prince," which will be presented here by a company of 75 people.

The cast supporting Lewis is a strong one including Lelia Rhodes, Mildred Elaine, B. P. Williams, Sherman Wade, Charles King, John Raffadel, Lola Hoffman, Frank Hollins, J. Jiquel Lance and Robert Emmett Lennon. The production is a gorgeous one.

**Park Matter to Come Up.**

A special meeting of the borough Council has been called for tonight, at which time Mayor N. B. Smalley will offer to the Council and members of the park commission some timely suggestions on the subject. The park commission, which is composed of George T. Rogers, Robert Clark, Jr., and H. A. Bonn.

**Went to Sleep on Sidewalk.**

Sheridan Jones, colored, on Saturday night imbibed too much liquor in the borough. On his way home he became sleepy in front of the borough bank and decide dto take a nap. Jones completed his slumbers in the borough lockup. He will be given a hearing in court tomorrow morning.

**O'Brien Made a Lot of Trouble.**

John O'Brien, after being arrested for drunkenness by Marshal Culver in the borough on Saturday night, made a stout resistance as he was being taken to his cell. O'Brien became so obstreperous that it required the united efforts of three officers to put him in the cage.

## FACES BIGAMY CHARGE

### Mrs. Clarence Bunnell Causes Husband's Arrest on Serious Charge.

HE STICKS TO WIFE NO. TWO.

Printer Maintained Two Homes in Same Block in New York—To Be Tried at Somerville.

"I love my wife, but I love this other woman more," said Clarence Bunnell, a printer, of 108 Fulton street, New York, when his wife and two sons and a mutual friend confronted him and the woman with whom he claims to have been married in North Plainfield August 1 last.

Bunnell came here on the date mentioned and was married by Justice Clark, and it is alleged that he represented himself as a single man. County Detective Tosten went to Trenton today to obtain a requisition from Governor Fort on Governor Hughes, of New York, for the extradition of Bunnell and he will be arraigned in the Somerset County Court at Somerville.

Although Bunnell is accused of having committed the crime on August 1, 1909, his relations with the other woman were not discovered until December 31, and then quite accidentally. Mrs. Bunnell No. 1, feeling lonesome went to her husband's office and finding him alone sat chatting with him for a while, planning for the good time they would have together on New Years' Day. When he had paid off his help he started home with his wife and on arriving within a block of their home Mrs. Bunnell thought something which she wanted from the drug store.

He agreed to wait for her in an adjacent barber shop as he needed a shave so she went to the corner and he went—not to the barber shop, but to an apartment over a fruit store next door. When Mrs. Bunnell could not find him at the barber's she went into the fruit store thinking her husband might have gone there to purchase some fruit for the morrow. The fruiterer asked her to describe her husband and he immediately said that a man answering that description lived upstairs.

Mrs. Bunnell ascended to the second floor and after her knock was confronted by a woman who asked: "What do you want here?" Mrs. Bunnell replied "my husband," of whom she had caught a glimpse through the half open door. Then and there ensued claim and counterclaim for the over-married man, and the opening remark of this story was proved to the dismay of the rightful wife.

On returning to her home, which she did immediately, Mrs. Bunnell acquainted her two sons with the facts of their father's deflection from his martial duties and the three with a friend of the family repaired to the home of the second wife and there Mrs. Bunnell offered to forgive her husband if he would return to her after making a settlement of a lump sum of money on the other woman. This Bunnell refused to do do.

Mrs. Bunnell then took the matter up with the prosecutor of Hudson county, thinking it was in that county the marriage had been uerformed. Asst. Prosecutor McCarthy, of Hudson county advised her to consult Chief Kiely with the result that upon his advice Mrs. Bunnell swore out a warrant which was issued by Recorder Charles M. Dolliver, and Bunnell was arrested in New York Saturday.

The woman with whom Bunnell has become infatuated is Madeline Lech, of North Plainfield township.

**Anti-Spitting Crusade.**

Mayor Fisk with the aid of the police is going to enforce the spitting ordinance, and it behooves those who thoughtlessly expectorate on the sidewalks of the city to have a care. The fine for an infraction of the ordinance ranges from two to ten dollars for each offense. Cards are being circulated calling the attention to the law as a caution against the habit.

**Mrs. Netta Weaver.**

Mrs. Netta Weaver, of 323 Cottage place, died last night in her seventy-fifth year from pulmonary troubles. She was a member of St. Thomas' colored mission of Jerseyland Heights. She leaves one daughter and three sisters. Notice of the funeral will be given later.

**Turkey Supper at Trinity.**

The annual turkey supper under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, will be held Thursday and Friday nights at 6 o'clock. There will be lots of good things to eat and all who attend are assured of a good time.

# A. E. Force & Co

"THE WHITE STORE"

THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.

WE GIVE "S&H" GREEN TRADING STAMPS

Premium Parlor on 3rd Floor.

# AFTER INVENTORY SALE

On taking inventory we find in looking through the various departments, many lots that must be disposed of at once. This will be a clean-up from all departments as no goods will be carried over, so that all stocks will be entirely new and fresh for Spring.

## DRESS GOODS
## At Less Than Half Price

These Dress Goods, all lengths will be placed on "Centre Aisle" bargain tables, with lengths and price plainly marked. The lot consists of Broad Cloth, Serge, Cashmere, Cheviot, Panama, Voile, Checks, Plaids, Stripes and Fancy Materials.

## Silks at Less Than Half Price

The Silks, short and long lengths, will also be placed on Aisle Tables, and consist of plain and fancy Silks of all descriptions, from a waist length to a dress length. This sale should attract every lady in the city who appreciates a bargain.

## Wash and White Goods at Less Than Half Price

We have brought together an accumulation of short lengths from these departments which must be disposed of at once, in order that we may have room for the Spring stocks, which will begin to arrive in a short time.

**Bargains Await Everybody This Week**

## The Half Price Sale of
## Coat & Suit Samples
### Continues

This is an opportunity of rare importance. It means that you can buy a Suit or Coat at just half what it would ordinarily cost. The lot we purchased are manufacturers samples, and of course, they are always better made than the regular line, no two styles alike.

These Coats are mostly black, all sizes—satin lined—perfectly tailored—and are positive values up to 20.00

## Sale Price $9.98

All our Suits have been divided into 4 lots—and you can buy your choice at half regular value while they last.

**20.00 Suits for 10.00 | 30.00 Suits for 15.00**
**25.00 Suits for 12.50 | 35.00 Suits for 17.50**

The balance of our Furs will be closed at less than manufacturer's first cost, buy now and save money.



STORE CLOSES DAILY 5:30 P. M.; SATURDAYS 10 P. M.

# L. S. Plaut & Co

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## John S. Brown & Sons Co.
## Table Cloths & Napkins in a Half Price Sale

An extraordinary offering. Who ever heard of the world's finest and best linens being sold at ½ price? Yet here is an actual ½ price sale. John S. Brown & Sons take inventory the first of the year. In doing so this year they found themselves with a tremendous stock of linens that in many instances could not be matched in all sizes, and with complete lines and assortments due on arriving steamers concluded to dispose of their entire stock on hand of numbers that could not be matched in all sizes. In consequence, we, being their sole agents in Newark, the lot was offered to us at an enormous reduction which enables us to announce this half price sale.

**These are not warehouse nor stock samples, but absolutely brand new, fresh lines that have never been out of their original papers. All perfectly clean and beautiful.**

2x2 yard Tables Cloths, regular $8.00 to $12.00, special $4.00 to ..... $5.98
2x2½ yard Table Cloths, regular $10.00 to $14.50, special $5.00 to ..... $7.25
2x3 yard Table Cloths, regular $12.00 to $17.50; special $6.00 to ..... $8.75
2x3½ yard Table Cloths, regular $14.00 to $20.50; special $7.00 to ..... $10.25
2x4 yard Table Cloths, regular $16.00 to $17.50; special $8.00 to ..... $8.75
2½x2½ yard Table Cloths, regular $9.00 to $23.00; special $4.50 to ..... $11.50
2½x3 yard Table Cloths, regular $11.00 to $23.00; special $5.50 to ..... $11.50
2½x3½ yard Table Cloths, regular $18.00 to $23.00; special $9.00 to ..... $11.50
2½x4 yard Table Cloths, regular $21.00 to $26.00; special $10.50 to ..... $12.98
22½x22½-in. Napkins, regular $8.50 to $12.50; special, dozen, $4.25 to ..... $6.25
24x24-in. Napkins, regular $7.00; special, per dozen ..... $3.50
27x27-in. Napkins, regular $12.00 to $23.00, special, dozen, $6.00 to ..... $11.50

## 19c Mercerized Plisse Crepe

500 yards, bargain of the season; rich, mercerized finish, beautiful rinkle effect, representing intrinsically the very best value ever placed on the market. A ridiculously low price for this handsome material; exquisite, soft, perfect shades, mulberry, pink, nile, gray, helio, yellow, rose cadet light blue, plain self color and two tone stripe; while it lasts, real 25c finest crinkle plisse crepe yd .8½

On the Second Floor, Bargain Square, Millinery section, Tuesday only.

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# FOWLER'S PLANS STIR ORGANIZATION

Washington, Jan. 31.—The question of revising the rules of the House of Representatives, and, more particularly, enlarging the Rules Committee, of which Speaker Cannon is chairman, is receiving consideration on the Republican side of that body. There is a report that a Republican caucus will be called within a week or so to take action on the matter.

The introduction of the resolution of Representative Fowler proposing to enlarge the Rules Committee and remove the Speaker as a member of that committee, is the subject of much discussion and is being used to determine the sentiment of members.

A prominent "insurgent," who declined to allow the use of his name, expresses the opinion that a caucus for next week is assured. He asserts that regular Republicans in large numbers are in favor of enlarging the Rules Committee. Several "insurgents" express themselves as not in favor of a caucus, but want action taken directly from the floor of the House.

It seems that Representative Fowler stole a march on both regulars and insurgents by introducing his resolution. There had been negotiations under cover for several days looking to an agreement by which four new members of the Rules Committee could be elected by the House, making its total membership nine instead of five, and giving the Republicans six and the Democrats three. But under the scheme then contemplated the Speaker was to be retained as a member. Fowler heard of this scheme and dropped his own resolution into the basket. Since then there has been more trouble than ever, for there is no telling when some Democrat or insurgent may get in a motion to discharge the Rules Committee from consideration of the Fowler resolution and thus precipitate a fight on the floor which would necessitate a square line-up for and against Cannon.

### MAYORS WOULD UNITE FOR A WATER SUPPLY.

Paterson, Jan. 31.—With a view of inducing the municipalities in Northern New Jersey to unite with each other in the near future to obtain a water supply of their own, Mayors of several of the communities interested conferred here with Mayor McBride, of this city, Saturday. In his letter calling the meeting Mayor McBride had explained that the Wanaque watershed was capable of furnishing a supply sufficient for a large number of municipalities for a large number of municipalities now dependent on the East Jersey Water Company for this necessity. At the meeting Saturday there were eight persons, including Mr. McBride, City Counsel Merry, Assemblyman McCran, of this city; Mayor H. Y. Crawford and George B. Harris, chairman of the Water Committee of the Montclair Common Council, Mayor Bird W. Spencer, of Passaic; J. P. Lux, of Nutley, and Joseph H. Vreeland, of Pompton Township.

Mayor McBride explained that the people of Paterson had voted for a municipal water plant. The only watershed available was the Wanaque. That watershed, he said, would supply 800,000 people in this section for ever. Paterson, the Mayor said, could finance itself for the establishment of a plant, but felt it would be cheaper to let the other municipalities in. The necessary plant would cost $2,100,000.

Mr. Crawford said Montclair's water contract will expire in 1912 and that the water purveying company had Montclair under its thumb. Something must be done, he said, and he was very anxious to arrange a plan whereby the municipalities could show the State Water oBard that they were entitled to the Wanaqua watershed.

Another conference will be held at an early date after Saturday's conferees have had an opportunity to confer with their governing boards.

### JURY DISAGREES OVER ALLEGED TRAIN THIEF.

After being out all night, the jury in the case of Adelberg Shudley, alias George Surbi, an alleged train robber, who was tried Friday in the Union County Court, came in at 10 o'clock Saturday morning and reported it was unable to agree on a verdict. The jury stood all night eight for acquittal and four for conviction. On the last ballot it stood ten for acquittal. Judge Atwater discharged the jurors.

### To Found Artists' Colony.

Berkeley Heights, Jan. 31.—Bolton Hall and Dr. Frank Stevens, of New York, were the guests of William Jeffery, of Berkeley Heights Friday. Mr. Hall has recently purchased nearly 100 acres of land on Stony Hill. Mr. Hall intends to have constructed an artificial lake and near it will have built numerous bungalows and will found an artists' colony.

Miss Katheryn Hartshorne, of Freehold, has been visiting friends here for the past few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barlow, Jr., who are enjoying their honeymoon in Bermuda, are expected home this week. They will reside in this city.

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### RARITAN.

The Junior baseball club elected on Thursday night the following officers for next year: President, Frederick Smith; vice-president, Edward Kelley; secretary, Frederick L. Purcell; manager, Frank A. Hickey; captain, Frank E. Driscoll; treasurer, Percy A. Amerman. The club is arranging for another ball, to be held in St. Bernard's Hall on the evening of February 4.

Abram A. Amerman, who was elected township collector at the last election, gave a banquet to his bondsmen at the Riverview Hotel Thursday night. The bondsmen are John Freck, John Cagnassola, T. D. Dalley, John Tillman, Peter Reger, John D. Reger, James C. Wyckoff, Charles A. Smith, Thomas Richards and George A. Dilts.

James Scully, who has been with Amerman & Reger for seventeen years, has resigned and will go to Plainfield tomorrow to take charge of a grocery store.

Miss Margaret M. Hoagland, of Frankfort, returned to her home this week after spending two weeks with relatives in Paterson.

Mrs. Charles L. Conrad and family, of Trenton Junction, spent this week with her mother, Mrs. Gunther, at Belle Mead.

The Misses Nellie and Elvira Tehn of Passaic, have been spending a week with their grandmother, Mrs. Philip Conners.

Edward Waldron, of Blawenburg, has been spending this week with his father in Philadelphia.

Miss Mayme Woods is spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCarron in Paterson.

Mrs. S. Tomlinson, of Delaware, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edwin S. Voorhees, at Rocky Hill.

### SOMERVILLE.

Rev. Dr. John H. Raven, of the New Brunswick Theological Seminary, occupied the pulpit of the Second Reformed church yesterday, and also lectured before the Bible Fellowship club in the afternoon. The pastor, Dr. A. A. Pfanstiehl, is spending two weeks in Florida.

A new theatre will be opened tonight under the management of Mr. Drake, of Elizabeth, in Germania Hall. It will now be called Colonial Theatre.

The engagement of Miss Clara Archer, of New Brunswick, and Carl K. Garretson, of West High street, Somerville, has been announced.

The Jewish Synagogue of East Main street is nearing completion. The front is of light-colored pressed brick with granite trimmings.

Miss Maud Klotz, of Brooklyn, has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Klotz, in North Bridge street, this week.

### STATE DENTISTS' HEAD HOST SATURDAY NIGHT.

At the Country Club at Trenton Saturday night Dr. Charles H. Delts, of Trenton, president of the State Dental Society, was the host at a dinner to the officers of the society and a few friends. Among those present were: Drs. Charles A. Meeker, C. W. F. Holbrook, C. S. Stockton and F. G. Gregory, of Newark; Geo. E. Adams, South Orange; Harvey Fredell, H. A. Hull and Frank L. Hindle, of New Brunswick; G. M. Holden, Hackettstown; M. R. Brinkman, Hackensack; F. K. Heazelton, Trenton; Joseph E. Duffield, Camden; E. S. and W. E. Hawke, Flemington; W. E. Truex, Freehold; W. Woolsey and Oscar Adelberg, Elizabeth; J. L. Crater, Orange; W. F. Naylor, Somerville.

B. F. Luckey and William H. Pruden, Paterson; W. W. Walker and G. W. B. Wheeler, New York; Samuel F. Haines, Moorestown; Alphonso Irwin, Camden; W. I. Thompson, Asbury Park; Robert Roessler, Hoboken; Moore Stevens, Atlantic City, and J. S. Halsey, Swedesboro. There was also present Professors James Truman and E. P. Daily, of the University of Pennsylvania, and Howard Cruse, of Jersey City.

Mrs. S. W. Browne, of Norfolk, Conn., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Suffern, of Sycamore avenue.

DeWitt P. Brokaw, of the borough, accompanied by several friends, is enjoying winter sports in the Adirondacks for two weeks.


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Speaking of rivers, torrents and the like, a river is PUBLIC OPINION—it flows along peacefully enough one day and, fed by tiny drops of dissatisfaction, it is lashed into fury the next.

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## SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Last season not a pound of ice was gathered at Swedesboro. This year George Rode has harvested 5,000 tons.

The Williamstown Grange on Tuesday evening will decide whether or not the college-educated woman makes the best wife.

James Horner, of Swedesboro, a Gloucester County freeholder, is recovering from an atack of paralysis and is able to leave his room.

Following a raid upon an alleged hard-cider house at Millville Friday, McCormack Monahan was held under $100 bail for a hearing.

The Gloucester County Teachers' Association and members of the boards of education of Gloucester county held a meeting in the new Woodbury High School Saturday, when they were addressed by Franklin S. Edmonds, of the Philadelphia Board of Education, and Francis H. Green, of the West Chester State Normal School.

While attending the funeral of his mother-in-law, Justice of the Peace Frank Jones, of Beverly, made a misstep off the porch and fell, spraining an ankle.

Pleading guilty to firing two pistol shots at Garret Hicks, colored, Thomas Haywood, also colored, of Hickstown, was sentenced to three years in State prison by Judge Joline in Camden. The men had a quarrel over a basket of turnips.

Atlantic City school teachers are happy over prospects of a general raise in salaries presaged by the action of the Board of Education, which added $100 a year to the pay of a number of teachers in lower grades. Other teachers will share in the increase as fast as money can be secured.

His team struck by a West Jersey and Seashore train near Risley, Antonio Calabrese, nineteen years old, employed by George Geombol, of Buck Hill, was killed. His buggy was smashed, but the horse escaped injury.

With a record of 200 quail, three foxes and a half hundred wild turkeys, Mayor E. P. Stoy returned to Atlantic City from South Carolina and is recognized as the most successful shot in the resort.

At a meeting of the business men of Millville and Commercial townships Thursday night it was decided to sell bonds to raise the $10,000 necessary to build a trolley line from Port Norris to Millville. The Commercial Township Committee granted the right of way for the proposed line and the meeting was enthusiastic.

Having swallowed several strychnine tablets, Paul, the one-year-old son of William Schlagel, of 815 North street, Millville, might have died Friday but for the prompt action of City Physician Ralph R. Charlesworth.

Bleeding from a deep scalp wound and in a dazed condition, a man, who gave the name of Garrigan, entered the office of Dr. F. V. Ware, at Millville, Thursday night, to have the injury dressed. He stated that he was aatacked by an unknown man, who struck him with a blunt instrument and fled.

For the second time in four months, Mrs. Catherine Donohue was arraigned in the Camden Criminal Court Friday on a charge of assault and battery on her husband. She admitted she struck him, but when she expressed a willingness to take the pledge the case was held under advisement.

The special committee appointed by the Millville Council to consider the advisability of ousting the four assessors and electing one assessor for the entire city has been unable to agree, and will so report to the Council.

O. Kuester, late of 628 Bloomfield street, Hoboken, bequeathed his estate to his widow, Elizabeth. His will was probated Friday, by Surrogate Egan, of Hudson county. It is dated January 3, 1903. He died December 21, last.

A similarity of names nearly cost William Williams, a young visitor to Atlantic City, who claimed Philadelphia as his home, ninety days in the county jail Friday. Williams, to use his own epression, had been on a "little toot," and Recorder Keffer, knowing of similar falls from grace on the part of a man of the same name, sentenced him to jail. Williams' face blanched, but other court officials, who had noticed the difference between the two men of the same name, called attention to the mistake and Williams escaped with a light fine.

The building of new roads through isolated sections of Atlantic county may be halted as the result of charges made by County Collector Levi Albertson that the building of the new road between Port Republic and Cologne was "a waste of public money." The collector insists that the craze for road building is loading up the county with highways that will cost $50,000 a year to maintain, and that the only use of some of the newly planned ones is for pleasure trips by automobilists, whose racing speed tears off the surfacing.

—The Junior class of the North Plainfield High School is rehearsing a play to be given in the near future.

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### For Sale.

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FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

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TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 24 Somerset street. tf

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### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To give house with all improvements in exchange for board. Fuel and light furnished. Address Times, Daily Press. 1 28 3

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Rita Stanwood, the Football Girl, With Richard Carle in "Mary's Lamb," at Plainfield Theatre, Saturday, February 5.


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## SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

General enthusiasm marked the annual meeting of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association at the home of Mrs. Charles L. Tiffany, the retiring president, last week. The Montclair Golf Club offered its course for the annual championship tournament and the matter was left to the executive committee, with power to select the links and the date. There was some informal discussion as to the advisability of changing the championship week from spring to fall, but the probabilities are that the association will decide to follow custom for another year at least.

Word was also received from the Plainfield Country Club and the Richmond County Country Club to the effect that both of these organizations were desirous of giving their links for one-day tournaments during the coming season. Semi-official statements of a like nature were received from a number of other delegates, so that it is a foregone conclusion that these one-day affairs will continue to thrive.

Mrs. Tiffany made a motion, which was carried, to the effect that the executive committee in future be instructed to communicate with the United States Golf Association with regard to the women's national championship tournament with a view to having the parent organization ascertain the wishes of a majority of the women. This could be arranged, it is said, by communicating with the Boston, Philadelphia and Metropolitan women's associations. The recent action at the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association in the awarding of the next women's national event to the West came as a surprise to many in this part of the country.

A vote of thanks was tendered to Mrs. Tiffany in appreciation of her faithful work during the nine years in which she has served the association in an official capacity. Mrs. Tiffany has at different times been treasurer, secretary and president. Mrs. M. D. Paterson, of Baltusrol, was elected president; Mrs. Howard F. Whitney, of Nassau, vice-president; Mrs. E. F. Sanford, of the Essex County Country Club, secretary; Miss Julia R. Mix, of Englewood, treasurer, and Mrs. F. E. Donohoe, of Montclair, as fifth member of the executive.

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1752—Gouverneur Morris, statesman in the American Revolution, born; died 1816.

1830—Hon. James Gillespie Blaine, statesman and presidential candidate, born; died 1893.

1895—Judge Ebenezer Rockwood Hoar, distinguished jurist, died; born 1816.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:12, rises 7:06; moon rises 11:31 p. m.; 10:36 p. m., moon at apogee, farthest from earth; Mars' disk showing .885 of fullness.

Plainfield, N. J., January 31, 1910.

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Without doubt the largest and most perfectly equipped organization on tour the present season is George M. Cohan's "The Yankee Prince," which comes to the Plainfield theatre Wednesday, February 2. In order to correctly stage this musical comedy success of the century, it requires a railroad equipment as follows: Four sixty-foot baggage cars,

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two day coaches, three standard Pullman sleepers, one dining car, and two ordinary day coaches. All movements of the company over the various railroad systems during the present season which has extended from coast to coast, have been handled "Special." One can readily see the enormous expense attached to this one item. But it all bears out the assertion so often made by those prominent in theatricals that Messrs. Cohan and Harris are the most liberal producers in the theatrical profession today.

Richard Carle, who will return to the Plainfield theatre Saturday, matinee and night, February 5, with "Mary's Lamb," is at work on his next musical comedy, which is to be presented late in the Spring. This piece he will call "Pro and Con." In it Mr. Carle will play two characters, brothers—one a ne'er-do-well, the other crafty and cunning. The piece

ANOTHER SKETCH OF CARLE BY MICHELSON

A Sketch from "Mary's Lamb," at Plainfield Theatre, Saturday, February 5, matinee and night.

is now practically completed and ready for rehearsal.

Manager Woodhull, of next year's football team at P. H. S., is getting his schedule together. He has several fine games scheduled and a number of good ones pending.


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We have made vast and unusual preparations for this big housefurnishing goods sale. Never has any previous sale presented an array of housewares half as great as is displayed here today. But this one thing we wish you to remember, that no matter how low the price, THERE IS NO TRASH SOLD. Everything bears the stamp of merit. QUALITY is the keynote of the entire sale. The items below are suggestive of the opportunities offered.

### Galvanized Iron Ware

ASH CANS, full size, with drop handles; reg. $1.48, for 85c.

FOOT TUBS, oval shape, reg. 59c, for 35c.

WATER PAILS, reg. 35c, 30c, 25c and 20c, for 29c, 25c, 19c and 15c.

WASH TUBS, reg. price 89c, 79c, 69c, 59c, for 75c, 65c, 55c, and 45c.

COVERED GARBAGE CANS, reg. price $1.25, 98c, 89c, 78c and 59c, for $1.00, 85c, 75c, 65c and 49c.

OIL CANS, 5, 2 and 1 gallon sizes; reg. price 69c, 35c and 25c, for 48c, 26c and 17c.

WASH BOILERS, oval shape, Nos. 9 and 8 size; reg. $1.10 and 98c, for 79c and 69c.

COVERED CHAMBER PAILS, large and medium sizes; reg. 45c and 39c, for 35c and 29c.

COAL HODS, reg. family size; reg. 35c, for 24c.

WILLOW CLOTHES BASKETS; reg. price 98c, 89c, 78c and 59c, for 79c, 69c, 59c and 49c.

FANCY SCRAP BASKETS, all colors and shapes; values to 69c, for 35c.

FLOOR MOPS, the "Cotton King," 20, 16 and 12-lb. sizes; usually 49c, 39c and 29c, for 37c, 29c and 23c.

DINNER SETS, white and gold, best American porcelain, 100 pieces; reg. $14.98, for $10.98.

HAVILAND'S DINNER SETS, 100 pieces, French china, 3 neat floral decorations, made to sell for $60.00, a set for $29.50.

TABLE TUMBLERS, thin lead blown glass, etched, banded and plain; reg. per doz. 75c, 65c and 55c, for 59c, 49c and 39c.

CHINA DISHES, covered vegetable dishes and meat platters, beautiful decorations, worth at least $1.00, for 39c.

FIBRE WATER PAILS, the best quality; usually 35c, for 25c.

LARGE KITCHEN KNIVES, made by Landers, Frary & Clark; reg. price 39c, for 25c.

FURNITURE POLISH, "The Universal," ½-pint bottles; usually 25c, for 18c.

ADRO METAL POLISH, none better; large 25c can for 19c.

SAUCEPANS, heavy block tin, 4-qt. size; reg. 69c, for 25c.

BREAD MAKERS, the "Eclipse" makes bread in 3 minutes; usually $2.00, for $1.69.

CLOTHES LINES, the waterproof kind, 100 and 50 ft. lengths; reg. 50c and 25c, for 39c and 19c.

PARLOR LAMPS, beautiful opal base and 10-inch dome, shade to match, round burners; usually $1.98, for $1.39.

NICKEL LAMPS, splendid for sewing or reading, round burner, all complete with white dome shade; reg. $1.50, for 98c.

TEA KETTLES, solid copper, nickel plated, 7, 8 and 9 sizes; reg. 98c, $1.10 and $1.25, for 78c, 89c, 98c.

FAMILY SCALES, will weigh 24 pounds by ounces; reg. $1.19, for 89c.

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UMBRELLA STANDS, Japanned and decorated; reg. 69c, for 39c.

WATER PAILS, "Stransky" white enameled ware; reg. 98c, for 48c.

TOILET JARS, "Stransky" white enameled ware; reg. $1.25, for 98c.

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DUST PANS, covered and uncovered, full size; reg. 10c and 8c, for 7c and 5c.

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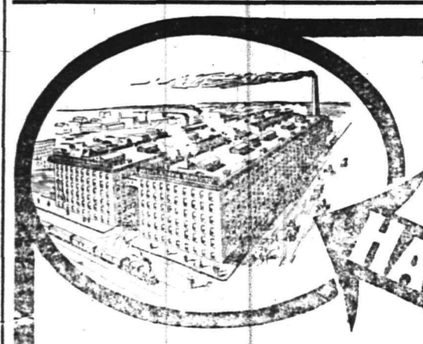
EGG BEATERS, genuine Dover make; usually 10c, for 7c.

DINNER SETS, best American decorated porcelain, 100 pieces; reg. $9.98, for $7.50.





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## BAYONNE WANTS A NEW POSTOFFICE BUILDING

Providing for a $250,000 postoffice for Bayonne, Congressman Eugene F. Kinkhead, of the Ninth New Jersey District, has just introduced a bill in Congress. The text of the bill is as follows:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to purchase a site in the city of Bayonne, New Jersey, and cause to be erected thereon a suitable building for the accommodation of the postoffice.

Sec. 2. That plans and specifications and full estimates for said buildings shall be previously made and approved according to law, and shall not exceed for site and building complete the sum of $250,000.

Provided, That the site shall leave the building unexposed to danger from fire in adjacent buildings by an open space of not less than thirty feet, including streets and alleys; and no money appropriated for the purpose shall be available until a valid title to the site for said building shall be vested in the United States.

The bill has been referred to the committee on public buildings and grounds.

"Bayonne needs a new postoffice," says Congressman Kinkhead, "and I shall do all I can to secure speedy action. I believe the business men and citizens of Bayonne will back me up in my efforts to show that the city is entitled to a new Federal building."

A Scene From George M. Cohan's "The Yankee Prince," with Tom Lewis "The Famous Unknown," and a Company of 75 Singing and Dancing Stars. Plainfield Theatre Wednesday, Feb. 2.

### Carrying Out Orders.

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Customer—Negligee, I guess. The doctor said I must avoid starchy things.—Boston Transcript.

### Pa a Boy Again.

"Did the children enjoy their toys on Christmas?"

"No; they didn't get a chance at them till the next day. Their father was too busy playing with them."

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Customer—Yes, indeed, it kept me from wasting my money on any more


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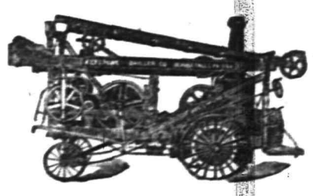

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# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The final week of union evangelistic services will be given tonight. All the meetings will be held in the First Baptist church and will be in charge of Rev. Dr. W. A. Knox.

Rev. Dr. M. T. Lamb, former superintendent of the Trenton Children's Home, occupied the pulpit of the Seventh-Day Baptist church on Saturday morning.

Cornelius Huff is able to attend to business again after being confined to the house for a week or more with a bad cold.

Wednesday is Candlemass Day, In St. John's church Father Dunphy will conduct a service appropriate to the day.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its annual meeting in Jr. O. U. A. M. hall next Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Costello has returned to Newark after a visit with Mrs. Charles Maywood.

Harry Boice has returned from Newark where he has been on a visit to his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. L. Peters entertained friends from Cranford yesterday.

Charles Rogers, who has been ill in California, is reported to be improved.

Abner Corlell has plans out for the erection of two dwelling houses.

A. N. Randolph has had a telephone installed at his home.

### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

An adult Bible study class was organized at the afternoon service held at the Baptist church yesterday. The meeting was well attended and the class starts with an encouraging membership. Rev. Mr. Mathiews will teach the lesson, the weekly study meetings taking the place of the Sunday afternoon vesper service.

The condition of Fred Clark, who is ill at the home of relatives in Newark, does not improve. His condition is reported as serious, typhoid pneumonia having developed.

James Fitzgerald, who is seriously ill with pneumonia, at his home on Forest avenue, was reported as resting somewhat easier yesterday.

The weekly meeting of the Epworth League was held last night in the class room of the Methodist church.

The members of the B. Y. P. U. held an interesting weekly meeting last night in the church parlors.

Otto Peterson, who has been visiting relatives and friends in town has returned to his home in Newark.

Miss Marjorie Demarest, of Front street, is recovering from a severe attack of the measles.

Miss Sadie Lee, of Front street, has been entertaining friends from out of town.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The mid-year examinations in the local schools begin today. The grammar department finishes on Wednesday and the lower grades end Friday.

Frank Miller, of this place, is suffering from a severe attack of grip. He is under the care of Dr. Frederick J. Hughes.

The regular monthly meeting of the Township Committee will be held tomorrow night at Hotel Nelson, in New Market.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

# ANTI-TREAT BILL BRINGS HERITAGE TO LIME LIGHT

Assemblyman Walter Heritage, of Sweedesboro, Gloucester county, who has added to his reputation by introducing a bill to prohibit treating, wants it understood that he means business, and that he will do what he can to secure favorable consideration for the measure. He admits that it will have some rough times.

"My idea," says Heritage, "is that this bill of mine is a good measure for the discouragement of drunkenness, for nearly everybody concedes that this treating habit is one of the most prolific causes of inebriety. If it were not for it, many a man would not drink half as much as he does. The fact is that very many drink after they have had enough, and the only reason they keep in imbibing is because they feel they must accept the invitation of somebody to have something. I want to say, too, that many heavy drinkers favor the bill."

Assemblyman Heritage is serving his third term as the member from Gloucester, and he has thus far done nothing to set the State on fire, but his anti-treat bill has quickly made him one of the marked men in the House.

He is a farmer by occupation, and his specialty is the raising of garden produce. He is a Quaker, and in manner is one of the mildest men in the Legislature. He is 55 years old. He is quiet, and has never been known to ask: "What'll you have?"

Russell Giles, who has been living with his brother, "Dolph" Giles, near Denver, Col., has returned to Plainfield, where he will remain.

# HIS SECOND IN SERIES ON 'WHERE ARE THE DEAD'

Continuing his series of sermons on the theme, "Where Are the Dead?" Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, last night took for his text Act 2: 25, and discussed at length the meaning of Christ's descent into Hades. Pastor Broek said that it was important to hold correct views on this subject, for some say that it teaches that there is a probation after death. Continuing, Mr. Broek said:

"In one passage we are told that Christ at His death, immediately descended into hell. He explained that the phrase in the Apostle's creed, 'He descended into hell,' was not found in the original Apostle's creed, but was later inserted by some church father and consequently the ambiguity in the creed is explained.

"Did our Lord really go to hell? Peter in his pentecostal sermon quotes some verses from the sixteenth Psalm and applies them to Christ and shows that these words refer to our Lord. Various theories have been advanced as to the explanation of these words. Calvin entertained the view that Christ actually went to the place of everlasting punishment as a part of His atoning work and that He had to bear all that sinners would have borne. Others state that He went down to the place of punishment to proclaim to the archangel of that place that His power was gone. Others have the idea that Christ went to the place of atonement to preach to the inhabitants.

"Was Christ really in hell, the place of atonement? To answer that question we must examine carefully the word translated hell in the text. In the American revised version is reads, 'Thou wilt not leave my soul in hades,' and in the sixteenth Psalm from which Peter quotes, it reads, 'Thou wilt not leave my soul in Sheol.' Now these two terms are simply original Scripture words—Greek and Hebrew—left untranslated and transferred to the English version. The word Sheol does not necessarily mean hell, the place of torment."

Numerous passages were quoted from Genesis, from Job and from David, proving that the word Sheol did not always mean the place of torment. Sheol, the pastor said, simply means the unseen world where departed spirits dwell and this world has only two departments, and only two; a place for the just and the unjust. The soul of Jesus, when He died went to the unseen world not to the dreary portion of eternal torment, but to that other portion where all souls separated from the body are at peace with Christ, which is Heaven.

"There is no glimpse of probation after death in the Scriptures," said Mr. Broek. "Our destiny is sealed in this life. As the tree falls so will it lie."

The pastor will preach next Sunday night on the subject, "Where is Heaven?"

### FOOD VALUE OF THE ABALONE.

The abalone is a clean feeder, so that its flesh is superior in soundness and wholesomeness to that of the oysters and other marine creatures which live near shore in water contaminated by many impurities. Besides this, the viscera of these creatures must be swallowed whole, while those of the abalons are quite separate from the muscular or edible part, and can be cut away by one stroke of a knife, says the Wide World Magazine. The weight of a fairly fresh abalone is two pounds, of which all but half a pound is good meat, the shell being very light. The meat is nutritious, being highly albuminous like that of clams, oysters, lobsters and shell-fish generally. Albumen is one of the chief elements of nutrition in milk, cheese, eggs, etc.

But the flesh, as it comes from the shell, is too tough to be eaten, whether uncooked, boiled, stewed or fried. The toughness used to be partly eliminated by pounding and hammering it, but this did not render the meat really tender. No matter how long it may be boiled, the fish remains hard. After many experiments a San Franciscan named J. W. Gayetty, discovered that if the abalone is killed by electricity its flesh is rendered soft and succulent like that of an oyster. A company uses this method at an abalone canning factory at Cayucos, San Luis Obispo County, California.

This company owns several roomy, seaworthy boats, each carrying two Japanese divers, one of whom goes down for three or four hours and is then relieved by the other. The diver tears the abalones, with moss and seaweed attached to them, from the rocks and sends up the shells as rapidly as possible. Under ordinary conditions he can send up a ton of abolones in an hour. As soon as the boat comes to shore, the abalones if not wanted at once in the cannery, are thrown into a tank of salt water, the bottom of which is strewn with rocks, so as to resemble the floor of the ocean, and are kept there till they are wanted.

The flesh and juice of the abalone is treated together, and the product acquires a flavor more delicate than that of the oyster. This "abalone food" may be stewed or fried, while the juice makes a good broth, soup or appetizer.

# UNIFORM LAWS IDEA GAINING, BERGEN THINKS

Frank Bergen, of Elizabeth, who for fourteen years has represented the State in the fight which for twenty years has been waged for uniform State laws, is enthusiastic over the progress of the movement.

Mr. Bergen attended in Washington last week the conference held by representatives of forty States, including the Governors of thirty of them, for the purpose of arousing interest in the movement. The convention lasted three days, and two sessions were held each day. The object of the gathering was not to take any definite action in the matter, but merely to rouse public interest. There have been nineteen previous conventions, but not one of them was as large or as enthusiastic as that which has just come to a close.

The object of the movement is to obtain laws governing certain matters that shall be the same throughout the country. It applies mostly to matters of a civil nature rather than criminal. The question of divorce has been dealt with very sparingly, for, Mr. Bergen says, it is a matter upon which there is such a wide divergence of opinion that it has been deemed best to give it little attention.

The movement was started twenty years ago among the lawyers, but owing to the apathy of the public, there were few results until a few years ago. That the movement has been far from fruitless is evidenced by the fact that in thirty-six States of the Union the same laws govern negotiable instruments, and in many the law is the same regarding sales, bills and receipts.

Many bills have been drawn up, the greatest care being used in their preparation, but because the public has not realized the importance of the proposition in many cases the labor of the greatest legal authorities in the country has been wasted.

"What we want," said Mr. Bergen last night, "is to have the public at large brought to the realization of what uniform law means to them, as well as to the lawyer. For instance, merchandise is shipped from New Jersey to California. While passing through each State it is governed by the laws of that State. That matters little if the consignment reaches its destination without any mishap, but should it be lost or misplaced, it depends on the laws of the State in which this happens what procedure will have to be taken in order to adjust matters. Yes, I look forward to the time when the movement for uniform law shall have been entirely consummated."

Besides Mr. Bergen, New Jersey was represented at the conference by Governor Fort, former Vice-Chancellor Emery and John R. Hardin, of Newark. The delegates are appointed in each State by the Governor. It was Mr. Bergen's fourteenth appointment as representative from New Jersey, and he is known to the other conferees as one of the most enthusiastic supporters of the movement.

# SCHOOL'S BALANCE WOULD RUN STATE

Declaring that "at no former time have our chool administrative forces had so large a sum placed at their disposal," and contending there is no truth in the reports of extravagance, State Superintendent of Public Instruction Baxter at Trenton, has issued a report in which he seeks to show that the schools of the State are managed economically.

"The total receipts for the year just passed were $21,964,419.88," he says, "and the total amount expended was $17,227,331.78, leaving a net balance of $4,737,088.10.

"So large a balance," he continues, "proves the provident tendencies of the local boards of education and discredits the foresight of those who prophesied an era of 'reckless extravagance.'"

Without noting the criticisms that the State is poor while the school forces are rich and have on hand almost as much as it would cost to run the State government for a year, Mr. Baxter says:

"Of the $17,227,331.78, covering all classes of outlay, $11,583,201.30 was used for 'current expenses.'"

He then goes on to say that "current expenses" is the term which applies to the running of schools, including all salaries, car fare of students in the sparsely settled districts, etc.

Going into figures, Mr. Baxter says that if this sum which was spent for "current expenses" of the schools were divided by 424,534, the number of enrolled school children, the per capita expenditure for education would be $27.28. This expenditure divided by 309,661, the daily average of attendance, gives $37.40. Mr. Baxter says this last example is misleading except for the purposes of comparison.

Defending the course of study, Mr. Baxter says "we teach the three R's better than the old teachers, and much else that the youth of today needs to know."

The second largest item of expenditure, $4,996,877.38, was for buildings and repairs. Mr. Baxter says the seating capacity of the Jersey schools is 426,719, an increase of 31,423 over the previous year.

### THE SEED.

Give me the children of the land,
And let me fill their days with smiles.
Let me but take them by the hand
And lead them where the sun beguiles.

Let me but have them for a space
And in their little hearts instill
The joyousness of Nature's face,
And with God's songs their spirits thrill.

Let me but teach them where to find
The blessings that were made for them.
And now in Service of Mankind
Is found man's choicest diadem.

Let me have these and I will give
For each back to my fellow men
A human flower that will live
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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated advertisements.

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—Girl for general housework and cooking; no washing. 34 Sycamore avenue. 1 28 3

WHITE girl for general housework. Call 15 Grove street. 1 28 3

WANTED — First-class colored waitress. 1233 Watchung avenue Call between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 29 2

WANTED—Young girl to care for child. Apply 322 Clinton avenue. 1 31 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call 21 Myrtle avenue. 1 31 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

POLISH girl wants place at general housework; good cook. Call 211 West Front street. 1 31 2

WANTED — Washing to take home. Call 316 Arlington avenue. 1 29 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED—At once, one milling machine hand; also ten lathe hands. Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 27 6

GOOD strong boy wanted. 440 Watchung avenue.

WANTED — Good structural draughtsman and detailer. Ransome Concrete Machinery Company, Dunellen. 1 29 2

WANTED—An active, sober married man with small family, good six-room house; good wages and steady work. Call after 6 p. m. W. K. Mackey, 316 East Seventh street. 1 31 10

WANTED—Young single man to take care of horse, place and fires. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 28 3

### Lost and Found.

LOST—On January 26, 1910, in train leaving New York, Jersey Central R. R., at 12:01 night, one diamond ring and one diamond and pearl ring; heirlooms. Kindly return to Daily Press, Plainfield, N. J. Reward. 1 29 3

### For Sale or Rent.

FOR SALE or to let, the Fountain Poultry Farm, just beyond the city limits on Plainfield avenue; houses for six hundred hens. George H. Fountain, 936 West Seventh street. 1 28 3

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Two horses, closed carriage and phaeton, all together or separate. 147 East Sixth street, stable. 1 31 3

FOR SALE—Pen of ten Duston W. Wyandotts, $20. 234 West Second street. 1 31 3

FOR SALE—Household goods; all in first-class condition; this evening and Tuesday a. m. 814 Leland avenue, opposite Fresh Air Camp.

TWO fine heating stoves, dining-room table, oak sideboard, carpenters' bench, for sale. Inquire 310 Watchung avenue. 1 29 3

### Situation Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man, nine years experience, would like position in reliable grocery store; best of references. C Weaver, 1046 Sherman Ave. 1 31 3

### Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 31 6

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—To rent on or before March 1, small house; moderate price. Address Moderate, care Press. 1 31 3

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 22 tf

TO LET—February 1, 5 rooms; steam heated; all improvements; $18. 122 Watchung Ave. 1 25 6

FLAT to let from April 1, corner Second and Watchung avenue, five rooms; all improvements; rent $21. Store to let, East Fourth street, $12. Houses to let, 8 rooms; all improvements; large lot; $25. Flat to let, 6 rooms, $14. Houses for sale, cash or installments. Charles H. Hand, 319 Watchung avenue. 1 31 1m

FLAT to let—5 rooms; 40 Harmony. Apply L. M. French. 1 31 tf

FLAT to let, four rooms and bath; all improvements; rent $16. Inquire A. A. Keenan, Fifth and Richmond streets. 1 31 3

FOR RENT—10-room house; all improvements; 5 minutes from station; East Fifth; $35.00.

10-room house; all improvements; 10 minutes from station; East Fifth; $35.00.

7-room house; new; part improvements; Willever street; bargain; $15.00.

10-room house; all improvements; Craig place; $35.00.

10-room house; all improvements; Sandford avenue; $45.00.

10-room house; all improvements; Westervelt avenue; $30.00.

5 rooms; part improvements; Arlington avenue; good location; $13.00. I. E. Giles, 35 Grove street. 1 29 2

TO LET—7-room house, Summit avenue, cor. Verdon. M. B. Crane. 1 29 2

TO LET—Two fine corner flats, with improvements, at corner Third and Richmond streets; also an eight-room and nine-room house on East Second street, for sale or to let. Callahan & Son. 1 28 tf eod

FOUR and six-room houses to let; $10 and $15. Inquire 28 Stone street. 1 28 3

TO LET—Modern 7-room house, with all improvements; 1659 South Second street; rent $15. 1 28 3

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 22 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place, 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

### Miscellaneous.

CHILDREN'S dresses, ladies' house gowns and shirt waists made to order. 430 Watchung avenue. 1 28 3

SHIRT waists and children's clothing made at very reasonable prices. Mrs. Perrine, 136 North avenue. 1 31 3

M. ARMSTRONG'S telephone is 232. Plumbing and heating. 1 31 12

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

### Rooms and Board.

PLEASANT room with stationery wash stand; good table. 819 West Sixth street, near Grant avenue. Convenient to trolley and station. 1 31 12

AN APARTMENT of four rooms and bath, in first-class boarding house to let from Feb. 15. Address N. M., care Press. 1 31 6

**Other Classified Ads on Page 2.**

### PUMPKINS AT $1,000 EACH.

"I saw a couple of pumpkins the other day, which the owner said was worth just $2,000." remarked Colonel Lew Chase, of Kirkville, writes a Macon correspondent of the Kansas City Star.

"They were ordinary Missouri pumpkins, worth, apparently, about twenty-five cents apiece, and I believed my friend was playing me for a tenderfoot. But when he got through telling me the story I saw that his statement was founded on the facts."

"About fourteen years ago Mr. Keith, a banker of Sturgeon, Mo., lent a farmer $1,000 to invest in stocks. This investment turned out badly, and the farmer had bad luck in other deals until he went broke. He just couldn't pay the note. Finally he went out West, and there he made a strike. Things began coming his way, and he was soon in better circumstances than he had ever been before."

"After the lapse of about thirteen years he returned to Sturgeon, bought him a farm and settled down again. The banker again presented his note, which by this time, had grown to $2,000, including interest. The farmer gently called the banker's attention to the fact that the statute of limitation had run against the note, and that it was not collectable by law."

"The banker knew that was true; if the borrower didn't want to pay it he couldn't be made to pay it."

"One bay the banker drove out in the country with a friend, and they passed the farm of the man who had taken advantage of the statute of limitations. The farmer was standing in the field when the two men drove by. The banker spied some large pumpkins, and asked the farmer what he would take for them. The farmer said twenty-five cents apiece."

"The banker selected two of the pumpkins and had them put in his buggy. Then he fished around in his pocket for the fifty cents."

"'By George!' he said, 'I haven't got a cent with me, what'l' I do?'"

"'Oh, you can pay me the next time you come along,'" said the farmer.

"'No, I will just give you credit on that note.'"

"'All right.'" returned the farmer, carelessly.

"The banker pulled out the note, and in the presence of the borrower and the companion who was riding with him he made an entry crediting fifty cents on the note, and then drove to town. The same day his lawyer began suit against the borrower, alleging that a payment had been made, and that it brought the obligation again within the law. The banker collected every cent of the debt. No wonder he is saving those pumpkins."

### LARGEST BUFFALO HERD.

On a stormy night, in 1871, a mud-spattered rider galloped into St. Ignatius, Mont., with the news that Walking Coyote, a Pend d'Oreille Indian, had shot his wife and fled over the mountains to the Blackfoot Country. The crime created a brief sensation in the sleepy little Indian village, but Walking Coyote was not apprehended, and for a time lived quietly among the Blackfeet. By and by, however, he wanted to return to his own people, but feared he would be punished for his crime. He talked the matter over with a trader.

"If you want to go back," said the trader, "you ought to do something that will make people forget all about the shooting. Now, there are no buffaloes over in the Fatland valley, why don't you catch some calves and take them back with you? They'll cause so much excitement that the people will forget to punish you for shooting your wife."

The Coyote acted on this suggestion, and as a buffolo hunt was then in progress, he soon captured four calves and turned with them to St. Ingatius, writes Ernest Harold Bayes in Recreation. The result was about what the trader had predicted, and the Indian was never punished. The little buffaloes grew up, and when the two heifers were four years old, each of them had a calf, thus was started what afterward became the largest herd of buffaloes in the world.

In 1884 the Flathead buffaloes numbered thirteen head. At this junction C.A. Allard, who was ranching on the reservation and who had long had his eye on these buffaloes, finally persuaded his old friend and neighbor, Michael Pablo, to join him in a deal which involved the purchase of Walking Coyote's herd. The Indian refused to accept a check, it was necessary to get the money, something over $3,000, in currency. Walking Coyote, a Pend d'Oreille and Mr. Pablo told me how he and his partner sat by the side of the road counting this money, laying a stone on top of each stack of bills.

"We got it in small bills," said he, "and it looked like a pile of money to pay for buffaloes." Apparently fate had not forgotten Walking Coyote, for with the money received for the buffaloes he indulged in a short round of dissipation, which ended in Missouri where he was found under a bridge, dead.

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By virtue of the above-mentioned writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale at public vendue on

WEDNESDAY, THE NINTH DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, New Jersey, all tract or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a stone in the road leading to Plainfield, and running from there with the middle of said road north fifty-five degrees east one chain and ninety-seven links to stone in the middle of said road; thence with (formerly Andrew McClarin's line) north forty-eight and one-half degrees west five chains and twenty-eight links to a stone (formerly Samuel Pound's line); thence with said Pound's line south forty-five degrees west one chain and ninety-five links to where a red oak tree stood for a corner and corner to David Boyce; thence with David Boyce's line south forty-eight and one-half degrees east five chains to the place of beginning, and containing within the bound aforesaid one acre of land.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
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1 10 5 m EDJ&DP Adv. Fees—$15.12.


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For Newark—5.26, 6.27, 6.57, 7.05, 7.25, 7.46, 8.11, 8.26, 8.43, 9.29, 9.59, 10.55 a. m., 12.42, 1.27, 2.33, 3.09, 4.12, 4.45, 5.53, 6.29, 7.33, 8.27, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.23, 8.52, 9.34, 9.45, 10.32 a. m., 12.40, 1.24, 2.01, 2.41, 3.24, 4.29, 5.41, 6.48, 8.13, 9.42, 10.41 p. m.

For Easton, Bethlehem, Allentown and Mauch Chunk—5.18 (8.17 to Allentown), 9.55 a. m., 2.00, 5.23, 5.46, (6.37 p. m., Easton only). Sundays—5.45 a. m., 1.58 6.46, 7.05 p. m.

For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—5.18, 9.55 a. m., 5.46 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 5.46 p. m.

For Long Branch and Asbury Park, etc., 2.37, 8.11, 10.55 a. m., (12.42 Saturday only), 4.45, 6.29, 7.33, 11.28 p. m. Sundays—2.37, 8.52 a. m., 3.24, 8.13 p. m.

For Lakewood and Atlantic City—2.37, 9.29 a. m., (12.42 Saturdays only), 1.27, 3.09 a. m. Sundays—(7.53 Lakewood only), 9.45 a. m., 2.01 p. m.

For Philadelphia—7.13, 7.39, 8.45, 9.13, 10.43 a. m., 12.13, 12.42, 1.39, 2.14, 2.45, 4.13, 6.44, 7.43, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 1.20 night. Sundays—5.45, 8.46, 9.53, 10.39, 10.43, 11.42 a. m., 12.42, 1.44, 2.45, 3.42, 4.55, 5.39, 6.44, 7.43, 8.50, 9.46 p. m., 11.25, 1.20 night.

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SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between John H. Van Winkle, executor, etc., complainant, and Dora Nelson, her heirs, devisees and personal representatives et al., defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all tract or parcel of lands and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, being known and designated as lots numbers thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38), in block "D," on a map of 264 lots owned by Watson Whittlesey at Netherwood Station, surveyed September, 1891, by F. A. Dunham, and filed for record in the Register's office for Union County.

Beginning at a point in the north line of Jackson avenue sixty-six (66) feet northwesterly from the northwest corner of Jackson avenue and George street; running thence northeasterly in a line parallel with the west line of George street one hundred and four and seventy-five one-hundredths (104.75) feet; thence northwesterly in a line parallel with the north line of Jackson avenue forty-four (44) feet; thence southwesterly to the north line of Jackson avenue one hundred and four and seventy-five one-hundredths (104.75) feet; thence southeasterly along the north line of Jackson avenue forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the party of the first part by deed of Watson Whittlesey, dated October 16, 1891, and recorded in book 234 of deeds for Union county, page 545.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
JOHN H. VAN WINKLE & SON, Sol'rs.
1 3 5m EDJ&DP Adv. Fees—$19.32.

### Arrival and Departure of Mails

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August 1, 1909.

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On Saturdays closes half hour later.

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Arrive—9.00 a. m., 1.30, 3.15 and 7.00 p. m.
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DIRECT THROUGH FAST MAILS FOR WEST AND SOUTH.
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### "THE TWELFTH NIGHT" AT THE NEW THEATRE.

The presentation of "Twelfth Night," at the New Theatre, New York, Saturday afternoon disclosed several novelties which drew forth favorable comment from Shakespearean scholars. One of the most pleasingk innovations fos the singing by Viola of the little love song, which for years has been sung by Feste, the Clown. The departure, if it may be so termed, was made possible by the fact that Miss Annie Russel, who plays Viola, possesses a fine voice. In the text which has been handed down to posterity the song is given to Feste, but it seems most likely that Shakespeare's original intention was that Viola should sing the air. When Director Ames found that Miss Russell could sing as well as act, he was delighted and assigned to her the melody. In fact, the change from Viola to Feste seems so uncalled for that there can hardly be any doubt that the change was made, not by Shakespeare, but by some stage manager forced to meet a sudden misadventure. It is probable that when Shakespeare wrote the play, the boy who took the part of Viola possessed a voice. In a later production the boy could not sing and the Clown was substituted. Shakespeare's intention, however, that this song should be sung by Viola seems clear. When she first proposes to serve the nuknown Duke as a page, her chief qualification, as she puts it, is that she "can sing and speak to him in many sorts of musicke." Yet at the moment when it would be most dramatically effective for her to touch the heart of the Duke with a song which "deals with the innocence of love," she is silent and the melody is given ot the Clown, who is not in the Duke's service at all, but in that of Lady Olivia.

Another novelty in the production was the use of six instruments which in all probability have not been heard on the stage for over a hundred years. These were the small lute, the medium lute, the cittarone (or large lute), the viol-de-gamboys, the recorder and the hautbois. These were played by six musicians who appeared in the Duke's palace and later in Olivia's garden when the Duke came to woo. When Elliott Schenck, the musical director, asked for these instruments, Hamilton Bell, the art director, had great difficulty in procuring them. Some were bought from antiquarians and others were made.

"The Twelfth Night" will be produced tonight, tomorrow night and Wednesday matinee and night.

### ENGLAND'S LACK OF ICE.

Why are we so far behind other countries in the use of ice? asks the London News. In the United States in the hot season ice is regarded as one of the necessities of life. In the towns the ice merchant delivers a large block every day as regularly as the milkman brings milk or the baker bread.

All perishable foods are kept on ice as a matter of course, and an American housewife would be bitterly ashamed if her butter were to appear at table in such a state that it had to be helped with a spoon.

All manner of delicious dishes and beverages, ice creams, frappes, sundaes, are concocted with ice or frozen milk as a principla ingredient. And not merely in the hot weather but throughout the year Americans consume iced water in fabulous quantities.

It is believed by some that this may be one of the causes of the American tendency of dyspepsia. But it has been observed that English people who have spent a year or two in the United States always regret the ice creams and the iced water. It has been stated, too, that the large consumption of sugar in the various elaborate iced beverages is partly responsible for the relatively small consumption of liquid among Americans, since sugar, as some dietary experts believe, discourages the taste for fermented drink.

### SCOTCH BREAKFASTS.

Women novelists are prone rather to dress their characters tastefully than to feed them liberally; but Dr. Redgill, in Susan Ferrier's "Destiny," dwells on Scotch breakfasts with a gusto worthy of Peacock, says the London Chronicle.

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Nolan reached out and, seizing Dupuy's hand, held it firmly. McHenry, at one side, witnessed with a distinct shock what he understood as Nolan's sudden resolve to, as Dupuy had suggested, let "bygones be bygones," else why should he shake hands with the man? Dupuy also felt a thrill of pleasure, even of triumph, as the one time chairman of the Street Railway Workers' union warmly shook his hand. Dupuy smiled and, bowing pleasantly, essayed to withdraw his hand from Nolan's grip and step away. But his smile turned to a wrinkled contraction of his facial muscles, indicating acutest pain. The giant hand of the ex-striker, ex-miner, was closing with crushing force around the lawyer lobbyist's fingers and knuckles. It did not cease to crush, try as Dupuy might to wrest his hand free. At the moment when he felt that he must scream in his pain or else cringingly plead for mercy Nolan's grip partially relaxed, and he swung Dupuy to one side. A grim smile made its way into the furrows, won by suffering and privation in the Nevada mining camps and desolate gold regions, that marked Nolan's visage.

"You see, I'm stronger than you now, Ed Dupuy, just as you was stronger than me twelve years ago—you and Bartelmy between you." A great sigh escaped him as he finished.

Dupuy, now having freed his hand, rubbed it smartly with the other to restore the circulation to the flattened veins. He wheeled away to pick up his overcoat.

Nolan now addressed McHenry, who had seated himself at his desk.

"You're the managing editor?"

"Yes, sir."

"Well, I just want to tell you that that was a true article you had about that old hypocrite, Judge Bartelmy, this morning," he stated to McHenry. "Have another tomorrow and stronger." Another idea came to him, and he added, "Who was it got up that one today?"

Dupuy felt that he must come to McHenry's rescue.

"A young man who has since resigned," he interjected for the managing editor. Both McHenry and Dupuy were growing uneasy at the trend of Nolan's thoughts and words. A glimpse into the craniums of them both at this moment would have revealed the same thought to be predominating: "What is he driving at?"

Nolan appeared distinctly surprised at two things—first, that the writer of the story had resigned; second, that Dupuy should be so familiar with the matter. He took a step toward the latter.

"Resigned?" he asked in reverberating tones. "How do you know?" Before Dupuy could answer Nolan wheeled on McHenry. "Is it so, what Dupuy says?" he asked of the managing editor.

"Yes, sir."

"What's his name?"

"Wheeler Brand."

"What did he resign for?"

"Some of the big advertisers forced him to," admitted McHenry calmly.

A look of understanding flitted across Nolan's face. He shifted his glance from McHenry to Dupuy. Then, with a significant smile, he said:

"I see you are still on the job, Ed Dupuy."

"Well, it's business"—began the lobbyist defiantly. But Nolan would not listen to him. Thoughts vastly more important than conjecture as to Dupuy's motives now crowded his brain.

"Where is Brand now?" he asked sternly of McHenry.

"I think he is in the local room now, sir," pointing to the door at his left.

The new proprietor strode impulsively to the doorway and called at the top pitch of his powerful voice: "Wheeler Brand! Wheeler Brand!"

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As he had hurried from the managing editor's room after his dismissal from the Advance Wheeler Brand struggled valiantly against a wave of discouragement that assailed him and for a moment or two threatened to overwhelm. "Discharged for 'beating' the town on the story of the year," he muttered. "Well, I'll try to get on across the street," he concluded, "across the street" meaning the Guardian, the bitter rival of the Advance. He went to one of the long oak tables in the city room, where he seated himself next to Higgins, the leading police reporter of the paper, and began nervously to finish the story of a new bank merger on which he had been working when summoned by McHenry. When he finished he laid the pages of copy on the city editor's desk. He dragged a chair to a window, sat down and gazed moodily down at the crowds of people hurrying along the street below.

It was not his dismissal from the staff which chiefly concerned him. He was certain of obtaining another position. In fact, his reputation along Newspaper row was such, and he felt justifiable pride at the thought that he would be at work within twenty minutes after leaving the Advance office if he so desired. But what did occupy his mind to the exclusion of almost everything else was the consideration of what view Judith Bartelmy would take when she heard the news of his dismissal. She had warned him that he was sacrificing his future in his attacks on the powers that be. Undoubtedly now she would be convinced, as some of his friends had already endeavored to convince her, that, after all, he was a fanatic, an impractical dreamer, who could not accomplish his ambition to right what he believed to be great wrongs, who could not, moreover, escape summary dismissal from his paper. But he must go on. He would go on. He would go that very night to a newspaper that would not suppress nor qualify the truth, one that would not distort facts nor misrepresent a situation in order to deceive the public, to which it was its duty to give the truth. Yes, and he would show the big thieves of the city that even if they managed to remain superior to the law at least they could not remain superior to public opinion. The time had come when—

"Wheeler Brand! Wheeler Brand!" The voice of Nolan came to his ears above the ticking of the telegraph instruments and the clicking of typewriter keys. Brand started from his seat. He did not recognize the voice nor did any one else in the smoky city room, as curious upraised faces around him testified. It came from the managing editor's room, however, so he hastened to respond, wondering what it could mean.

Brand entered McHenry's office and faced the three men, his surprise increasing as he saw from the attitudes of McHenry and Dupuy that a huge, rawboned, bronzed faced stranger apparently dominated the situation.

"Yes?" said Brand inquiringly to the stranger, whom he placed as the owner of the voice, because he knew it had not been McHenry's or Dupuy's.

"I am Nolan, the new owner," greeted the stranger.

Brand stepped forward and offered his hand, which Nolan grasped.

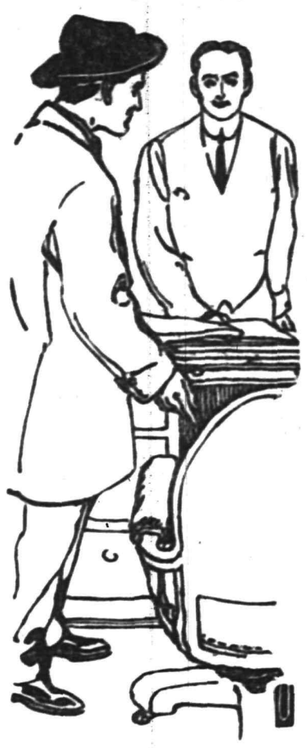
"How do you do, Mr. Nolan?" the reporter greeted him, endeavoring to figure just what the mysterious proceeding portended.

Nolan went straight to the point.

"So you've been fired for that Bartelmy article, have you?" he asked.

"Yes, sir."

Nolan turned and shot a triumphant glare at McHenry and Dupuy. Then



*"From now on you sit here."*

he caused the blood to rush almost blindingly into the head of the young reporter when he swung around, grasped Brand's arm, drew him over to the managing editor's chair, beside which that official was standing, and said, "Well, I've got another job for you." Nolan put both hands on Brand's shoulders and by main strength forced him down heavily into the chair. "From now on you sit here," he announced. "You're managing editor now."

CHAPTER V.

A YEAR passed since the eventful night for Wheeler Brand when Nolan made him managing editor of the Advance. In these months Brand made a showing with the paper that was never dreamed of by the owners preceding as being within the range of possibility. Made absolute master of the paper and consequently dictator of its policy, the young man set a pace that the paper's rivals found difficult to equal, much less to outstrip. His exposure of the scandals in the exclusive world of high life insurance finance has thus far proved the most vital reform of his administration. As a result of this crusade, which drove a half dozen leading officials from almost as many companies, the president of the United States stated publicly that "the vast life insurance business of this country is now on the soundest financial basis it has ever had."

But Wheeler Brand in the press of stirring events had not forgotten Judge Bartelmy. In fact, certain activities of that estimable individual were just now under close scrutiny by the one time reporter, who, if he could be prevailed on to speak concerning it, might possibly observe that the judge was very soon to have an opportunity to make a few explanations which would be received with undoubted interest by the public. The young editor's suit for the hand of Judith Bartelmy might be said, since we are dealing with a judge's family, to be in statu quo. She was still waiting for him "to become sane," as she had expressed herself to him. A girl of lofty principles and of decided strength of character, she could not see his duty from his viewpoint. Perhaps it was all quite natural, quite womanly, quite daughterly, that she should subscribe absolutely to her father's side in the momentous case of "JUDGE BARTELMY VERSUS THE PEOPLE, WHEELER BRAND AND THE ADVANCE."

She was loyal to her father, and she was trying to be loyal to her lover, and the task was becoming more and more difficult. Yet she waited, and Wheeler Brand waited, and each prayed that the other would end the ordeal and heal two breaking hearts.

Today we find Wheeler Brand proceeding toward the luxurious Nolan home on a fashionable residential thoroughfare to visit the proprietor of the paper to hand him a statement of the Advance's progress, to discuss matters of editorial policy and to confer regarding a certain development concerning Judge Bartelmy.

At the Nolan home a reception had been announced, hundreds of invitations sent out, but the responses did not encourage Mrs. Nolan in her social aspirations. Society passed her by. That was the whole story in brief. Society, as usual, was ever so much pleased with itself and was too busy to include Mrs. Nolan, Phyllis and Sylvester in its diversions. The husband and father cared very little for society, had no time for it, but he fondly loved the courageous, warm hearted woman who had uncomplainingly shared with him the onerous hardships of his early days, and it was his desire to gratify her ambitions as well as those of his daughter. The fortune he had plucked from Nevada's flinty bosom enabled him to be generous, and he smiled approvingly on every new extravagance of Mrs. Michael Nolan. Therefore if she was socially ambitious she must have her way and be allowed to carry on her campaign for recognition in whatever fashion she chose. Certainly the home he had established was a fitting vantage ground from which to wage a war of dollars against the precipitous embattlements with which the city's Four Hundred had encircled its camp. Palatial in size, the Nolan residence was equally palatial in its furnishings, and only the magic word from the magic lips of a single member of the magic realm of "the aristocracy" was necessary to send monogrammed coaches in long lines to the Nolan doors, to fill the costly rooms with distinguished faces, to fill to overflowing with happiness the yearning heart of Mrs. Michael Nolan.

But the word had not yet been spoken.

It was now late in the afternoon at the Nolan home. Phyllis walked across the drawing room, irritation plainly marking her pretty pink and white face. The music of a string orchestra stationed in the conservatory ceased. She addressed a servant who stood at attention at a door at the right which led to the dining room.

"Pitcher," she said discouragedly, "I don't think any one else will come, so tell the musicians they can go."

"Yes, Miss Phyllis."

At this point Mrs. Nolan came storming in, carrying a huge bunch of hothouse grapes in her hand.

"Pitcher, I noticed those caterer men are drinking all the champagne, and I want it stopped," she ordered loudly.

Pitcher bowed and went out.

"If our guests won't come here to drink it, at least we will drink it ourselves," Mrs. Nolan announced to Phyllis. "Well, we have done it—sent out 400 cards, and who's been here that anybody wants to see? This is the second time we've gone to all this trouble and expense for nothing and nobody, and if you'll take my advice it will be the last."

"Mamma, Pitcher will hear," the girl protested.

The mother bit a grape from the bunch. She deposited the skin and stones in a Sevres vase on the marble mantel.

"Phyllis, what did you have to pay that musician?" she asked.

"Well, his price is a thousand dollars."

"Good gracious!"

"But I got him for $750. I promised the Advance would help him."

"Seven fifty for playing twice. I'd rather hear the band." Mrs. Nolan bit off another grape.

"You don't understand, mamma. Everybody's wild over that violinist."

"It seems there wasn't nobody wild enough to come here."

"There wasn't 'anybody,'" spoke Phyllis, correcting her mother.

"Well, was there?" retorted the mother as she dropped the grape skin in another vase.

"Oh, dear." Phyllis wailed disconsolately as she seated herself before a small stand. "don't rub it in, mamma! I can't help it."

"Now, who's blaming you, child?" consoled the mother. "There, don't cry. I'm not so disappointed about myself, but I can't bear to see you snubbed right and left. You are good enough to go with any of these people, and you shall too. It's that newspaper that's at the bottom of it. People won't have it, or us because of it, and I mean to tell your father so too. And that's why these 'at homes' is no good."

"Are no good, mamma," tearfully.

"Well, are they? It would have been better to put your $750 into suffragetting. That's what gets you in with the right people—not that I care to vote, but I don't want the men to say I can't."

Sylvester Dolan interrupted the conversation between mother and daughter by appearing before them with his bosom friend, Max Powell, who believed himself to have the makings of a master poet. It was with deepest pride that the Nolan son presented Powell, long haired, sallow faced and seedily dressed, to his mother and sister. Sallow faced? Indeed, his countenance had that sickly greenish yellow hue that comes from long devouring of the muses and long abstinence from the devouring of food.

"Hello, mamma!" he cried enthusiastically. "Here's a friend of mine I want you to know—Mr. Powell, the poet."

"How do you do, Mr. Powell? You look as if it would be easy for you to write poetry. Do you know, poetry just sets me wild!"

Sylvester patted Powell on the back.

"Well, this lad's going to make a big noise in poetry some day. Phyllis, you must have heard of Powell. My sister, old man!"

"Won't you have a cup of tea, Mr. Powell?" invited Mrs. Nolan, visibly impressed by the presence of a poet at her home.

Powell started confusedly to utter his thanks. He did not seem overdelighted at the offer.

Sylvester saw the difficulty. "Tea!" he exclaimed. "Absinth for Powell!"

Mrs. Nolan expressed her regret at not having any absinth and left the room, followed by Phyllis, to arrange for something for Powell to eat. "Poor fellow! He looks hungry," she whispered to Phyllis.

Sylvester caught the poet by the arm.

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## Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL TEAMS IN A STRUGGLE

The annual basketball contest between the Y. M. C. A. first and second team on Saturday night resulted in a victory for the regulars by the score of 46 to 18. Linke and Gavett starred for the victors while Vail and Manley played fast games for the second aggregation. The lineups follow:

First team—Linke and Aalholm, forwards; Foster, center; guards, Gavett, Miner. Second team—Naylor and Templin, forwards; Manley, center; Slocum and Vail, guards.

In the preliminary contest the senior boys triumphed over a consolidated school team by the score of 36 to 18. The lineups follow::

Senior Boys—Dunning, Love and Taylor, forwards; Boice and Peacock, center; Peacock, S. Line and Zeraga, guards. High School consolidated—Coyle and Weber, forwards; Carty, center; Cumming and McNamee, guards.

In the afternoon the Y. M. C. A. Boy's five defeated the Methodist Boy's team by a score of 21 to 6. The lineups:

Y. M. C. A. Boys—Manley, D. McNamee and Moulton, forwards; Scribner and Goodman, center; Hetfield and Blair, guards. Methodist five—Becker and Beekman, forwards; Linke, center; Kiely, Force and Woolston, guards.

### BASKETBALL.

The crack Williamsbridge team which defeated the locals on New Year's Day will be the opponents of Plainfield at Y. M. C. A. hall next Saturday night. Manager Listman expects that his team will reverse matters in the impending contest.

Leals and P. H. S. are carded to engage in an Interscholastic contest at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday afternoon.

The P. H. S. basketball team will play the Westfield High School at Westfield Wednesday afternoon.

### HERE'S YOUR WEATHER FOR ALL THIS WEEK.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 31.—Present barometric conditions over the northern hemisphere indicate that during the week beginning Monday, January 31, temperature will be moderate for the season generally over the United States until about the close of the week, when a cold wave is likely to appear in the extreme northwest and advance thence to the Atlantic coast by the early portion of next week.

In the meantime storms that will reach the Atlantic seaboard about the middle and close of the present week will be attended by sharp fluctattions in temperature from the Lake regions and the Ohio Valley over the Middle Atlantic and New England States and precipitation generally east of the Mississippi In the middle and northern districts the precipitation will be partly in the form of snow. In the Missouri and Western Mississippi valleys and the plain States precipitation will be comparatively light.

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### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Communion services will be held at the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday morning.

The monthly communion service will be held at the First Baptist church on Sunday morning.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at the First M. E. church Wednesday night after prayer-meeting.

Elder F. E. Smith will have charge of the mid-week prayer-meeting at Trinity Reformed church Wednesday night.

Preparatory services will be held at Warren chapel, Wednesday night the communion services on Sunday morning.

The Sunday school of the First Baptist church will hold a social at the church on Thursday night, February 10.

The Wednesday afternoon sewing meetings have been resumed at Warren chapel, and will be continued until spring.

The regular meeting of the McAll Auxiliary will be held at the Public Library on Wednesday morning, at 11 o'clock.

The Young Women's Mission Band, of Trinity Reformed church, will meet ing the church parlors Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Rev. J. W. Musson, of East Second street, is home from Wilmington, Del., where he conducted a successful series of evangelistic meetings.

Several improvements have been made at the First Baptist church recently, including the paintings of the woodwork on the outside of the edifice.

Rev. Dr. John S. Zelie was a visitor at Hope chapel yesterday afternoon, and delivered a brief address on the lesson at the close of the session.

Arthur M. Harris took charge of the Junior department of the First Baptist church Sunday-school, yesterday, succeeding Miss Perry, who retires because of illness.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church, will merge its meeting with the Wednesday night service, and will not meet Friday nights as heretofore.

Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, conducts the Friday noon meeting in the Potter Press Works this week under the direction of the local Y. M. C. A.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the St. Peter's German Luthern church will hold its regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. John H. Koch, 141 Berckman street, Thursday at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Bertha A. Jones presided at the organ in Hope chapel yesterday, in the absence of Mrs. L. R. Howard, who played the organ at Warren chapel for Mrs. J. O. McKelvey, who is at Atlantic City.

Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church will speak at the West End Tabernacle, Thursday night at 8 o'clock. The Junior Endeavor Society will meet in the afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, will make an address at the Grand Avenue Reformed church, Asbury Park, Wednesday night, when the church mortgage will be burned. Mr. Broek was formerly pastor of this church.

William D. Murray was in charge of the evening services at Hope chapel last night. Rev. L. R. Howard, the pastor, attended the memorial services held at the Brick church, New York, for Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, last night.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold its regular meeting tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church. Mrs. S. T. Wilson will have charge of the devotional exercises and some interesting facts about the west coast of South America will be presented by Mrs. George H. Batchelor.

### At Proctor's.

The Donna Myra Troupe at Proctor's theatre this week will offer one of the best attractions at this popular house. Their specialty is singing and the company carry three sets of scenery that alone will please the patrons. David Rose & Co., will appear in their wonderful act, "The Organ Grinder." It is a clever sketch. Raymond & Hess, rural comedians, are a pair of big laugh producers, with the help of clever songs and stories, while Jack Lyle, the monologue dispenser, will be here with the goods and will give full measure. This week's pictures will be especially good.

### The Rasores to Meet.

The Rasores will meet with Mrs. W. D. Murray, of West Ninth street, tomorrow morning, the subject being "William Hamilton Gibson."

## DON'T ALL APPROVE OF WINK

### British Bishops Differ in Opinion Over Girls' Fun, and One Is Given Lesson.

Though a well-known English bishop has just been stating publicly that he regards it as a most pleasant form of recognition to be winked at in the street by young women living in the districts where he has worked, there is at least one of his Episcopal brethren who used to take a very different view of such salutations.

This pompous worthy was much incensed on one occasion when he was giving what he believed to be a very impressive lecture to a 17-year-old society girl who had been handed over to him for admonishment, to observe her left eye close in a deliberate wink. He sternly told her that such an action was practically akin to immoral behavior, to which she promptly replied: "Rats!" and turned on her heel and walked off.

She has since married and entertains largely. At a recent charity function, at which the bishop was present, she was introduced to him. He failed to recognize her as a former acquaintance until she gave him another of her elaborate winks and said, very archly: "Perhaps you remember me now, my lord!" He did, and what is more, entered into the spirit of the joke, which he now often tells against himself.

## WAITED FOR THE PERMISSION

### Little Ones, Tired of Church Services, Left Sacred Edifice as They Would the School.

"When the late Philip Auld Harrison Brown, rector of St. John's chapel, was a young man, he used to go to Maine for the summer," said a Trinity trustee in New York. "Dr. Brown often told of an unforgettable incident connected with one of his first Maine sermons.

"Two children had come to church alone, and the minister noticed them from the start of his discourse. They sat in a great, high-backed pew, side by side, very solemn.

"After awhile they got tired. Evidently they thought that church etiquette was the same as the etiquette of the village school. They climbed down from their pew, and the boy took his tiny sister by the hand and led her up the aisle, stopping in front of the preacher.

"'Please, sir,' he said, 'may we go home?'

"'Yes,' said Mr. Brown.

"And they turned and soberly departed, hand in hand."—Los Angeles Times.

### It Saves Them.

The American has the saving grace of humor. Seldom in the real pinch does it fail to come to the uppermost and he gets a good laugh out of what men born under other skies would construe as nothing else than a fight.

The "head gent" of a t. t. t. show playing at Holton recently handed out a warm one to the audience. There was so much going on in Holton that night that the theatrical business suffered, but the aforesaid "gent" seemed to think that the people did not appreciate the high-class histrionic art served up by the company. He frankly stated in a curtain speech that in his opinion the plays presented were too refined for Holton. "But," he added, "we will try to get down to your level by presenting 'The Whole Dam Family,' which does not contain a sensible line. I think this play will appeal to you."

"The audience," says Frank Jarrell, in telling the matter, "instead of getting mad and lynching the actor, saw the funny side of the case and laughed long and loud at him. He didn't say any more."—Kansas City Journal.

### Was Ready to Make Good.

Some time ago a crowd of Bowery sports went over to Philadelphia to see a prize fight, says Everybody's. One "wise guy" who, among other things, is something of a pickpocket, was so sure of the result that he was willing to bet on it.

"The Kid's goin' t' win. It's a pipe," he told a friend.

The friend expressed doubts.

"Sure he'll win," the pickpocket persisted. "I'll bet you a gold watch he wins."

Still the friend doubted.

"Why," exclaimed the pickpocket, "I'm willin' to bet you a good gold watch he wins! Y' know what I'll do? Come through the train with me now, an' y' can pick out any old watch y' like."

### The Reasonableness of Woman.

"There are reasonable women in New York, doubtless," said a police captain, "but not many of them do business with our department.

"A woman from upper Fifth avenue telephoned us recently. Had lost a pair of false teeth between the Plaza hotel and the Opera house. Wanted us to find them and send them to her under seal. Yet when I asked for her name and address she berated me like a pickpocket. Said I wanted to get her name in the papers, or be paid to keep it out. Then she rang off."

"Surely you do not find many like her?" was suggested.

"No," said the officer. "The most of them are worse."

### Arithmetically Demonstrated.

"A man should sleep at least eight hours a day."

"It can't be done," answered the weary-looking citizen; "not when one of your neighbors runs a phonograph till midnight and another keeps a rooster that crows at five a. m."

## HEARD THE REPORTS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

The officers and teachers of Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school, met at the close of the session yesterday afternoon. Superintendent F. E. Smith presided. The report of Chauncey F. Cokhar, secretary, showed the total membership of the school to be 1,023, including all the departments. They are divided into the main school, home department and cradle roll. There are 623 in the main school, 335 in the home department and 65 on the cradle roll. The enrollment for the year of attending members is 70 more than that of last year.

The average attendance for the year was 364, which is 33 more than last year. The largest number present at any one session was 475, which was on rally day, September 19. A new departure during the past year, was that of Star class enrollment. The honors went to Mrs. J. H. Freeman, who had a perfect class seventeen Sundays during the year.

The home department in addition to the membership of 335 has thirty-one visitors, which is not included in the total number of members.

The report of Charles M. Dolliver, treasurer, showed the total amount collected during the year for the general fund to be $1,371.41 and the amount disbursed to be $1,354.85, leaving a balance on hand of $16.56. The amount on hand for the building fund is $83.46. The receipts from the home department for the last quarter were $89.73.

The treasurer of the missionary society of the school, LeRoy Layton, reported that $324.66 had been collected for benevolences during the past year.

During the session of the school a very interesting letter was read from Rev. Walter C. Roe, of Weatherford, Oklahoma, to whom a box of Christmas presents was sent. The box was valued at $40, and was for his use among the Cheyennes and Rapahoe tribes of Indians, where an Indian mission is established.

### PERSONAL.

Jacob Voehl, of Grove street, left today for a two weeks' stay at Monticello, N. Y.

Miss L. Walduck, of Park avenue, is registered at the Hotel Windsor, Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Adams, of West Fourth street, are parents of a boy, born this morning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Haynes, of Craig place, gave a euchre party at their home Friday night.

Rev. and Mrs. Joseph O. McKelvey, of Grandview avenue, are spending a few days at Atlantic City.

Mrs. E. A. Handy, of Barnstable, Mass., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O. Osgood, of Myrtle avenue.

Mrs. John P. Emmons, of Prospect place, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Forest Green, of Long Branch.

A. R. Townsend, of Ithica, N. Y., spent Sunday at the home of his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Van Emburgh, of Putnam avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Crawford, of Keyport, who have been spending sometime at the home of Miss E. C. Benedict, of Duer street.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Sweeny and children, of New York city, have returned after a week-end visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Wheeler, of Stone street.

### Will Build Several Flats.

Brooks Carson will soon remove his greenhouses from Norwood and Manning avenues to a point near Hand's brickyards on Mountain avenue, and has planned to erect a number of flats on the site of the old greenhouses. L. E. Hammond has the contract for erecting the houses.

### Mrs. W. N. Tier Surprised.

A birthday surprise party was tendered to Mrs. William N. Tier, of East Front street, Saturday night. There were about twenty friends present from Newark, Elizabeth, Nyack, N. Y., and this city. Refreshments were served during the evening.

### Mrs. Fritts Buried Here.

The body of Mrs. Andrew S. Fritts was brought from Binghamton, N. Y., to this city, today for burial in Hillside Cemetery. Mrs. Fritts, who was the wife of Dr. Andrew S. Fritts, died at Binghamton last Friday from pneumonia after an illness of one week.

### Practicing for Indoor Meet.

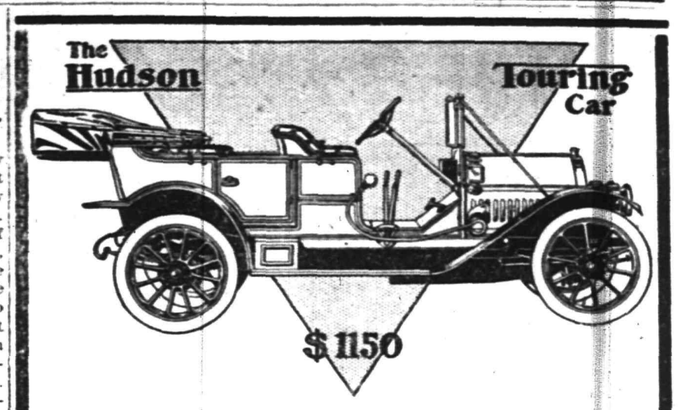
During the coming week the Plainfield High School fellows will start practice for the coming indoor meet at the Y. M. C. A. There is plenty of good material in the school this year and the High School should make a good showing.

### Preached in Newark.

Father Bogan was in Newark yesterday where he preached a sermon at the vesper services in the Newark Cathedral. Today Father Bogan went to New Brunswick to attend the funeral of Sister Rosiana.

### Twenty Games Scheduled.

Manager Runyon of the P. H. S. baseball team announces that he has a schedule of twenty games already, among them many prominent High Schools in New York and the East.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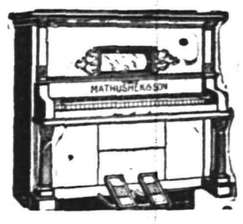


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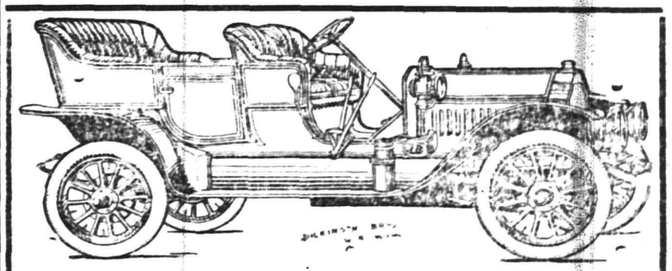

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# THE DAILY PRESS.

THIS WEATHER.

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## LEES APPEALS AGAIN

### Has Not Yet Heard From Missing Wife—Believes She Was Kidnapped.

RECONCILED TO HIS FATHER.

Was Estranged Because of Wedding Out of His Rank—He Is Now Forgiven.

Victor Lees, the Orange caterer, who asked this paper to help locate his wife who he said had come to Plainfield on January 15, and from whom he has had no word since, writes again to say that now he s positive that his wife has been abducted and asks that the family of an Italian woman be looked up.

Mr. Lees is unable to give the name of the girl to whom his wife intended to pay the visit on January 15, nor can he give any information regarding the woman next door who runs a restaurant or a high class boarding house in New York city, all of whom he mentioned.

The photograph which Mr. Lees enclosed in his letter shows a good looking young woman and one who would seem to be smart enough to frustrate any attempt at kidnapping. However, Mr. Lees believes that his wife has been either kidnapped or murdered and he wants to know which. He has recently received from his father in Germany a letter in which he forgives his son for marrying as he terms it "beneath his rank" and is willing to do all that a father should do for a son. Lees, Sr., according to the son's letter is a wealthy man, owning much property in both France and England, and the reconciliation with the son was the only thing needed to make the latter truly happy until his wife disappeared. He reiterates the statement that they have always lived in peace and happiness and can prove it by his many friends in Orange. When last seen Mrs. Lees wore a close fitting lavender coat, black silk dress and white silk waist topped off with a picture hat in which were two large ostrich plumes. No woman answering the description given has been seen in this city so far as can be ascertained.

### COURT HAS DISMISSED BANKRUPT'S TRUSTEE SUIT.

Judge Joseph Cross, of the United States District Court has rendered his decision in the case of Vincent W. Nash, trustee in bankruptcy for William H. Kirch, againt The J. D. Loizeaux Lumber Co. in favor of the lumber concern. This suit has been pending for the past eighteen months and involved a sum of nearly $1,400.

The suit was based upon a so-called preferential payment made to the defendant lumber company four months prior to the filing of the petition in bankruptcy by Kirch. Judge Cross' opinion makes plain some law on preferred payments. The fact that two amounts—$1,329 and $64.-79—were credited on the lumber company's books to the bankrupt so long before the bankruptcy proceedings were started does not of itself constitute a preferential payment. The money was credited on a contract entered into by the parties to the suit for the building of a house known as the Wilson house on Clinton avenue.

Judge Cross dismissed the case in favor of the lumber company with costs. Coddington and Swackhamer represented the lumber company and Judge William Newcorn appeared for Nash, trustee.

**Teacher Resigns.**

Miss Grace Per Lee, of the history department in the Plainfield High School, has resigned to take charge of the department of English in the State Normal School, at Cortland, N. Y. Miss Per Lee was graduated from that institution some years ago and since was graduated from Syracuse University. She has had some years of successful experience. The promotion was unsought. While she has been in Plainfield only this year, Miss Per Lee has made her value felt and her departure is regretted. Her class will be taken in charge of by Miss E. K. Cumming, whose former work in the school has been successful.

**Named as Commissioners of Deed.**

Governor J. Franklin Fort yesterday re-appointed Walter C. McNaughton Joseph T. Vail, Joseph P. W. Taylor, Frederick J. Huff and Harvey R. Linbarger, of this city, as commissioners of deed. John Robison and Dr. F. W. Westcott, of Fanwood, were also re-appointed. They will be confirmed by the Senate next Tuesday.

**Announce Engagement.**

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Emily Lawrence Winant, formerly of this city, but now of Clifton, to Carl Albert Steiner, of Jackson avenue, the borough.

## BISHOP FOR 35 YEARS

### Right Rev. Dr. John Scarborough's Consecration Anniversary.

FIFTY-TWO YEARS A PRIEST.

Ranks Third in House of Bishops—A Brief Sketch of an Interesting Life.

Almost seventy-nine years of age, the Right Rev. John Scarborough, bishop of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of New Jersey, has been fifty-two years in the priesthood and thirty-five years in the episcopacy. The thirty-fifth anniversary of his consecration falls today. He is the third oldest in point of service among the members of the American House of Bishops, including more than 100 prelates, of whom he is regarded as one of the most distinguished, and yet he insists each year that his anniversary shall be noticed only with the simplest of services, which he feels are in keeping with the simplicity of the life he has lived so long.

In accordance with the wishes of the bishop the people of his diocese have not arranged for any general observance of his anniversary, but his more immediate people, the members of Christ parish, Trenton, in which the episcopal residence is located, have insisted that they be allowed the privilege of commemorating in some way the elevation of one who has served so long, and services were held this morning in Christ church.

On the north coast of England, in Yorkshire, stands a bold headland jutting out into the sea. Here there still remains the ruins of a great castle, whose feudal lord took his name from the place. In the Saxon tongue "scar" means "rock" and "borough" a "stronghold." Hence came the name of the place and of the leading family there. The ancient keep was destroyed by Cromwell's men, but was afterward rebuilt, and is again a partial ruin. The branch of the family to which the fourth Bishop of New Jersey belongs liver near the town of the same name, Scarborough, close to the North Sea. Bishop Scarborough's father was in the Government service and was attached to the Treasury Department. His duties called him to Castlewellan, county Down, in the north of Ireland, and it was here that the present Bishop was born on April 21, 1831.

He came to this country when but 10 years old in charge of his two elder brothers to visit a sister who lived in Lansingbug, N. Y., and it was there and at Troy he received his early education. He later entered Trinity College, Hartford, from which institution he was graduated with high honors in 1854. Three years later he completed his course at the General Theological Seminary, New York, and on June 28, 1857, was ordained to the deconate in Trinity church, New York, and to the priesthood in St. Paul's church, Troy, on August 14, 1858, by Bishop Horatio Potter. His consecration to the Bishopic took place in St. Mary's church, Burlington, N. J., on February 2, 1875. In the nearly 100 years of the existence of the diocese of New Jersey there have been but four bishops— John Croes, 1815-1832; George W. Doane, 1832-1859; William Henry Odenhelmer, 1859-1876; John Scarborough, 1875-1910.

## UNCONSCIOUS IN STREET; RECOVERED IN HOSPITAL

Jefferson E. Williams, of 417 Lee place, an employe of the Pond Tool Works, who was found lying at the corner of Fourth street and Madison avenue last night by William Kirkwood and who was afterwards taken to the hospital in the patrol wagon, was reported to be improved this morning and quite conscious.

Mr. Williams said this morning that after leaving the shop last night he walked one block and after that his mind left him and he remembered nothing until he awoke in the hospital this morning. There is a small lump on the back of his head caused by striking the curb, but he is in no danger.

**Salvation Army Special Service.**

There will be a special service at the Salvation Army tomorrow evenng at 8 o'clock, conducted by Arjutant and Mrs. Jackson, of the ndustrial department. Special music, vocal and instrumental, will be one of the features of the service.

**Sesame Club Meeting.**

The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. John H. Doane, 423 East Seventh street.

## WEST END ENTERTAINMENT

### Heavenly Rest Young People Provide an Execptional Program.

DRAMATIC WORK A FEATURE.

Following the Various Numbers Dancing Was Enjoyed—Mrs. Charles Borden Managed the Affair.

Before an audience which tested the seating capacity of the parish huse the Young People's Society of the Church of the Heavenly Rest presented an entertainment last night which for genuine merit would be hard to beat here. The audience was composed of representative residents of the West End, and they shawed their appreciation by continued and hearty applause.

Mrs. Charles Borden, under whose direction the young people covered themselves with glory, was the recipient of complimentary remarks from the rector, Rev. Cortlandt H. Mallery, on the splendid success achieved by her charges. The dramatic work last night demonstrated beyond cavil that there are several young people in the society who have natural dramatic talent which under proper development will make names for themselves as high class entertainers.

The rehearsals for the entertainment were begun only three weeks ago, which shows the careful study and attenton given to Mrs. Borden's tutelage. It was a splendid performance from every point of view. Rev. Mr. Mallery in commenting on the efforts of the young people complimented them and their directress and extended the invitation for others to join the society. Several took advantage of the opportunity to apply for membership.

A prologue by Miss Sadie Wadhams was first on the program and was followed by violin selections by Miss Violetta Staples. A living presentation of "That Old Sweetheart of Mine," of which William Ochiltree was the central figure, was next given, the sweethearts being the Misses Anna Hull, Marion Harris, Lillian B. Nicholson, Julia A. Lee, Grace Graves, Helen Sutton, Violetta Staples, B. Laramour, Carrie Quipp and Blanche Thorn, who was "Mary the Bride."

Richard Borden gave a recitation, "1492;" Miss Anna Hall and Jack Hall gave a clever presentation of "Daddy Hague and Auntie Priggins;" David Sutton sang a comic song in costume, which was followed by a sketch, "How She Cured Him," by Lillian Nicholson, Grace Squires, and David Sutton. Miss Julia A. Lee gave a humorous reading, Miss Blanche Thorne and David Sutton, a sketch, "A Slight Misunderstanding." Miss Nicholson sang a solo and the program closed with an epilogue by Juan A. Babcock, Jr.

Dancing until 11 o'clock finished the evening's pleasure. Owing to the failure of the orchestra to appear the Misses Nicholson, Ethel Sleight, Jennie Bennett and Grace Squires volunteered at the piano.

### WOMEN HEAR ADDRESS ON MISSIONARY WORK.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, of the First Baptist church, havng for its winter study "The Gospel in Latin Lands," listened to a paper of unusual interest on the "West Coast of South America," presented by Mrs. Albert L. Kennelly at their meeting yesterday afternoon in the lecture room. In describing South America as our nearest continental neighbor, Mrs. Kennelly said the west coast was as different from the other parts, as if an ocean instead of the Andes divided them. The conquest of the country by Spain under Pizarro was described and the Romish religion brought by them at the point of the sword was contrasted as an inheritance with the religion brought to this country by the Pilgrim Fathers. South America's need and North America's ability to help proved an interesting part of Mrs. Kennelly's paper.

In conclusion she quoted from a recent address by Robert Speer on "Our Spiritual Obligations to Latin America." He made the startling statement that twenty men from the United States had put more money in a certain copper mine in South America than all the world had given in 100 years for the evangelization of South America.

The paper was preceded by a devotional service led by Mrs. S. T. Wilson.

**Summer Religious Conference.**

The Presbyterian Board of Young People Workers will hold its annual summer conference at Pocono Pines, Pa., in August, the conference starting on August 1. A number of Plainfielders will be in attendance.

## SALOONKEEPER CLAIMS HIS NAME WAS FORGED

Christian Gloecker, is anxious to secure the identity of the fellow who used his signature to a letter addressed to the Berry Detective Agency, New York, last December. Perhaps the person intended it as a joke, but Mr. Gloecker is having his troubles trying to explain to local lawyers that he is not responsible.

Last December when Mr. Gloecker was away on a hunting trip, the Berry Agency received a letter bearing Gloecker's signature. It was a request to the agency to send detectives out here to shadow Gloecker's saloon during the proprietor's absence.

The detectives came on and were one duty four days. Last month Gloecker received a bill from the agency for $40, representating a charge of ten dollars a day for services. Gloecker notified the agency that he did not know what the charge represented and declared that he had never asked the concern for assistance in the sleuthing line.

The detective people, however, had in their possession the letter bearing Gloecker's signature, and armed with this evidence they placed the matter in the hands of Harry C. Runyon, for collection. Gloecker declares he does not owe the bill nor did he write the letter to the Berry people, authorizing them to send detectives to his place of business while he was absent from the city.

## MRS. D. I. SMALLEY DIES AFTER YEAR'S ILLNESS

Following an illness of one year's duration, which developed into a case of Bright's disease, Mrs. Mary Smalley, of Craig place, passed away last evening. She was the widow of Daniel I. Smalley, a brother of Mayor Newton B. Smalley, who died eighteen years ago. Surviving her are a son, Dr. Edwin Smalley, and a sister, Mrs. Fred Bird, who also reside in the borough.

Mrs. Smalley was the daughter of the late John and Sarah Brady, of Orange. In 1875 she married and came to this city where she has since made her home. Prior to illness overtaking her, Mrs. Smalley was a trained nurse.

The funeral service will be held at her late home Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. In compliance with a request made by the deceased a short time before her death, the Rev. W. M. Newberry, of Brooklyn, will conduct the service.

## GEORGE M. COHAN'S "YANKEE PRINCE" HERE

Manager Sanderson of the Plainfield theatre announces George M. Cohan's musical comedy success, "The Yankee Prince," for one performance only, tonight. Tom Lewis, well known in this city for his impersonation of "The Unknown," in Mr. Cohan's "Little Johnny Jones," will head the cast of 75 singing and dancing stars. Those who remember genial Tom Lewis and those who don't have a rare treat in store for them.

Critics and theatre-goers throughout the country have pronounced Mr. Lewis's performance of Steve Daly in "The Yankee Prince" one that will live for years and years to come. The same big cast and production that was used during the New York, Boston and Chicago run of "The Yankee Prince" will be in evidence here.

**Sub. P. O. Station Opened.**

The first sub-station connected with the local postoffice was opened yesterday at James C. Field Jr.,'s stationery store on Park avenue, and has already been appreciated by the public. This station is for the purpose of selling stamps and postal cards, the registery of letters and issuing of money orders, and letters may be mailed there. No mail will be delivered from that station.

**New Buick Arrives.**

The 1910 Model 17 Buick was brought out from New York last evening by Mr. Bender, the local agent, and it certainly is a handsome car. It is one of the largest, most powerful cars on the road today, and the general opinion is that such a car as that at $1,750 is a wonderful proposition. ***

**William H. Kenyon.**

William H. Kenyon, who formerly lived here and left here about eight years ago, died recently at his home in San Jose, California, where he went for his health. No further particulars have been received concerning his death.

## CONVENT PLANS APPROVED

### New Structure for St. Mary's Parish to Be Finished by September First.

MUSIC AND DRAWING SCHOOL.

Father Bogan Plans to Use Old Washington School for the Church Societies.

Bishop O'Connor, of Newark, has approved plans for a convent to be erected at Liberty and West Sixth street, opposite St. Mary's church, and work on the structure will be started within a month. It is hoped to take possession of the new building by September 1. The plans were selected from a half dozen or more submitted by well-known architects, and those prepared by A. M. De Meuron, of New York, were considered the best. His work has attracted considerable attention throughout the country, especially the Dunwoodie Seminary, at Dunwoodie, N. Y., which he designed and which cost a half million dollars.

The building will have a frontage of fifty-five feet on Sixth street and sixty-five on Liberty street. It will be three stories and in addition there will be a chapel for the Sisters. It will have accommodations for fourteen teachers and it will be a combination of a music and drawing school and convent. It will be of the latest type of construction and be calculated to meet every need of such an institution. The building will be of pressed brick and white trimmings to conform to the other buildings in St. Mary's parish. Father B. M. Bogan, as pastor of St. Mary's church, will have general supervision of the construction work.

Father Bogan is also making plans to use the old Washington public school building, which was purchased by the parish, and which adjoins the church property. This will be used as a parish building for the nine societies connected with the church. There are six good sized rooms in the building. One will be given to the young women's societies, another to the older men as a reading room and library, another for a young men's club, while the balance will be used as lodge rooms and for various meetings.

In this way all the various parish interests can be cared for under one roof, and with every convenience for the comfort of the parishioners. It is also planned to improve the grounds about the building and make it as attractive as possible.

### TRADE BOARD PROGRAM FOR TOMORROW NIGHT.

The February meeting of the Board of Trade will be held tomorrow night, when President William Jeffery will be in the chair for the first time in his official capacity. The meeting promises to be a lively one, judging by the program.

In addition to the reports of committees and a discussion of plans for the coming year's work, there will be a talk by Mayor Charles J. Fisk on municipal affairs Mayor Newton B. Smalley, of North Plainfield, will speak on street widening and the membership committee will present outlines of plans for a vigorous campaign. There will also be presented a paper of exceptional interest concerning trolley conditions. Other matters of interest to the board members and citizens generally will be considered.

**Civil Service Examination.**

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that an examination for the positions of clerk or letter-carrier will be held at the local postoffice on February 26. No application will be accepted unless properly executed and filed prior to February 21. The age limit is 18 to 45 years, except in the case of persons honorably discharged from the military or naval service by reason of disability incurred in the line of duty. The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who comply with the requirements. W. B. Sharp at the local postoffice will give further information.

**Bache Goods in Storage.**

The household goods of Wallace P. Bache, formerly of East Ninth street, which were attached last week for debt, were placed in storage here today, awaiting a settlement of the various claims. Since last week a few additional attachments have been secured for small amounts.

**Golden Eagles Are Busy.**

Freedom Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagles, are growing rapidly in membership. Last night the first degree was conferred on six candidates. Past Chief jewels were presented to Frank Neidig and Frank Runyon, the presentation being made by Grand Chief Horace J. Martin.

## COUNTRY CLUB ELECTS

### Officers Chosen, Committees Named and Reports Read at Annual Meeting.

TOTAL MEMBERSHIP IS 761.

Income $18,995.90—Financial Condition Is Prosperous—Leighton Calkins Is Re-elected President.

The annual meeting of the Plainfield Country Club was held last night at the Hartridge School auditorium. Leighton Calkins was re-elected president for the coming year, and the following were elected to the other offices: Vice-president, Joseph M. Shellabarger; secretary, James P. Murray; treasurer, S. Durell Lounsbery. The nominating committee for 1911 consists of Clifton Wharton, Jr., George T. Rogers and Percy H. Stewart.

The treasurer's report showed a total income of $18,995.90 and expenditures of $18,662.83, showing an excess income of $333.07, for the first time in several years. In addition to the regular expenditures from income, the club retired last year $2,500 of its floating debt, leaving only a small floating debt of $500. The clubhouse extensions cost $5,-124.48, which together with the retirement of the floating debt was paid for by the sale of $7,000 of the new bonds.

Mr. Calkins in his report as president called special attention to the fact that the trustees had sold the $7,000 of bonds without making any general appeal to members to subscribe; and to the fact that nearly the entire floating debt had been paid off notwithstanding the fact that the addition to the clubhouse had cost $624.48 more than the original estimates and that it had been found necessary to expend about $814 for necessary repairs to the clubhouse foundations and sewage system. The total membership of the club is 761. The increase in income last year from membership and grounds' fees paid by visitors, was $2,007. The president stated that the club would be opened early in April, with John Hilton in charge again as superintendent and that a very active season was being planned both from the athletic and from the social standpoint. In his report he made particular mention of the efficient services of the chairman of the various committees during the past season.

After the club meeting, the trustees organized by appointing the following as chairmen of the standing committees for 1910:

House committee, George S. Clay; Green committee, R. S. Rowland; Golf committee, Willard Wadsworth; building and grounds committee, John P. Stevens; tennis committee, S. W. Merrihew.

The reports of the president, treasurer and committee chairmen will be distributed to the members in accordance with the custom inaugurated last year. From the showing made by the management last night, the club is in a better condition financially than at any period in its history, with its property in good repair and more valuable because of recent additions and improvements, and with every prospect of continued growth and enlargement.

## SENATOR GORE CAN'T TALK TO TRADE BOARD

The following letter received from United States Senator Thomas P Gore, by James E. Martine this morning explains itself:

"Mr. J. E. Martine.

"My Dear Sir:—I am pleased to acknowledge receipt of your favor of recent date and to thank you for the very kindly sentiments which it contained. You may feel sure that it would afford me great pleasure to visit your city and address your people if the pressure of official engagements did not render it impossible. I shall, however, indulge the hope that when the occasion shall again arise that I shall be in a situation to accept.

"You may feel sure that I remember you very distinctly and very kindly, and would be pleased to extend the acquaintance.

"With assurance of the highest esteem and best wishes, believe me,

"Very truly yours,

"T. F. GORE."

Senator Gore was asked to speak at the Board of Trade's annual banquet.

—The excellency in quality of the celebrated White Label Canned goods, sold by Neuman Brothers, has resulted in an increased trade for these products among local housewives.

## BROWN BADLY BUMPED

### Falls from Delivery Wagon at Fanwood and May Have Fractured Skull.

HIS COLLECTIONS ARE INTACT.

Taken to Muhlenberg Hospital Unconscious and Is Likely to Recover.

Clifford Brown, aged 22, of 65 Orchard street, Elizabeth, a driver for James A. Hearn & Son, of New York city, was picked up unconscious at the top of Fanwood hill last night just after dark. He was discovered lying on his back in the road by a driver for R. H. Macy & Co., who was delivering goods in Fanwood. Brown was suffering from contusions on the head and body and from the indications had fallen from his wagon while under the influence of liquor.

County Physician Westcott, who was immediately summoned, decided that Brown's injuries were of a serious character and notified the Plainfield police, who removed him in the patrol wagon to Muhlenberg Hospital. Dr. Woolley attended the injured man there and this morning would not discuss the case.

Brown is a son of Chas. A. Brown, owner of the Elizabeth Cab Co., on Jefferson street, that city. His father has been notified of the son's plight and will see him today at the hospital.

When Brown was removed to the hospital Marshal Logan, of Fanwood, took charge of the horse and wagon. All the money which had been collected by Brown, including $78 in bills, was found intact, so that the story of a holdup by highwaymen is absurd, according to the police. At the hospital last night it was said that Brown had concussion of the brain, but stood a good chance for recovery.

On regaining consciousness this morning Brown stated that he remembers nothing of what happened to him after delivering a package at the grocery of Scheelen Brothers in Fanwood. He has no idea that he was "held up" nor that anyone struck him. He simply fell from the wagon to the street. The exact seriousness of his injuries has not been determined yet. Later developments will show them.

### MRS. HANNAH R. FORCE, AGED 87 YEARS, DEAD.

Mrs. Hannah R. Force, widow of George W. Force, passed away yesterday morning at her home, 109 West Fourth street, after a long illness. Mrs. Force was eighty-seven years of age and was one of the oldest residents of this city, having resided here for about fifty years. Mrs. Force was a native of Rahway and lived for a long time on West Second street.

Six daughters and one son survive her, all of whom reside here. The daughters are Mrs. Augustus Van Deventer, Mrs. J. M. Burnett, Mrs. James Davis, Mrs. S. H. Whitney and the Misses Ida and Emma Force. The son is Benjamin R. Force. The funeral service will be private.

**Attractive Hardware Store.**

The H E Gayle Hardware Company has been making a number of changes n its store at Front street and Park avenue, which makes it more attractive than ever. Up-to-date show cases have been installed on the left of the store as you enter, affording an attractive display of the large line of hardware handled by the company. The cashiers' desk has been placed on the opposite side of the store, allowing more room for business purposes. The company is carrying an exceptionally large line of goods.

**"Education and Democracy."**

The Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield and North Plainfield will hold its next meeting Monday afternoon, February 28, at 3 'clock, with Miss Mary Willard, of 954 West Seventh street. The topic will be "Education and Democracy," an address by Prof. Francis Squire Potter, before the National Suffrage Conference at Seattle. This will be read by Mrs. Stephan Haff.

**Building a Fine Dwelling.**

The handsome new house which Charles R. Maltbie is erecting at Putnam and Kensington avenues, has been leased by. Frederick W. Yates, who will occupy it when completed. The house will be one of the most complete and modern in the city.

**Pythians Played Euchre.**

Crescent Company Uniformed Rank, Knights of Pythias, held its monthly meeting last night. Following the transaction of business the membes paticipated in a euchre competition for prizes.

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# AFTER INVENTORY SALE

On taking inventory we find in looking through the various departments, many lots that must be disposed of at once. This will be a clean-up from all departments as no goods will be carried over, so that all stocks will be entirely new and fresh for Spring.

## DRESS GOODS
## At Less Than Half Price

These Dress Goods, all lengths will be placed on "Centre Aisle" bargain tables, with lengths and price plainly marked. The lot consists of Broad Cloth, Serge, Cashmere, Cheviot, Panama, Voile, Checks, Plaids, Stripes and Fancy Materials.

## Silks at Less Than Half Price

The Silks, short and long lengths, will also be placed on Aisle Tables, and consist of plain and fancy Silks of all descriptions, from a waist length to a dress length. This sale should attract every lady in the city who appreciates a bargain.

## Wash and White Goods at Less Than Half Price

We have brought together an accumulation of short lengths from these departments which must be disposed of at once, in order that we may have room for the Spring stocks, which will begin to arrive in a short time.

**Bargains Await Everybody This Week**

## The Half Price Sale of
## Coat & Suit Samples
### Continues

This is an opportunity of rare importance. It means that you can buy a Suit or Coat at just half what it would ordinarily cost. The lot we purchased are manufacturers samples, and of course, they are always better made than the regular line, no two styles alike.

These Coats are mostly black, all sizes—satin lined—perfectly tailored—and are positive values up to 20.00

## Sale Price $9.98

All our Suits have been divided into 4 lots—and you can buy your choice at half regular value while they last.

**20.00 Suits for 10.00 | 30.00 Suits for 15.00**
**25.00 Suits for 12.50 | 35.00 Suits for 17.50**

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## Another Big Shipment of Coats Most Extraordinary Value Giving

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## CAPT. KIDD'S LOOT IS AGAIN FOUND

Somers' Point, a bay resort ten miles from Atlantic City, is wildly excited because it is believed that the fabled treasure of Captain Kidd, of buccaneer fame, has been found. The excitement is no less because of the fact that the supposed discoverers of the legendary loot are said to have made away with it. Old inhabitants, who really credit the belief that something of value has been discovered and made away with, think it possible that the treasure trove may have been plate and coin buried by residents of the ancient seaport when the British vessels, during Revolutionary wars, were off the coast here. The more romantic choose to believe that the alleged recovered treasure was really the Kidd deposit, which has been searched for during the past half century along this portion of the coast.

The supposed recoverers of the treasure are believed to have carted it away during the heavy storm of Saturday night last. They left as clues an old cave within a few hundred yards of the home of County Judge Higbee and hundreds of curious townsfolk spent yesterday and today around the spot.

The uncovered cave had been bricked up with walls over two feet in thickness, which show the greatest care in construction. The top is covered with slabs of red and stone of a quality unknown in this locality and believed to have been brought here along with the supposed treasure buried by Captain Kidd or others who sought its concealment. The bricks are a style similar to those known to have been brought here from England during colonial days, and both stone and brick are so old that they crumble to blows of picks now being used to discover the real extent of the cave.

So far as can be learned from the formal examination made today by Mayor John Campbell the cave is at least 150 years old. When the first discovery was made yesterday the signs left by the mysterious visitors showed that the cave had been opened and that the diggers had continued their work until they uncovered what is supposed to have been a chest or box, square and about six feet long by two feet wide. The box had been dragged to a wagon whose wheel marks were plainly visible, but trace of the vehicle was lost after it had taken to the main road leading to Pleasantville.

### UNIDENTIFED MAN IS DEAD FROM EXPOSURE.

Passaic, Feb. 2.—The body of an unidentified man, aged about forty-five years, was found frozen on a lonely bypath at Great Notch, near where the Newark pipe line crosses the Great Notch road, at 11 o'clock Monday night. A young man named John Zulach, accompanied by his sister and an aunt, who were taking the path as a short route for their home at Brookdale, made the discovery. The party made their way to the Great Notch Hotel, from where a telephone message was sent to Chief of Police Coughlin, of Acquakanonck Township, who arrived at the scene shortly before County Physician Armstronk.

The body lay near the small brook, about 800 feet along the path from the Great Notch road. Judging from appearances the man was intoxicated when he attempted to cross the brook, over which were placed two railroad ties, which served as a bridge. He probably fell and sustained some injury, as there was a slight abrasion on his forehead. The man apparently crawled a short distance and then lay down to die of exposure. Two pint bottles of whiskey were found nearby. There were no labels on the bottles and the man's clothing was frozen so solidly that the officers wereunable to investigate the contents of the pockets. The man had a slight sandy mustache, was about five feet four inches tall, weighed about 156 pounds and wore the clothing of a laboring man. The body is at Lucas' undertaking establishing in this place.

### BOY MANGLED BY TRAIN.

Perth Amboy, Feb. 2.—Joseph Golita, aged nine years, was run over and frightfully mangled Monday at Keasbey, a suburb of Perth Amboy, by a clay train of three cars and an engine. The accident happened when the clay train passed under an arch over which a Lehigh Valley train was moving at the time.

The boy was gazing upward, watching the train passing overhead, and did not see the clay train until it struck him. The engine of the latter was pushing three cars, and the engineer, Edward Smith, of this city, could not see the boy until it was too late to avoid hitting him. The entire train passed over young Golita, and then Smith and the rest of the crew found him still conscious. One leg was so mangled that amputation will be necessary, but the boy probably will recover. Less than a week ago Golita was coasting down hill and he went overboard in a clay pit filled with water and was rescued with difficulty.

The Junior Mission Band of the First Baptist church, will give an entertainment and conduct a sale at the church Saturday afternoon.

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### SOMERVILLE.

Miss Annie Titus, who died suddenly Saturday, was buried from the A. M. E. Zion church yesterday afternon. Deceased was the wife of Zacharias Titus, and daughter of the late Dinah Rogers. Besides her husband, she leaves several children. Interment was in the Somerville cemetery.

The Monday Evening Club was entertained Monday evening by Dr. and Mrs. Ely at their home on West High street. The vice-president, Miss Bascom, presided in the absence of the president, C. H. Batman, who was in Trenton. The paper was read by Henry Mason.

Miss Ruth Weldon, of the State Normal Schol at Trenton, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Weldon, on West Cliff street.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius A. Whiteneck returned on Saturday to their home on High street, after spending six weeks in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard W. Whitney, of Pen Argyl, Pa., spent Sunday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Smith, on West High street.

The Century Club met in the Methodist chapel last evening. A literary program of interest was rendered.

Mrs. C. W. Dickinson, of Newark, is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. C. H. Batman, on West Cliff street.

Mrs. William Chapman, of Nyack, is a guest of her sisters, the Misses Loomis, on West Main street.

Miss Pearl A. Speace, who spent last week in Harrisburg, returned to Somerville yesterday.

Dr. Freeman, of Philadelphia, is a guest of Mrs. Gaston, on West High street.

### WESTFIELD.

Westfield Council has been given to understand that when the present contract with the Public Service Corporation for street lighting expires, the contract will not be renewed at the present price of $18 per light per year. An incandescent gasoline light was installed on North avenue last night as an experiment and to test the quality of the light.

James W. Fink, George H. Dickerson and George Perry were drawn yesterday from Westfield to serve on the petit jury commencing next week.

Westfield contractors have been notified by the unions that after the first of May the union scale for masons will be sixty cents an hour.

The choir of Westfield Presbyterian church will give their adjourned concert Thursday evening at the lecture-room.

Hook-and-ladder Company No. 1 will hold a meeting this evening at the department headquarters.

### BILL FOR ELIZABETH.

**Aims to Relieve City of Excise Jurisdiction.**

Trenton, Feb. 2.—With a view to the possible contingency that the courts may upset the law passed last winter by which Elizabeth elected an excise commission last fall, Assemblyman Schwartz Monday night introduced a bill proposing to repeal sections 3, 4, 5 and 6 of the act creating the charter of the city of Elizabeth, which was adopted March 3, 1863.

If this repealer becomes a law it will have the effect of removing excise affairs from the control of the municipal administration in Elizabeth in event of the elective commission law being declared unconstitutional. In such a circumstance the licensing of saloons in Elizabeth would be done under the general State law, which puts the power in the hands of the county court. The repealer applies only to the city charter of Elizabeth.

Mr. Schwartz also introduced a bill providing that if at any primary any person is nominated as a candidate for office, who, before the holding of the primary, had not filed a certificate consenting to stand as a candidate, his name shall not be printed on the official ballot until he shall file in the office of the county clerk a certificate stating that he is qualified for the office and accepts such nomination.

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Spring goods are arriving daily—we need the space taken up by these remnants—so out they MUST go. Prices are cut to just about half usual value.

**We couldn't possibly tell you ALL about the splendid money saving opportunities of the Sale here —variety of goods on sale is so extensive only a visit to the store can acquaint you with the values. But—we say this—you may come prepared to share in the best Remnant values Tepper's have ever offered. Sale began when the doors opened—Tuesday morning.**

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## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms, apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—Two horses, closed carriage and phaeton, all together or separate. 147 East Sixth street, stable. 1 31 3

FOR SALE—Story and Clark Piano Co. coupon worth $86, will sell at a bargain, Address Coupon, care Press. 1 29 6

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue, rooms en suite with bath, also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

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FURNISHED rooms light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near center of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

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AN APARTMENT of four rooms and bath, in first-class boarding house to let from Feb. 15. Address N. M., care Press. 1 31 6

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail. tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 31 6

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—To rent on or before March 1, small house; moderate price. Address Moderate, care Press. 1 31 3

## Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

SHIRT waists and children's clothing made at very reasonable prices. Mrs. Perrine, 136 North avenue. 1 31 3

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

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WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

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THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. tf

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# A Man With $6.98 to Spare

## Can Buy Any of Our $10 to $15

# Suits and Overcoats

We thought we would sell as many of these Suits and Overcoats as we wanted to clear out last Saturday but you know how bad the weather was and it put something of a crimp in business, and that is why we are making another proposition to you this week to clear out all our $10 to $15 Suits and Overcoats.

For three days you can pick from suits of fancy worsted, cheviot, cassimere and velour that will give you excellent service throughout the remainder of the season, and overcoats of dependable cheviots and fancy mixtures, including the Hahne & Co. Two-in-One Coat (none of them have been regularly marked less than $10, many of them have been $15) at the one price, Thursday, Friday and Saturday ..... **$6.98**

## For the Boys---$3.50 to $5 Reefers $2.50

Reefers of All Wool Chinchilla, Kersey, Cheviot and mixtures; some with fur collars, others with velvet collars, all of this season's production, all taken from our regular stock; natty juvenils styles; not all sizes in every style, but sizes for boys of 2½ to 7 in the lot; none sold regularly under $3.50; others worth to $5; all to go, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, for only ..... **$2.50**

Second Floor.

## Sale of

# Hosiery and Underwear

## A 3-Day Event of Gigantic Proportions

**This is our Annual February Sale of High Grade Stockings, which involves thousands of pairs for men and women—all of high quality, all remarkably low priced.**

Despite the decided advances in the cost of hosiery we bring to you this year better stockings and half hose than ever before at prices we do not hope to duplicate hereafter. The lots are immense, the character of the hosiery most pleasing. The writer has looked thru the lots and finds many beautiful colorings and combinations, fancy patterns, and dainty clockings and embroidered effects. The styles are all new and there is every wanted size; handsomer nor better hosiery has not been brought across the water at anything like as low a price.

**The underwear** is the product of the **Norfolk and New Brunswick Hosiery Co.,** well known thruout the land for the excellence of their knit underwear. The lots we offer are the "mill seconds," but as these mills produce only the highest class garments they are hypercritical in their inspection, and any garment with the slightest fault, even tho it may be only in the ornamental stitching or a tiny oil spot from the machines—any garment that cannot be said to be strictly perfect, is not permitted to leave the mill with their regular shipping. Many another mill would pass almost any of these so-called "seconds" as perfect. You may examine them very closely without finding anything, and surely nothing will loom up in the wearing that will be detrimental, and just because of these slight imperfections you can buy these well-night perfect garments of the highest class for about two-thirds their value during this **3 days' sale.**

# The Stockings

**Group 1—Women's High Grade Imported Stockings**—lisles and cottons; plain and lace effects; embroidered insteps, fancy designs—blacks, tans and fancy colors; 35c to 50c kinds for only ..... **.25**

**Group 2—Women's High Grade Imported Stockings**—lisles and cottons; plain and embroidered insteps; regular selling price 50c to 89c, for only ..... **.35**

**Group 3—Women's High Grade Imported Stockings** of lisle with embroidered insteps in richest designs; regular $1.25 grades; in this sale at only ..... **.69**

**Group 4—Men's Fancy Half Hose** of lisle and cotton; black and fancy colorings; thousands of pairs, all standard 25c grades, for only ..... **.17**

**Group 5—Men's Imported Socks** of fine lisles and cottons; solid blacks and colors; plain and embroidered insteps; a large variety to choose from; some worth 35c a pair; most of them of the regular 50c grades; to be sold at only ..... **.25**

**Group 6—Men's High Grade Socks**—novelty effects; exclusive designs—a truly grand collection to choose from; never sold less than 50c; many of them worth 75c; all to go at ..... **.35**

# The Underwear

**Group 1—Women's White Half Wool Medium Weight Vests and Drawers**; plain weaves; also White Ribbed Wool Vests and Pants; dependable garments; perfect in shape; will fit like a glove; standard $1.25 grades; in this 3 days' sale for only ..... **.75**

**Group 2—Women's White Two-Thirds Wool Vests and Pants**—splendid garments, such as almost any woman will prize, despite their slight imperfections; undergarments that are retailed all over the country at $2; bought so we could place them in this sale at only ..... **$1.35**

**Group 3—Men's Medium Weight Half Wool Shirts and Drawers**—whites and grays in the lot; a goodly variety of sizes; well-nigh perfect garments—kinds that are universally sold at $1.25 each; priced for this event ..... **.75**

**Group 4—Men's Heavy-weight White Wool Shirts and Drawers** of most dependable quality; splendid fitting garments; good weight for immediate wear; reg. $1.75 grades, to be sold for only **$1.15**

**See the great window display.**

**Selling starts tomorrow at 8:30.**

Do not try to order by mail or 'phone. It will pay you to see and select for yourself. Main Floor.

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## Broad, New and Halsey Streets, Newark, N. J.


### Priest Leaves Rahway.

The Rev. George L. Brown, who has since 1905 been rector of St. Mary's church in Rahway, was yesterday named as pastor of the Roman Catholic church of the Assumption in Morristown. He succeeds the Very Rev. Dean Flynn, who died January 4. The appointment by the bishop will be confirmed by the synodal examiners of the Newark diocese.

### Tax Appeal Dismissed.

The appeal of the Royal Manufacturing Company, of Rahway, for a reduction of $8,000 in the assessment on its personal property, was dismissed when the case was heard before the County Board for the Equalization of Taxes, in the Courthouse at Elizabeth yesterday morning. The Rahway concern was assessed at $10,000 and asked for a reduction to $2,000. Tennan & Haight, of Jersey City, were counsel for the company, Francis V. Dobbins, city attorney of Rahway, appearing for that city. It was rumored that should the appeal be denied the case would be taken to the State Board. Mr. Haight said, however, that he would abide by the decision of the county body.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## GOLF.

Early indications would make it seem reasonably certain that nearby clubs are going to get more than their share of the golfing plums during the coming season. Already the Woman's Metropolitan Golf Association has spoken in favor of Montclair for its championship, so there is little doubt that the executive committee will act accordingly. So far as the men's metropolitan is concerned, it is the general belief that Morris county will get the preference over Midland and Fox Hills, the other applicants. Then there is the annual tournament of the New Jersey State Golf Association, which seems destined to go to the Essex County Country Club. It is worthy of mention that the West Orange organization ran off the first State tournament back in 1900.

A well-known golfer, while referring to the renewal of harmonious relations between the U. S. G. A. and the Western disturbers, remarked to the writer in the following vein:

"It looks as if there would be no American Golf Association, but that the United States Golf Association was 'it' at last. I certainly hope so. Leighton Calkins, of Plainfield, comes out of this deal as the big man, and it must make those who were responsible for his removal from the executive board a year ago feel sore."

There is a point in the new constitution of the United States Golf Association that aims a blow at the hotel and public courses, so far as becoming active members is concerned. To be eligible, clubs must be able to show that they pay regularly toward the upkeep of their links. It is scarcely likely, however, that the New York Golf Club, which makes its headquarters at Van Cortlandt Park, would care to become a voting member.

The Country Club of Augusta, where Dave Ogilvie, the Morris county "pro," is located for the winter, has issued an attractive competitive schedule which will keep visitors busy till the end of March. On February 18 and 19 contests will be run off that will probably attract professionals as well as amateurs. On the first day the two classes will get together in foursomes, and on the next day will take part in a thirty-six-hole medal play event.

The latest association to spring into existence is the Arizona Golf Association. It is composed of clubs at Douglas, Phoenix, Bisbee and Tuscan, Ariz., and El Paso, Tex. Its first championship will be played at the Douglas Country Club.

The French open championship is to be held over the links at La Boulie on May 30 and 31. This is a favorite resort for visiting Americans each year.

### EQUITY JURISTS IN ROBES.

Trenton, Feb. 1.—With the opening of the February term of the Court of Chancery yesterday, Chancellor Pitney and the seven vice-chancellors took their places upon the bench wearing judicial robes similar to those adopted some years ago by the Supreme Court and the Court of Errors and Appeal. Hereafter the robes will be worn by the chancellor and vice-chancellors when sitting in charmbers or elsewhere as well as during the regular term of the court.

There were thirty-one cases on the calendar, and after the preliminary call these were assigned between the eight members of the court, who were distributed throughout the State house wherever accommodations could be found.

### GLOOMY FOR OCEAN GROVE.

**Predicted That Borough Bill Will Not Be Presented.**

The Ocean Grove Borough Association, organized to fight for the incorporation of Ocean Grove as a borough, flooded the Legislature with literature last night at Trenton replying to the contentions of the Ocean Grove Campmeeting Association, which last year defeated the borough bill.

Because Ocean Grove went Democratic last fall on the borough issue, Monmouth County's Assemblymen are not inclined to introduce the borough bill again. It is predicted, in fact, that the measure will not be presented.

### New Depot for Resort.

Work at Asbury Park on the new main station of the New York and Long Branch Railroad, according to the company officials, is to start early next fall. Engineers are now engaged in making a survey for the elevation of the tracks for several blocks on either side of the station.

### Found Dead From Exposure.

Bayonne, Feb. 2.—Wren Frederick Daly went into a stable on East Ninteenth street Sunday to feed his horses he stumbled over the body of Bornack Muskows, a homeless cripple. Muskows had crept into the stable late Saturday night for shelter and died from exposure.

F. C. Eakeley, of Newark, was the guest of friends in Plainfield yesterday.

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## Feb. 2 In American History.

1651—Sir William Phipps, famous as governor of Massachusetts, born; died 1695.

1848—Treaty of peace between the United States and Mexico signed at Guadalupe; end of Mexican war.

1894—The famous war corvet Kearsarge, which vanquished the Confederate cruiser Alabama in 1864, wrecked during a storm in the Caribbean sea.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:15, rises 7:03; moon rises 1:31 a. m.

Plainfield, N. J., February 2, 1910.

# HARRISON WOMAN IS TERRIBLY BURNED

Missing the light in the kitchen window which had been a signal for him for nearly a score of years on his return home evenings from work, Peter Egan, Jr., of 101 North Second street, Harrison, hurried into his house last night and found his mother prostrate on the floor badly burned, with her clothes still smoldering.

Egan threw two pans of water on the burning clothes and managed to revive his mother. He carried her to her room. She again lapsed into an unconscious state, and Egan searched the neighborhood for a physician.

He finally found Dr. M. O'F. Dolphin, who hurried to the house. It was then 6:15, and the doctor immediately ordered that the victim be taken to a hospital. Mrs. Egan, who was then conscious, refused and fought the police and physician.

Dr. A. A. Mulligan arrived an hour later, and came to the same decision as Dr. Dolphin. Again Mrs. Egan insisted that she would not leave the house, and after a consultation it was decided to place the aged woman under an anaesthetic, although her condition was severe, as she was badly burned. This was done, and shortly before 8 o'clock the woman was taken to St. Michael's Hospital.

The woman had a sum of money in her waist, for the corners of bills of various denominations were found about the floor. The Rev. Father Glennon, an assistant at the Church of the Holy Cross, administered the last rites of the church to the victim.

How the woman was burned is a mystery. The fire in the kitchen stove was about out and a pan containing four potatoes which were not peeled was on it. The lamp was not lighted, but the globe was off. It is the belief of the police that in striking the match to light the lamp Mrs. Egan set fire to her clothing.

Young Egan is employed in the International Steel Pump Works. The elder Egan is employed in Newark, and his work keeps him there until the end of te week. Soon after being notified by his son he went direct to the hospital and remained by the bedside of his wife.

**Officeholders Must Quit.**

At the Rahway Common Council meeting last night resolutions were passed instructing the city clerk to notify all holdovers in office to turn over the same at once to their successors. Miss Annie Hoblitzel was appointed general assistant in the receiver of taxes office at a salary of $540 per year.

—Mrs. J. B. Probasco has removed from Seventh street and Park avenue, to 29 Washington avenue. Her telephone number is 307-L.


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**Galvanized Iron Ware**

ASH CANS, full size, with drop handles; reg. $1.48, for 85c.

FOOT TUBS, oval shape, reg. 59c, for 35c.

WATER PAILS, reg. 35c, 30c, 25c and 20c, for 29c, 25c, 19c and 15c.

WASH TUBS, reg. price 89c, 79c, 69c, 59c, for 75c, 65c, 55c, and 45c.

COVERED GARBAGE CANS, reg. price $1.25, 98c, 89c, 78c and 59c, for $1.00, 85c, 75c, 65c and 49c.

OIL CANS, 5, 2 and 1 gallon sizes; reg. price 69c, 35c and 25c, for 48c, 26c and 17c.

WASH BOILERS, oval shape, Nos. 9 and 8 size; reg. $1.10 and 98c, for 79c and 69c.

COVERED CHAMBER PAILS, large and medium sizes; reg. 45c and 39c, for 35c and 29c.

COAL HODS, reg. family size; reg. 35c, for 24c.

WILLOW CLOTHES BASKETS; reg. price 98c, 89c, 78c and 59c, for 79c, 69c, 59c and 49c.

FANCY SCRAP BASKETS, all colors and shapes; values to 69c, for 35c.

FLOOR MOPS, the "Cotton King," 20, 16 and 12-lb. sizes; usually 49c, 39c and 29c, for 37c, 29c and 23c.

DINNER SETS, white and gold, best American porcelain, 100 pieces; reg. $14.98, for $10.98.

HAVILAND'S DINNER SETS, 100 pieces, French china, 3 neat floral decorations, made to sell for $60.00, a set for $29.50.

TABLE TUMBLERS, thin lead blown glass, etched, banded and plain; reg. per doz. 75c, 65c and 55c, for 59c, 49c and 39c.

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FIBRE WATER PAILS, the best quality; usually 35c, for 25c.

LARGE KITCHEN KNIVES, made by Landers, Frary & Clark; reg. price 39c, for 25c.

FURNITURE POLISH, "The Universal," ½-pint bottles; usually 25c, for 18c.

ADRO METAL POLISH, none better; large 25c can for 19c.

SAUCEPANS, heavy block tin, 4-qt. size; reg. 69c, for 25c.

BREAD MAKERS, the "Eclipse" makes bread in 3 minutes; usually $2.00, for $1.69.

CLOTHES LINES, the waterproof kind, 100 and 50 ft. lengths; reg. 50c and 25c, for 39c and 19c.

PARLOR LAMPS, beautiful opal base and 10-inch dome, shade to match, round burners; usually $1.98, for $1.39.

NICKEL LAMPS, splendid for sewing or reading, round burner, all complete with white dome shade; reg. $1.50, for 98c.

TEA KETTLES, solid copper, nickel plated, 7, 8 and 9 sizes; reg. 98c, $1.10 and $1.25, for 78c, 89c, 98c.

FAMILY SCALES, will weigh 24 pounds by ounces; reg. $1.19, for 89c.

TOILET PAPER, full 1,000 sheets, roll or package; reg. 10c size, 4 for 25c.

SHAM HOLDERS, the adjustable kind; reg. 25c, for 16c.

CURTAIN STRETCHERS, the "No Sag" kind; usually $1.10 per set, for 78c.

UMBRELLA STANDS, Japanned and decorated; reg. 69c, for 39c.

WATER PAILS, "Stransky" white enameled ware; reg. 98c, for 48c.

TOILET JARS, "Stransky" white enameled ware; reg. $1.25, for 98c.

ALARM CLOCKS, "Waterbury" make, with patent shut off; reg. $1.00 clock, for 69c.

SALAD BOWLS, best Austrian china; values up to $1.25, for 69c.

**Grey Steel Enamel Ware**

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CARPET SWEEPERS, the "Bissell", standard make, a bargain at $2.00, for $1.69.

BREAD BOXES, Japanned and stenciled; usually 79c, 69c and 59c, for 65c, 55c and 45c.

FLOUR BOXES, 18-lb. size; reg. price 39c, for 28c.

SUGAR BOXES, 25-lb. size; reg. price 39c, for 28c.

DUST PANS, covered and uncovered, full size; reg. 10c and 8c, for 7c and 5c.

COAL SHOVELS, with long handles; a good 10c one for 7c.

WHITE SLOP JARS, with cover and side handles; 69c value, for 48c.

EGG BEATERS, genuine Dover make; usually 10c, for 7c.

DINNER SETS, best American decorated porcelain, 100 pieces; reg. $9.98, for $7.50.

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# ROMAN CATHOLICS NUMBER 14,347,027

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 2.—There are 22,587,079 Roman Catholics under the flag of the United States, according to advance sheets of the official Catholic Directory, published in Milwaukee. The count includes the Roman Catholics of the United States proper, Alaska, the Philippines, Porto Rico, and the Hawaiian Islands. The Roman Catholic population under the Britisa flag, according to the same directory, is 12,053,418.

In the United States proper there are 14,347,027 Catholcs, showing a are 14,3347,027 Roman Catholics, showing a gain of 111,576 over a yera ago. The directory shows 4,845 parochial schools in the United States, with an attendance of 1,237,251.

The Roman Catholic population of New York is 2,722,649; that of Pennsylvania 1,494,760; and Illinois drops from second to third place with 1,443,752. Massachusetts is next with 1,373,772.

**REV. G. F. BROWN PLANS FOR HIS NEW DUTIES.**

Rahway, Feb. 2.—Rev. George F. Brown went to Morristown yesterday to arrange for assuming his new duties there. He succeeds the late Monsignor Flynn as rector of the Church of the Assumption. Father Brown came here about five years ago. He soon won his way to the affections of all denominations and peoples. Barry Post, G. A. R., esteem his as a personal friend, as do the other societies in town. Under his management a magnificent school has been brought to the front at St. Mary's, a fine building having been erected through Father Brown's efforts.

Mrs. J. A. Chambliss, of Central avenue, has returned from her visit in the South.


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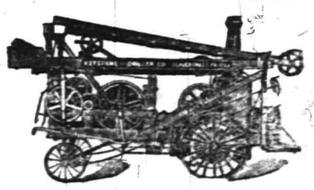

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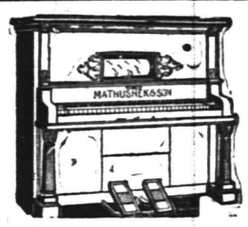

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# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

## DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The borough board of health will in all probability have its attention called to conditions prevailing in several boarding houses in the western section of the borough at their next meeting. It is reported that sanitary conditions, not to say anything of the moral aspect of the affair, are far from being in harmony with the health ordinances. The houses referred to are inhabited by the foreign element, mostly Poles and Slavs. In one of the houses it is claimed that four families are inhabiting a single room. The conditions have been known for some time past, but for some reason the proper authorities have not interested themselves in the matter.

Edward Heslich's new dwelling on Dunellen avenue will be in readiness to receive the owner and his bride, Miss Grace Predmore, when they return from their honeymoon at Old Point Comfort. The wedding will be solemnized in the Church of the Holy Communion, Sixth avenue and West Twentieth street, at seven o'clock this evening. It will be followed by a reception at Miss Predmore's aunt's home on West Eighteenth street. Fifty guests are invited.

Father Dunphy conducted a service appropriate to the Candlemas celebration in St. John's church this morning.

Miss Mabel Cole has been entertaining out of twon friends for a few days.

## PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The fourth of the series of winter dances being given by the Bachelors' Club was held last night in the hall. The affair was one of the most enjoyable yet held and was attended by many guests from Plainfield and Westfield. The dancng floor was filled from 8:30 until 1.30 with merry dancers enjoying the two step and waltz as dispensed by Suhr's orchestra. This will be the last of the club's dances until after Lent.

A big building boom s promised in the spring. Several pieces of property are to be opened up and houses renting from $15 to $20 per month are to be erected.

Mrs. Frank Hosinger, who has been quite ill at her home on Park avenue, is reported as improving.

Mrs. Benjamin Clark, of Prospect avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives in Newark.

Fanwood B. and E. Co. holds its regular monthly meeting tonight in the company's rooms.

Miss Rita DeMott, our assistant postmistress, has been visiting relatives at Gladstown.

Mrs. William Deegan, of Front stret, has been entertaining friends from out of town.

Mrs. Thomas Walsh, of Prospect street, has been visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

George Pace and family expect to move to Somerville on the first of March.

Mrs. George Pace visited relatives in Plainfield yesterday afternoon.

John Miller visited his grandmother in North Plainfield.

William Hamilton was in Newark yesterday on business.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Richard Carle, who was so well received here last season, will return to the Plainfield theatre Saturday, matinee and night, with "Mary's Lamb." This has proved the longest-lived and most successful of all the tall comedian's musical comedies. Mr. Carle will once more gambol as Leander Lamb, the hen-pecked husband of Mary Miranda Lamb, who gets into so many difficulties because he insists upon flirting with a charming actress. His company remains largely as it was last season, his principals including Julia Ralph, Adele Rafter, Violet Seaton, Rita Stanwood, Marion Dean, Sylvania Langlois, George Bogues, Abbott Adams, Joseph Coffman and others. His chorus, as always, is large, active and attractive, the many young women appearing as cowgirls, Dutch girls, grisettes, models, shadowgraphs, soldier girls, athletic girls and in various other guises, and wearing gowns of many fashions and hues.

### Board of Trade to Meet.

The February meeting of the Board of Trade will be held tomorrow night, when considerable business will be taken up. There will also be a report of the banquet committee, of which Edmund Rushmore is the chairman. The banquet will be held Thursday night, March 3, and among the speakers expected is William G. McAdoo.

### Suffered a Slight Stroke.

Mrs. Delia Sheridan, of 426 West Second street, an aged woman, who has been under treatment at Muhlenberg Hospital for the past three weeks suffered a slight stroke f apoplexy last night, but today she was reported as being slightly improved.

# MONS. CANET TELLS OF M'ALL MISSIONS

Interesting reports were received at the meeting of the Plainfield branch of the McAll Auxiliary, this morning, from Mons. Canet, the auxiliary's missionary at Limoges, France, in which he told of the happiness afforded the children through the $50 sent to him at Christmas time. This was used for the Christmas entertainment.

Although the members have not as yet received any direct information, they feel sure that the recent floods in Paris must have caused great suffering among the members of the McAll Mission, and in consequence they are more anxious than ever to send as much money as possible to their mission station this year. The local auxiliary ususally sends about $1,000 to Limoges.

In the absence of Mrs. F. G. Mead, this morning, Mrs. John Gray Foster presided.

## PERSONAL.

Miss Jessie Reynolds, of Church stret, is detained at home by illness.

Miss Humphrey, the trained nurse, has recovered from a recent illness.

F. G. Rathbun, of Oneonta, N. Y., has been spending a few days here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vail, of Brooklyn, have returned home after a visit with friends here.

Charles Staats, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting here for the past two weeks, has returned home.

Rev. and Mrs. J. O. McKelvey, of Grandview avenue, have returned from a sojourn at Atlantic City.

Mrs. H. C. Krebs, of 23 Fairview avenue, has been called to Hazleton, Pa., by the death of her father, which occurred yesterday morning.

## EUGENE FIELD, JR., SUED FOR DIVORCE.

Chicago, Feb. 2.—The last chapter of "The Romance of Cocoanut Grove," the honeymoon of Eugene Field, Jr., son of the poet, and his bride, forerly Mrs. Elinor Brooks, which was spent in the African jungles, is expected to be written today in the divorce court. Mrs. Field has filed suit for divorce and her husband is not expected to contest it.

Mrs. Field charges that her spouse would lie abed all night reading romantic literature and then sleep part of the next day and that his literary temperament made it impossible for them to live happily.

The Fields were married in New Orleans five years ago after a love-at-first-sight attack. The couple decided to spend their honeymoon in a cocoanut jungle and hastened to Africa. While waiting the growth of the cocoanut grove the Fields returned to Chicago, where the husband dabbled in literary work.

### Gifts for Library.

At a meeting of the board of directors of the Plainfield Public Library and Reading Room last night thanks were extended to Mrs. Rufus Lincoln, of West Eighth street, for her valuable gift to the library of a copy of John Sargent's painting in the Boston Public Library, entitled "The Trinity," and also to Dr. A. E. M. Purdy for his gift of medical books and pamphlet cases.

### Thank Andrew McC. Parker.

The P. H. S. Athletic Association met yesterday and nominated boys to be voted on at recess on Monday. The person elected will succeed Harry VanZandt, who resigned from the board. Resolutions were also passed thanking Andrew McClean Parker for his interest in the high school and in providing an athletic field for the city.

### "Prophets and Pensioners."

Rev. Dr. T. H. Baragwanath, pastor of the Washington Square M. E. church, New York, will make the address at the Epworth League rally to be held at the First M. E. church tomorrow night. Hs subject will be "Prophets and Pensioners." The public is invited.

### Mundy Property Sold.

Charles L. Moffett, representing the Embury estate owners, has sold what was known as the Mundy property at 417 East Fifth street, to Louis Fay, of this city. Walter Mundy, formerly occupied the property.

### Will Play Rutgers Prep.

Manager Woodhull, of P. H. S. football team, has arranged a game with Rutgers Prep, to be played here on election day. In view of this the high school will not play the alumni as usual on that day.

### P. H. S. vs. Leals.

The P. H. S. basketball team will play Leal's team Friday afternoon at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium. This is the second game between these teams this winter and P. H. S. is counting on a vetory.

The Men's Club of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will meet at the Hartridge School auditorium Tuesday night, February 8, for bowling.

—The February issue of the Oracle, the P. H. S. paper, made its appearance today.

—The mid-year examinations which have been on this week at the P. H. S. will be concluded tomorrow.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The regular communion service will be held at the Temple Baptist church on Sunday morning.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Temple Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Preparatory services will be held at Warren chapel tonight at 8 o'clock and the Lord's service Sunday morning at 10:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Epworth House

The Rev. G. Campbell Morgan, the well known London preacher, has declined the pastorate of the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church of New York.

The Junior Epworth League, of the First M. E. church, will meet in Vincent chapel, Friday afternoon, in charge of Miss May Randolph. There will be an attractive program.

Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor of the Temple Baptist church, will continue his series of talks at the church tonight on "What Baptists Believe." The theme for tonight will be "What Baptists Believe About God."

The Sunday-school of the First Baptist church has adopted a roll of honor system to increase and maintain regular attendance. Handsome pins will be given for various percentages in attendance, and as a member improves he or she will receive a more attractive pin, which may be kept.

## HERE AND THERE.

Through an erroneous statement recently published in another paper, some people have gained the impression that rural free delivery carriers are not permited to accept money for postage on their routes. Rural carriers must accept money for postage, but are also ordered to carry stamps for sale. In other words they are classed as traveling post-offices. The only thing objected to by the government is that of persons dropping loose change in a mail box. It is required that the coins be wrapped in a small piece of paper. In some instances mail boxes are provided with a small receptacle inside for the dropping of coins. When money is dropped in lose in the ordinary boxes it is often difficult for the carrier to see it and there have been instances where water has got into the boxes, causing the coin to freeze fast. For this reason it is requested that money be wrapped in paper.

Miss Carrie Smith, of Trenton, has returned home after a visit with friends here.


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## DIED

SMALLEY—On Tuesday, February 1, 1910, Mary E., widow of Daniel I. Smalley.

Funeral services at her late residence, 39 Craig place, North Plainfield, on Friday, February 4, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. 2 2 2

FORCE—Entered into rest February 1, 1910, in the 86th year of her age, Hannah R., wife of the late George W. Force.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

### Help Wanted—Female.

COOKS, waitresses and general maids wanted at Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 2 1 12

WANTED—Young girl to care for child. Apply 322 Clinton avenue. 1 31 3

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call 21 Myrtle avenue. 1 31 3

GIRL wanted for general housework. 414 West Eighth St. 2 1 3

WANTED—First-class cook and laundress. 964 West Seventh street. 2 1 tf

WANTED—Nurse for baby ten months old; must be neat and have good reference. 1025 Madison avenue.

WANTED—Colored nurse maid. 1220 Park avenue. 2 2 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

GERMAN girl wants place as cook; no laundry; best of Plainfield references; also respectable colored girl wants place at general housework; no laundry; three years' Plainfield reference. Call Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 2 1 2

AN elderly woman would like position to care for invalid. 1022 South avenue, Westfield, N. J. 2 2 3

YOUNG colored woman would like work by day or week. Call 602 East Third street. 2 2 2

WANTED—Sewing to do at home or out. Mrs. Fosbre, 661 Essex street. 2 1 3

SWEDISH laundress wants washing for Mondays and Tuesdays. Address Swedish, care Press. 2 1 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED—At once, one milling machine hand; also ten lathe hands. Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 27 6

### Situation Wanted—Male.

AN all round colored man wishes work of any kind. 621 West Third street. 2 1 3

WANTED—Position as butler or valet. 217 West Third St. 2 2 3

YOUNG man, nine years experience, would like position in reliable grocery store; best of references. C Weaver, 1046 Sherman Ave. 1 31 3

COLORED waiter wants position in private family. Address W. E. F., care Press. 2 1 3

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

WANTED—To exchange Westfield property for house in Plainfield; house has eight rooms, reception hall, bath, gas, electricity and all modern improvements; lot 45x175; fine shade trees; 18-foot piazza; five minutes from station and near trolley. Address D. P. C., care Press. 2 2 3 eod

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

### Poultry for Sale.

FOR SALE—Pen of ten Duston W. Wyandotts, $20. 234 West Second street. 1 31 3

FOR SALE—Pure bred 1908 Buff Wyandotte rooster. 92 Jackson avenue. 2 2 3

FOR SALE — Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, Gowell strain; also S. C. Rhode Islands Reds, Tompkins strain. Lewin, Plainfield avenue, near Hunt Club. 2 2 4

### Rooms and Board.

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### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Modern house, about ten rooms, for cash; state location and price. Address Housekeeper, care Press.

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 22 tf

FLAT to let from April 1, corner Second and Watchung avenue, five rooms; all improvements; rent $21. Store to let, East Fourth street, $12. Houses to let, 8 rooms; all improvements; large lot; $25. Flat to let, 6 rooms, $14. Houses for sale, cash or installments. Charles H. Hand, 319 Watchung avenue. 1 31 1m

FOR RENT—Eight-room house, convenient to R. R. station and trolley; good neighborhood; also barn. Address I. O. N., care Press. 2 2 2

FLAT to let—5 rooms; 40 Harmony. Apply L. M. French. 1 31 tf

TO LET—Two fine corner flats, with improvements, at corner Third and Richmond streets; also an eight-room and nine-room house on East Second street, for sale or to let. Callahan & Son. 1 28 tf eod

LARGE loft; 3,000 square feet; with offices, suitable for manufactory, situation North and Park avenues. Apply C. H. Lyman, North avenue, Plainfield. 12 29 tf w s

TO LET—May 1, 8-room house; all improvements. Isaac Vail, 102 West Second. 2 1 1m

FLAT to let, four rooms and bath; all improvements; rent $16. Inquire A. A. Keenan, Fifth and Richmond streets. 1 31 3

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 22 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold case fountain pen. Reward to W. H. Wootton, 716 Carlton avenue. 2 1 3

LOST—Brindle French bull dog; name Frenchy. Telephone 356-J, or call 1103 Putnam avenue. Liberal reward.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, Janu-7, a postoffice order for $5.00 on Arlington avenue or main line car, between Muhlenberg Hospital and Bethel chapel. Reward if left at this office. 2 1 2

LOST—Brindle bull dog, four white feet, white throat and chest; wears broad brass collar. Finder please communicate with 48 Sandford avenue. 2 1 3

### For Sale.

COWS, Cows, Cows—Will receive Wednesday, February 2, a carload of choice fresh cows and springers, which are for sale or exchange at the lowest market prices at Gus Lewis' Stables, 445 18th avenue, Newark, N. J. 2 2 2

BARGAIN—For sale on account change of business, 10-room attractive brick house; all improvements, large lot, good location; suitable for boarding house or furnished rooms. Address Sacrifice, Daily Press. 2 1 3

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### Miscellaneous.

M. ARMSTRONG'S telephone is 232. Plumbing and heating. 1 31 12

METROPOLITAN Life Insurance Company calenders free. John Manley, agent, 321 Park avenue. 2 2 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

### Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—At once, broody hens. Address Sunswick Poultry Farm, South Plainfield, N. J. 2 2 3

### Money to Loan.

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 102 West Second street. 9 1 tf

**Other Classified Ads on Page 3.**

# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Scarlet fever has broken out again at Delanco.

Cash wages instead of checks will be paid the Pennsylvania Railroad operators, station agents and section men this month.

The two glass furnaces blocked at the South Millville works of Whitall-Tatum Company a week ago resumed operations yesterday.

Rev. Edward Drew, of Crozier Seminary, and who has been supplying the Central Baptist church, Woodbury, has accepted its call.

Playing with matches, Charlotte Johnson, three years old, of 554 Haddon avenue, Camden, fired her clothing and was burned about the shoulder and arms before the blaze was extinguished by her father.

A reception was given Monday evening at the Pennsylvania Railroad Y. M. C. A., in Camden, to Joseph O. Thompson, road foreman of engines on the Amboy division, he having on Friday reached the retirement age of seventy years. A purse of $200 in gold was given him by the men with whom he has been associated for many years.

Claiming that alleged venders of cocaine arrested here in a police raid at Atlantic City Saturday night were former members of a dope syndicate driven away from the neighborhood of Philadelphia by agitation there, police presented evidence yesterday that resulted in the imprisonment of Harry Simone, Julia Simons and Lloyd Kelly to terms of four and five months each by Police Judge Keffer. He declared his intention of wiping out the cocaine business in Atlantic City.

Admitting a charge of larceny, and that he is deserter from the navy, Howard Llewellyn, twenty-one years old, was committed to jail from the Camden Police Court, yesterday, and the police notified the authorities at the Philadelphia Navy Yard of the deserter's apprehension. Llewellyn was caught stealing an oilskin coat from the Pennsylvania Railroad roundhouse, and confessed also to stealing kettles of lunch belonging to the men. He said he threw the kettles away after devouring their contents.

## OFFERS LAND FOR PATRIOTIC PURPOSES.

Trenton, Feb. 2.—At a meeting of the executive committee of the Washington's Crossing Park Commission at the State House Monday a letter was received from Dr. I. P. Strittmatter, of Philadelphia, owner of 123 acres of land at Washington's Crossing, upon which tract the old McConkey house is situated, stating that as soon as New Jersey has made complete arrangements for the establishment of a park to perpetually mark the place of Wasington's landing after crossing the Delaware River the night before the battle of Trenton, he will turn over to the State his land at practically cost price.

The only restriction Dr. Strittmatter indicated in his letter was that if he disposes of the property to the commission it shall be held perpetually for patriotic purposes He also said that he bought the land for patriotic purposes and is in complete sympathy with the project inaugurated by the Knights of Columbus of Trenton to have this land set aside for park purposes.

This information from the owner of land which is the key to the situation greatly pleased the executive committee, and Chairman Charles J. Fisk, Mayor of Plainfield, said that half of the work incident to preliminary negotiations to acquire land for the park has been completed by Mr. Strittmatter's attitude.

In order to interest Pennsylvania in the park project, the committee passed a resolution requesting Governor Fort to officially communicate with Governor Stuart, of Pennsylvania, for that purpose of determining the probable attitude of that State in the matter.

## MOONSHINERS CAUGHT IN RAID ON DISTILLERY.

Bayonne, Feb. 2.—An illicit distillery was raided early yesterday morning at 20 West Twentieth street, and Morris Decker and two assistants, Alexander Knopler and Louis Terness, were caught in the act, detectives say, of preparing to fill the vates with material for distilling. The men were taken to Jersey City and will be given a hearing before United States Commissioner Rowe.

Two days ago Chief of Police Yare had his attention attracted to a truck loaded with sugar. He saw it turn into West Twentieth street and decided to see where the sugar would be delivered, so he detailed Detective Lazarus to the case, and notified United States Revenue Officer Bechtold. The two men saw a drayload of sugar with three men on it appear again on Broadway early yesterday morning. One of the men as sentinel got off at Twentieth streeet, the second at Avenue C and the third drove up to the house where the still was located and unloaded the sugar.

When the truck had gone away the detectives raided Decker's place and caught Decker and his assistants busily at work. They confiscated 10,000 pounds of sugar, 200 pounds of raisins and several gallons of brandy.

# JOURNALISTIC OPINIONS

### Our Telephone Monopoly Charges.

In its nature the telephone business must necessarily be a monopoly. It is a public utility that cannot well be duplicated in a community. The man who rents a telephone should be able to connect with all other telephone users, not merely that number who are patrons of one of two or more separate companies. The fact that the telephone is a monopoly is a conclusive reason why it should be strictly under State control. Without such control the monopoly holds the public completely at its mercy. It can charge extravagant rates, it can give inadequate service, it can treat the public with insolence. The telephone monopoly in New Jersey is without restraint, and, taking advantage of its license, it has imposed charges on the public that are excessive and dishonest. Comparisons made with telephone rates charged in other cities of about the same population show that the Newark rates soar high above all others, being five times greater than those of Rochester, nearly four times greater than those of Reading, Pa., which has a much smaller population, and nearly three times greater than those of Buffalo and Providence. The people are being squeezed out of their substance by all kinds of combinations that could be held in restraint by proper laws. Here is one form of imposition that can be corrected at once by legislation.—Newark Star.

### The House of Mayors.

The conference of all the Mayors in New Jersey called for next Friday by Governor Fort will give an opportunity for an exchange of views on municipal governmental problems. The Governor has evidently been impressed with the conferences of the Chief Executives of the States at Washington, and believes that better understanding will follow a gathering of Mayors. There will doubtless be much talk regarding uniform legislation for municipal charters. The demand for home rule has been growing apace in the past few years, but there has yet been no substantial basis of agreement as to the best way in which to bring it about.

The announcement is made that some of the things to be considered will be the tax rate and debt limit; a uniform system of accounting, with an audit by the State, and the plan for single-handed departments, the chiefs to be appointed by the Mayor with the consent of the Common Council. Uniform legislation of this character would mean a practically uniform charter for all municipalities, allowing each much latitude to govern itself according to the views of its inhabitants without being compelled to be going every little while to Trenton to get a special bill passed.

Such a general plan is desirable, but the difficulty will be in the details. In Jersey City, for instance, Mayor Wittpenn is in favor of single-headed departments, with appointive heads. The members of the Legislature from Hudson county, on the other hand, have gone on record by resolution as being in favor of the election of all officials now elected and further extension of the elective system. They claim that the appointive plan is undemocratic Those who agree with Mayor Wittpenn hold that the appointive system concentrates responsibility and gives the people the opportunity to fix blame exactly where it belongs. This is the view that has been held in the cities where the commission form of municipal government has been adopted.

There is a somewhat similar divergence of views in Newark. This was shown by the action of the charter revision commission, when it ordered the city law department to draft a new charter. Some of the members favored the single-headed department plan, while others objected strongly. The result was a compromise, and even the details of that have not yet been completed for submission to the Legislature—Newark News.

### Guards Direct Primary.

Trenton, Feb. 2.—True to his promise, Assemblyman Wohlfarth Monday night withdrew from the files House 40, and introduced another measure to take its place. House 40 was put in to provide for the filling of vacancies in case of the death of nominees between the primaries and election. Legal minds discovered in it, however, an innocent clause that might have been construed at some time as repealing the direct primary law as it now exists. Mr. Wohlfarth said he would not stand for this and his action last night was the proof. The new bill overcomes the objection.

### Messenger Boy Missing.

Rahway, Feb. 2.—Wallace McCarthy, fifteen years old, a telegraph messenger, has been missing since 3 o'clock Monday afternoon, at which time his parents gave him an order to fill at a meat market. The order was not received, nor had the lad been heard from since. His parents are distracted, and friends are searching for the lad. He did not have much known money, but was a great reader of tales of adventure.

### New Fire Horses Arrive.

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# A LOVE TRAGEDY.

### Ruskin's Adoration of the Lovely Rose La Touche.

In 1858, when Ruskin was in his fortieth year, he was asked by a friend to give some lessons in drawing to a child named Rose La Touche, whose name, indeed, was French, but whose family were Irish. There sprang up between Ruskin and this young girl a very charming friendship, which, of course, at the time could be nothing but a friendship. They wrote each other letters and exchanged drawings, and then for awhile they did not meet.

Ten years passed by before they saw each other. Meanwhile the child, whom he had remembered as a blue eyed, saucy, clever little blond with ripe red lips and hair like fine spun gold, had become a very lovely young woman of nineteen. They resumed their old acquaintance, but in a very different way. Though Ruskin was now nearly fifty, he gave to Rose La Touche an adoration and a passion such as he had never felt before. On her side she no longer thought of him as "very ugly," but was singularly drawn to him despite the difference in their years.

The two met often. They took long strolls together in the pleasant fields of Surrey, and at last Ruskin begged her to make him happy and to be his wife. Oddly enough, however, she hesitated, not because he was so much older than herself, but because he had ceased to be what she regarded as "a true believer." Some of the things that he had written shocked her as being almost atheistic. She was herself, underneath all her gaiety of manner, a rigid and uncompromising Protestant. She used phrases from the Bible in her ordinary talk, and when she spoke of marriage with John Ruskin she said that she could not endure to be "yoked with an unbeliever."

Yet her heart was torn at the thought of sending him away, and so for several years their intimacy continued, he pleading with her and striving hard to make her see that love was everything. She, on the other hand, read over those passages of the Old Testament which seemed to bar all compromise.

At last, in 1872, when she was twenty-four and he was fifty-three, she gave him her final answer. She would not marry him unless he could believe as she did. His honesty forbade him to deceive her by a pretended conversion, and so they parted, never to see each other again. How deeply she was affected is shown by the fact that she soon fell ill. She grew worse and worse until at last it was quite certain that she could not live. Then Ruskin wrote to her and begged that he might see her. She answered with a note in which she feebly traced the words:

"You may come if you can tell me that you love God more than you love me."

When Ruskin read this his very soul was racked with agony, and he cried out:

"No, no; then I cannot go to her, for I love her even more than God!"

When she died, as she did soon after, the light of his life went out for Ruskin.—Lyndon Orr in Munsey's Magazine.

### The Ocean's Age.

The ocean, of course, is not as old as the earth, because it could not be formed until the surface of the globe had sufficiently cooled to retain water upon it, but it seems chimerical to try to measure the age of the sea. Nevertheless Professor Joly undertook the task, basing his estimate upon the ratio of the amount of sodium it contains to that annually contributed by the washing from the continents. He thus reached the conclusion that the ocean has been in existence between 80,000,000 and 170,000,000 years. This does not seem a very definite determination, but then in geology estimates of time in years are extremely difficult because of the uncertainty of the elements of the calculation. The most that can be said for such results is that they are probable.

### Couldn't Signal It!

During some tactical operations one of the ships of the squadron had made some bad blunders, and at length the admiral completely lost his temper. He stormed about his quarterdeck and informed his hearers of his opinion of the officer in command of the erring ship. When he paused for want of breath he turned to the signaler and said to him, "And you can tell him that, sir!"

The man scratched his head meditatively. "I beg pardon, sir," he ventured, "but I don't think we have quite enough flags for your message."—London Answers.

### Cannibalism.

Among regular cannibals the most varied motives have been found. There are Indians who are said to eat their enemies by way of insult and Australians who consume their deceased parents as a mark of affection. Some tribes devour the dead enemy to abolish him utterly, others to assimilate his virtues. Africa has revealed cannibalism of every sort, from the most solemn religious rite to the most prosaic gratification of appetite and taste.

### Traced a Long Way.

She—How far can your ancestry be traced? He—Well, when my grandfather resigned his position as cashier of a country bank they traced him as far as China, but he got away.—London Tit-Bits.

### The Remedy.

"What do you think of a man with a rip in his coat and only three buttons on his vest?"

"He should either get married or divorced."—Boston Transcript.

# THE FOURTH ESTATE

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"An amusing character, our hostess," commented Bartelmy dryly to Dupuy.

"Yes; she seems very appreciative of your daughter's visit."

"Well," decisively, "she certainly ought to be."

"I suppose we shall see it in the Advance tomorrow," suggested Dupuy.

"Oh, of course!" Bartelmy laughed amusedly.

"By the way," remarked Dupuy, "did you see the evening papers?"

A serious look came into Bartelmy's face as he said:

"I glanced over them on my way uptown, and their accounts of my decision this morning are not at all objectionable."

"No blood drawn," said Dupuy reassuringly. "A little surprising, too, for the Lansing Iron people have been in pretty bad odor with the public ever since the receivership matter last year."

"That was the beginning of all these attacks upon me. I hope the morning papers will treat me fairly."

"Oh, there will be no trouble about them. They have not investigated the matter thoroughly enough yet, of course, excepting the Advance. But you did just the right thing today to bring Miss Judith."

Bartelmy was showing not the slightest hesitancy at using his beautiful and accomplished daughter as a decoy in his plottings. In the first place, he desired that she should marry Wheeler Brand, hoping that the young reformer's zeal against him would disappear; secondly, by prevailing on her to pay attention socially to the Nolan family he was confident that the owner of the Advance would capitulate and become his friend. As for Judith, she little comprehended the entire significance of her father's attitude, and if she had, her frank, genuine nature, which revolted at trickery and deceit, would not have permitted her to continue to do his bidding. She admired and loved her father.

She knew that her mother before her had aided her father in his work and ambitions to a considerable extent, and now that her mother was no longer alive she felt it her duty to fill her place in every possible way. After all, she had only a young woman's knowledge of the ways of men in the business and professional world, and she could discern in the attacks on her father nothing beyond what he himself had taught her to believe—that they were the efforts of envious men or ignorant reformers or misguided fanatics, who assailed him entirely without just cause. However, it would seem that the judge would in any event have attempted to conceal from others his motives for procuring the presence of Judith at the Nolan home on this day. It would seem, no matter how low he had sunk, that he would have denied that he had ever employed her unsuspectingly as a decoy on other occasions. That was the least this father could do for his daughter. But he made no attempt to protect her reputation, at any rate to Dupuy, for in answer to the lawyer lobbyist's remark that he had done "just the right thing to bring Miss Judith today" he replied with his characteristic coolness:

"Oh, in matters of this kind my daughter is of the greatest help to me!" After a moment he continued, "I don't at all like your idea, Dupuy, of my proposing this man Nolan at the club."

"That's our trump card," insisted the other. "Every man has his price—even this young Brand if we could only find out what it is."

## CHAPTER VII.

BRAND and Nolan came out of the library after their smoke and were surprised to find Judge Bartelmy and Dupuy in the drawing room. Brand did not appear enthusiastic at the circumstance and, nodding stiffly in the general direction of the two men, proceeded to circle around them toward the door leading to the hall.

Judge Bartelmy advanced pleasedly toward the newspaper owner, who greeted him courteously.

"Judge, this is an unexpected honor."

"An honor to come—believe me, Mr. Nolan, an honor to come."

Nolan saw Brand's dexterous maneuver toward the door, and on calling to him not to go he halted, turned toward the center of the room and stood watching the strangely assorted group of men.

Nolan next addressed Dupuy, who expressed his thanks at the granting of his request for an interview.

Judge Bartelmy, always quick to notice every detail or phase of what was transpiring in his immediate presence, saw that Brand was ill at ease. He called to him cheerily:

"My daughter and I were just speaking of you, Wheeler. The reformer sails a treacherous sea."

"The port is in sight, Judge Bartelmy," was the calm answer.

Bartelmy would have made a success on the stage, in fact, he had been acting a part most of his life and proved the truth of Richard Mansfield's aphorism that "the best actors are never seen on the stage." At Wheeler Brand's significant reply, which smote as ominously on the ears of the judge as it did on those of Dupuy, the jurist gave an inward shiver quite imperceptible to the eye and replied in the most jovial of manners:

"So? So? That's good. That's worth while. Stick to the helm, my boy," he laughed.

"Brand ain't at sea, judge," put in Nolan good naturedly. "He's in the clouds. The air up there makes your nose bleed; but, by the Eternal, you see all that's going on down here."

There was much "going on down here" that Bartelmy by all means preferred to have remain unseen, yet he managed to reply, with an attempt at sincerity:

"More power to you, Wheeler. More power to you!"

Nolan stepped toward the jurist.

"You're a generous foe, Judge Bartelmy," he said warmly, deceived by the smooth tactics of the judge.

"Foe? That's hardly the word," responded Bartelmy, and with deference: "Wheeler and I merely energize differently. He is dynamic; I am static, and that is because he is young and I am old."

"He'll outgrow that, judge. You never will," remarked Dupuy, crossing to Nolan's side.

"But under every system of free government," pronounced Bartelmy in his best judicial manner, "there have always been conservative and liberal parties, whose leaders, while they differed perhaps in method, have been stimulated by an equal love of country."

"That is true, Judge Bartelmy," said Brand, "but I can't concede that you belong to the conservative party."

The judge showed surprise.

"But I don't understand you," he stammered, when Brand went on determinedly:

"Are you not seeking to introduce into our country methods of government undreamed of by our forefathers?"

The judge laughed as though in agreeable tolerance. His skill at verbal parrying was standing him in good stead.

"Oh, I had as much enthusiasm myself in my youth," he said, "but my legal training has forced upon me a certain unfortunate exactitude of thought. But come, come. We old lawyers have long since learned that we cannot carry our quarrels out of court. For instance, of a morning my best friend, Judge Culver, may be at drawn swords with me over some point of law, but the same evening will find us hail fellows well met, exchanging stories before a club fire."

Nolan nodded his head understandingly.

"Yes, judge, that's life—that's life," he commented.

"Half the laws of our country are framed up in clubs," interjected Dupuy.

Bartelmy raised his hand and made a gesture of disapproval.

"I wouldn't say that."

Brand saw an opportunity to score.

"Likewise the safest methods of evading the laws are framed up in clubs," he shot at Dupuy.

Bartelmy pretended to side with Brand.

"That's neat, Wheeler," he laughed. "He scored off you that time, Dupuy." Bartelmy paused. He had now reached a point where he was about to make his supreme effort to capture Nolan and the Advance, to make them friendly to him. He was about to play what Dupuy had truthfully termed "the trump card." "By the way, Mr. Nolan, Judge Culver and I usually dine two or three times a week at the Oak Door club. We need you there. We should have a man in all our discussions of public questions—we should have a practical man of affairs who knows what reformers like our young friend here are really trying to get at. Shall I propose you for membership?"

Dupuy watched the effect of Bartelmy's words on Nolan with intense eagerness. It was an anxious moment for both Dupuy and Bartelmy. If Nolan accepted they felt that they were safe. As for Nolan, he was greatly perplexed. He wanted to accept the proffer, both for his own sake and for his family's. Membership in the Oak Door club was equivalent to a ticket of admission into the fashionable circles of the city. He would be able then to put his wife and daughter in the way of gratifying their desires. Sylvester, too, would be benefited in whatever business career he should take up, and the membership would enable him to meet and make his personal friends the most prominent men of the city—the men he naturally craved to associate with—on terms of equality. Then he spoke:

"Really, judge," he said warmly, "that's something that I never expected to hear from your lips."

"Not at all; not at all! I shall be delighted to put you up, and Dupuy will second me."

"With pleasure," bowed the lawyer.

Nolan hesitated over his final reply. He remembered what Brand had stated regarding the attentions of Judge Bartelmy and his daughter. Probably this offer was a trick, a bribe, and it did not improve the situation to have Dupuy brought into it by the jurist as seconder of his nomination. Still, the idea came into his head—if he accepted it he did it with his eyes open, he need not necessarily change the policy of the Advance toward certain public men. Thus he reasoned, and still there lingered within him an insistent desire, even a prompting, in view of the advantages for himself and his family, to accept at all hazards, under any circumstances.

"Thank you, gentlemen, thank you he said, temporizing, in an endeavor to gain time before actually committing himself. He glanced across the room at Wheeler Brand, wondering how he was accepting the situation. Brand took a quick step forward, straightened himself stiffly and shot a glance of warning over the shoulder of Bartelmy, whose back was turned to him. Nolan nodded his head slightly to show that he understood. Dupuy caught the interchange of signals, and he glared malignantly at the young managing editor. He saw that Brand would do his utmost to swing Nolan away from the subtle snare. Nolan addressed the judge. "I'll think it over—and thank you once more."

Bartelmy and Dupuy started toward a door.

"Now, if you will excuse us, Dupuy and I will join the ladies," said the jurist. "Wheeler, you're not going away yet, eh?" he added.

Brand moved toward the hall door and ignored the query.

"What's your hurry, Wheeler?" asked Nolan as Bartelmy and Dupuy disappeared.

"Oh, it's time to get back to the office."

"H-m! What's the trouble?"

"What's the use of talking about it?"

"Come, get it off your chest."

"I don't have to tell you, Mr. Nolan." He drew closer to his employer.

"You think Mike Nolan is going back on you—isn't that it?"

The young man's voice rang out in his deep disappointment that Nolan was lingering on the verge of an acceptance of Bartelmy's offer, which could mean only two things if his employer yielded, and these were the muzzling of the Advance and the silencing of Brand as long as he remained on the paper. He blamed Nolan bitterly for failing to spurn the offer outright on the moment.

"Do you think you can accept favors from Bartelmy with one hand," he cried, "and knife him with the other?"

Nolan gave a spirited but kindly reply:

"Hold your horses, Wheeler. You know I don't care anything about this social stunt for myself. It don't fit into my life, but remember I've got a family, and nothing comes ahead of them. Mother and I may have a jangle now and then; but, after all, we have been side partners for a good many years. And my girl! There ain't a finer educated or a prettier girl in New York, and she ought to be able to go anywhere, but she can't in this town—this cold man's town. Then, of course, there's Sylvester. I know he ain't as bright as he might be, and I've spent—well, more than twice your salary trying to get him through freshman year at Harvard, and I couldn't, but still he's my son, and if he wants to run around with these other sports, why not? I can afford it, and I guess the kid's got to sow his wild oats anyway. My wife and children ought to be happy with the money I've got, and, as I figure it, if I join this Oak Door club I can help them to get what they want. Do you follow me, Brand?"

"Yes; I understand," sighed Brand. "At first you took up the side of the people, and you are continuing at it. But you and your family have become ambitious, or, at least, so far as you are concerned, you are ambitious for them. When you begin to associate familiarly with rich men as their friend you'll soon find yourself playing golf or billiards with one, drinking whisky with another, and your son will marry the daughter of a third. You will forget all about the people. Your paper will become decadent and feeble. The circulation will dry up." He paused for breath and added warningly in strong tones, "The Advance is now at its zenith, but its decline begins the very day that you are elected to the Oak Door club."

Nolan reached over and seized Brand by the shoulder.

"Wheeler, you're a decent sort of a fellow. I like you and the things you've made the paper stand for, but you don't know what it means to put people that you love on the altar and cause them suffering for the sake of these—these general principles."

"Don't I!" exclaimed the young editor. "Well, that's exactly what I've done. I gave up the girl I loved, who had promised to be my wife, so that I might write the truth." In spite of the emotion which his words had aroused in him Brand's voice never faltered as he spoke.

"You did!" exclaimed Nolan amazedly. "Well, my boy, I don't understand you. I couldn't do that," he confessed.

"Don't think that it was easy for me to do. I've thought of her every hour of every day since, but she'—now his voice wavered—"well, she's forgotten, so it doesn't matter. Mr. Nolan, do you remember what it was that first brought us together?"

"Yes; that story about Judge Bartelmy, and it was a good one, and you've followed it up with a lot of good ones since. Why, Wheeler, there ain't a man in the country that can work up a series like you can. But, do you know, I'm beginning to think that the judge is not all bad. Mind you, I'm not forgetting old scores, but"—he seated himself—"did you ever think of it, perhaps we haven't all the facts of that affair? Some things have happened. Are you sure that he's so all fired wrong?"

"Mr. Nolan, the half hasn't been told about Judge Bartelmy!" cried Brand.

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Plainfield dropped the first game by a margin of fourteen pins, the county seaters winning by a score of 897 to 883. The second clash was a hair-raiser. It resulted in a tie, 851 to 851, but the locals won out in the roll-off by a score of 97 to 89. A sensational spare in the roll-off by Chauncey Stout brought victory to Plainfield. All was gloom when Stout left the 6-10 and 7 pins standing, but Chauncey was there at the crucial moment, and made the spare amid a big tumult of applause by the local contingent.

The final game was also a pippin for excitement, but Plainfield emerged triumphant by the score of 948 to 924. In this contest Johnny Campbell was the "bell-cow" with a 231 ring. *The scores:*

**Elizabeth.**

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| Nolte | 185 | 161 | 219 |
| Wallace | 157 | 153 | 154 |
| Keller | 207 | 200 | 174 |
| Bock | 169 | 177 | 168 |
| Gathman | 179 | 160 | 209 |
| | 897 | *851 | 924 |

**Plainfield.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Kiely | 178 | 180 | 164 |
| Laing | 156 | 157 | 175 |
| Stout | 178 | 183 | 186 |
| Blatz | 180 | 180 | 192 |
| Campbell | 191 | 151 | 231 |
| | 883 | 851 | 948 |

*Plainfield won the roll-off 97 to 89.

## ELEVEN TEAMS FOR THE NEWARK SIX-DAY RACE

With the formation of the teams completed, everything is now in readiness as far as the riders are concerned for the Newark six-day, ten-hours-a-day, bicycle race, which will be held in the First Regiment Armory, that city, next week, February 7 to 12. There will be a championship sprint race in the Armory next Saturday night, composed of professional and amateur sprint races, a sprint race between Frank Kramer and Iver Lawson and a ten-mile motor-paced race between Jimmy Moran and Elmer Collins.

Work on the construction of the broad track, which is eleven laps to the mile, was started Thursday morning by forty carpenters, under the direction of John M. Chapman, the race promoter, and it will be completed in plenty of time for Saturday night's opening. The start of the grind has been set down for 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, February 7, and it will run until 11 o'clock each night, winding up Saturday night, February 12. There are eleven teams in, as follows:

Frank Kramer, Newark; Willie Fenn, Newark.
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Two five-men teams are sure to compete. The first team will be composed of the same membership as last year—Kiely, Blatz, Stout, Campbell and Nash. The second quintet will probably be made up of Causebrook, Laing, Mathews, Schaub and Radin.

Stout and Blatz, who rolled up a 1,172 score in the two-man competition last season, will hook together agan, while Campbell and Nash will link fortunes. There will be other teams and all of the Plainfielders will roll in the individual competition.

Johnny Campbell is now making arrangements for the trip and local bowlers desiring information can secure it from the local impressiaro. It is understood that reduced railroad rates will be secured.

The next competition to be tapped on Campbell's alleys is a two-man tourney. The entry list was opened last night. The competition will be limited to twenty-one teams and all *local pin smashers are going to compete.* The tourney is slated to start on Tuesday night, February 15.

The Fraternal League championship will be decided on Thursday night when the Ponies and Raritans will clash. The Red Men are now on top. Should the Raritans win all three games they will tie the redskins and if they win one and lose two they will tie the Knights of Columbus for second place.

The uncompleted individual tourney will be wiped off the slate on Friday night. Johnny Campbell has the title clinched with a record of fifteen victories and three defeats. On Friday night second and third positions will be decided by the results of the unrolled games between Nash, Mathews and Blatz. The records of these men are as follows: Nash, won 12 and lost 4; Blatz, won 11 and lost 5; Mathews, won 13 and lost 5.

By losing one game to Elizabeth last night Hoboken is tied for second place in the race.

Plainfield will journey to New Brunswick next Tuesday night. The Middlesex county cracks were given a bitter dose of medicine on their last visit to this city, but "little Johnny Dunn" declares it is dollars to doughnuts that the team from old Rutgers town will turn the tables. Johnny and C. Stout will put down a little bet on the result.

Tuesday night, February 15, the New York Elks will be here for a game. The Gotham pin knights are not feared by the locals, who are counting on taking three straight.

Hard luck clung to Eddie Laing and "Snapper" Kiely last night. Both had a big share of blow-holes to their credit. Both place the blame on the rooting.

**Don't Forget the Turkey Supper.**

Under the auspices of the Ladies' Society for Christian Work of Trinity Reformed church, the annual turkey supper will be held in the lecture room of the church tomorrow and Friday night. The women have made extensive plans for feeding a large number of people and there will be plenty of good things to eat, in addition to other attractive features.

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Legislative action relative to the excessive rates charged by telephone companies in this State was initiated yesterday by Assemblyman Walter Edge, of Atlantic county, in the House at Trenton, who introduced a resolution in the House asking for an investigation into the alleged excessive tolls charged in New Jersey. The resolution was referred to the Committee on Municipal Corporations, of which Assemblyman Tatem, of Camden, is chairman.

This is the second resolution of the kind to appear in the present session of the Legislature. Last week Senator Gebhardt, of Hunterdon county, presented a resolution asking that an investigation be made into the alleged high rates charged by the New York Telephone Company in North and Central Jersey. After a short titlt on the floor of the Senate the resolution was referred to the Judiciary Committee and has not been heard of since. The concern in question has exclusive control of the business in this city.

A joint resolution was presented in the House yesterday by Assemblyman Layden, of Passaic county, which provides that a commission be appointed by the Governor to consist of five members, to investigate a plan for industrial old age pensions. This commission is to report to the next Legislature.

Mr. Moore, of Passaic, introduced a bill which provides that in addition to the power granted to municipalities by their charters, they shall have power to enact all other ordinances which they may deem proper for the protection of life, health and property, although their charter may not give them such ight. Under this bill the power of taxation shall be limited to the provisions of the taxing act of 1906.

Under the provsions of a measure introduced by Assemblyman Ramsey osteopaths are allowed to have a member on the State Medical Board, providing he successfully passes the examination prescribed by the State Medical Board. A bill by Mr. Cole provides that road overseers shall be ballotted for on the third Monday in December between the hours of 1 and 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

**PLAINFIELDERS ON JURY FOR THIS MURDER TRIAL.**

Among those drawn for the jury panel from which a jury will be selected for the trial of Guardsman Jacobson at Elizabeth on Monday, are Howard A. Colby, George H. Chapman, Lewis G. Timpson, Charles Arnold, Arthur E. Smith and Andrew G. Carpenter, all of this city.

Jacobson shot and killed his wife the day after Christmas. He claims that the shooting was purely accidental. Co. C, of Elizabeth, of which Jacobson is a member, is supplying the funds for the defense.

**Living Pictures at Truell Court.**

"The Reveries of a Bachelor," will be given at Truell Court tnight, also an original sketch by Henry C. White, in which he will also appear. There will be piano selections by Miss Mabel Maxson and vocal numbers by New York and Philadelphia talent. Mrs. John Roundey will be the accompanist. The entertainment will be under the management of Mrs. Emily Wilkinson, and the proceeds will be given to worthy local charity.

**Art Company Incorporated.**

The Craftsman's Art Company of this city, filed incorporation articles in Elizabeth yesterday with the county clerk. The company, which has a capital of $10,000, will engage in manufacturing decorative designs and articles in metal and other materials. The incorporators are Jennie W. Phillips, of Plainfield; James B. Guttridge, of Netherwood, and Theodore J. Shirley, Manning F. Gano and John S. Johnson, of North Plainfield.

**Special Meeting of Council.**

The Common Council will hold a special meeting tonight when there will be a consideration of a proposed new hack ordinance. Several changes are proposed to meet present-day conditions and it is desired that the whole council pass on the ordinance at this time.

## KINGS DAUGHTERS IN "DUTCH MARKET"

A typical Dutch market scene in Holland was presented to those who attended the "Dutch Market Supper" given under the auspices of the Golden Rule Circle of King's Daughters in Grace M. E. church last night. The affair was successful and more than one hundred dollars was realized by the project.

The interior of the church was transformed into a Dutch market. The Dutch decorations of dark blue, red and yellow were conspicuous in the decoration and all of the members of the committees and those in attendance at the different booths were attired in Dutch costumes.

Visitors to the market were received by Mrs. Isaac P. Runyon, chairman of the reception committee. There were five booths in operation and each department carried on an active business. The arrangement of the booths and those in attendance follow:

Cake and coffee—Mrs. Charles Harden, Mrs. Lewis Bennett, Mrs. A. B. C. Bodine, Miss Lottie Huff.

Pie, crullers and cheese—Mrs. Dyckman Winckler, the Misses Grace Clark, Mary Hoagland, Loretta Clark and Nettie Bauersachs.

Sausage and rolls—Clarence Steiner, Raymond Miller.

Potato salad and baked beans—Miss Clara Van Fleet.

Meats and bread—Miss Della Voehl.

**Anniversary of Bible Class.**

The first anniversary of class twenty-four of Trinity Reformed Sunday school, of which H. P. Seader is teacher, was celebrated last night and officers for the ensuing year elected. After the business meeting the evening was spent in having a social time among the twenty-five members who attended. Refreshments were served and the new officers congratulated upon their election. They are s follows: President, Mrs. Clarence Bye; vice-president, Mrs. Edgar Sheppard; secretary, Mrs. A. B. Coles, and treasurer, Mrs. Chauncey F. Colthar.

Miss Alice Spitz, of Lakewood, returned home today after spending two weeks with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reynolds, of Church street.

## FOUR LEAF CLOVERS CONDUCT A EUCHRE

The progressive euchre given in Debele's Hall last night under the auspices of the Four Leaf Clover Club was a distinct success socially and financially. The attendance reached the two hundred mark and forty-seven tables were in commission during the competition. The club is an auxiliary organization to St. Joseph's church and the affair netted about $75.

The interior of the hall was prettily decorated with flags and bunting and everybody apparently enjoyed themselves. Play started at 8:15 o'clock and at 10 o'clock dancing was begun. The music for this diversion was furnished by Paroubek and Denny.

Mrs. James Hurley was the winner of the first prize and the booby guerdon was captured by Mrs. Arthur Cannon. Other prize winners were the Misses Mary McCullough, Mary Brown, Katherine Whalen, Julia Day, May Burke and McCormick McDonough, Thomas Meaney, Frank Reilly and Walter Hamilton.

Announcement was made that the club will conduct another party after the Lenten season. The committee in charge was the Misses Kathryn Conshay, Nellie Purcell, Frieda Kaiser and Mamie Carney.

**BIBLE CLASS STRIVING FOR MORE MEMBERS.**

With an enrollment of fifty-seven members, representing an increase of forty-five during the year, the William N. Runyon Bible class of Hope chapel is striving to increase the membership to the one hundred mark. The class-room is being renovated and when the improvements are completed the department will be one of the coziest corners in the chapel.

James Penny, who is chairman of the lookout committee, announces that several social events will be held soon as the improvements are completed. The plans of the class are to hold a dinner and this function will likely be followed by an entertainment or minstrel performance.

Miss M. D. Gorsline, of the Jackson building, who has been ill with a fever, is reported as being improved.


# Scheuer's Bargains

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## CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCES

### Belated Celebrations are Held by Several Protestant Congregations.

FINE MUSIC WAS RENDERED.

Special Sermons a Feature—Many Sunday-schools Also Hold Appropriate Exercises.

Belated Christmas exercises were held by these congregations yesterday:

**Congregational.**

The services at the Congregational church yesterday included an uncommon occurrence, the celebration of both ends of Christ's life, the birth and the last communion. This would not have happened but for the storm of last Sunday. However, the program of music, both at the church and Sunday school services, were carried out with fidelity and a proper regard for both events.

The Christmas music at the church service was rendered by a quartet compos d of Mrs. Theodore Mantz, soprano; Miss Nellie Winkler, contralto; John D. Townsend, tenor, and Charles E. Lewis, bass. This quartet assisted also at the exercises which followed in the Sunday school. The collection for Muhlenberg hospital was taken up at the morning service and was a splendid contribution.

The Sunday-school exercises were enjoyed by a large number of adults who remained after church to hear the children sing and recite.

**Trinity Reformed.**

When the members of Trinity Reformed church Sunday school marched into the church last night, singing "Onward Christian Soldiers," accompanied by the organ, and the cornet admirably handled by E. D. Young, the immense audience arose and felt the influence of the martial music. It was the preliminary to a fine program of song and speech in commemoration of Christmastide.

With one or two omissions, the program prepared for last Sunday evening was carried out and provided no little amusement and cheer to the congregation. A feature of the event which will remain indelibly impressed upon those who were present was the quartet sung by Adele and Ruth Freeman, Mildred Clark and Helen Thompson. Miss Adele Freeman distinguished herself in the solo, "O Wonderful Light." Master Charles Todd would have won applause had it been permitted, for his playing of "O Come All Ye Faithful," on the viloin, accompanied by Miss Coriell.

The chorus singing by the school was one of the most pleasing features of the evening and the preparation for the exercises was most evident in the hymn "Star of Bethlehem," led by Horace J. Martin.

The pastor, Rev. John Y. Broek, delivered a short address in which he referred to the lesson brought to the pupils a year ago. At that time he referred to Christ as the Saviour. This time he spoke of Him as the Examiner and if all goes well he will tell about Him as the master next Christmas. Mr. Broek told the children to be imitators of God, for then they would not be imitating anything false.

Superintendent Smith added a few words of praise referring especially to the higher standard reached by the school and wished all the members a happy New Year.

**First Baptist Church.**

The Sunday-school of the First Baptist church held its Christmas exercises yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when a program of a week ago, was rendered. Superintendent George H. Batchelor was in charge and a feature was an excellent address by Arthur M. Harris, of the school. The program follows:

Prelude, "Hymn to St. Cecelia," Gounod, Miss Florence Wohlfert, violin; Mrs. B. T. Barnes, piano and Howard Case, organ; carol; "God Rest You Merry Gentleman," school; invocation, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss; Christmas greeting, Emily Pilger; Scripture reading, school; contralto solo, Miss Josie Bracker; recitation, "The Shepherd's Vision," Helena Francisco; carol, "The Saviour's Star," school; semi-chorus, "Rock the Cradle," primary department; recitation, "Christmas," Anna Sherwin; solo, Elsie Moore; carol, "Sing for Joy," junior department; offertory, "Minuetto," Beethoven, Miss Wohlfert, violin and Mrs. Barnes, piano; carol, "O, Merry Christmas Day," primary department; address, Arthur M. Harris; carol, "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," school; responsive reading, led by F. W. Jones, first assistant superintendent; carol, "The Christmas Song," junior department; benediction, pastor; postlude, organ. The offering was for

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## ST. MARY'S RECEIPTS FOR THE YEAR $30,990

An important feature of the services at St. Mary's church yesterday was the rendering of the financial statement of the parish for 1909 by Father Bogan. The report showed that during the year the total receipts were $30,990, the largest in the history of the parish.

The most gratifying feature of the year, said Father Bogan, was the payment of $14,500 for the old Washington School. The parish begins the year with a balance of $7,400 in the treasury. The money will be used as a nucleus for the convent fund. Plans are now being submitted by architects for the structure which will be started in April.

## "THE CLIMAX" EVOKES ENTHUSIASTIC APPLAUSE

No better presentation of "The Climax" was ever given than that presented at the Plainfield theatre Friday night. Judging by the frequent curtain calls from the first act to the last, Effingham Pinto and Miss Leona Watson had equal numbers of friends in the huge audience which greeted them on the raising of the curtain on the first scene.

The dramatic posibilities of the play stood out in bold relief through the excellence of the artists who presented it and they were applauded, deservingly, throughout.

The events of Friday night need no comment here. The ball at the Hartridge auditorium with its brilliant assemblage requires no description. Everyone knows that the costumes were notably elegant and that a goodly sum has been realized for the hospital, which latter was the goal desired.

## WM. M'INTOSH RESIGNS JERSEY CENTRAL JOB

William McIntosh, of Willow avenue, who has been superintendent of motive power of the New Jersey Central for several years, resigned his position to take effect January 1, and on the same date, Charles Chambers, of Cranford, was appointed to succeed him.

Mr. McIntosh, who is one of the foremost authorities in the country in matters of railroad motive power and construction of locomotives, formerly held a responsible position with the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company, and he left that position to go with the New Jersey Central. During his service here he has designed several high-class locomotives, which have attracted considerable attention. Mr. McIntosh has been in poor health and only recently returned from Battle Creek, Mich., where he underwent special treatment.

Mr. Chambers has been associated with Mr. McIntosh in the motive power department and is said to be fitted in every way for the responsible position to which he has been appointed.

**John T. Odam.**

Worshipful Master W. G. Hutchcroft, of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., received word yesterday of the death in a Trenton hospital of John T. Odam; formerly of this city. His death was the result of injuries received December 20, when he fell off the roof of a building at Bordentown. He was a slater by trade and conducted that business here years ago. He was a member of Jerusalem Lodge.

**New Year's Eve Wedding.**

Miss Justina Summers, of Brooklyn, and Leo Miller, of West Fourth street, were quietly married Friday night at 8 o'clock by Rev. Charles S. Kemble, pastor of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, at the parsonage. The couple was attended by a few relatives. After a trip they will reside in this city.

**Miss Carrie Hammons.**

Miss Carrie Hammons, aged 55 years, colored, died Friday afternoon at her home, 542 West Fourth street, of consumption. So far as known she has not a living relative. The funeral services were held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the late home and burial was in the M. E. cemetery.

**Addressed the Brotherhood.**

Rev. Charles S. Kemble, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, went to Bayonne yesterday afternoon, where in the Bergen Point M. E. church, he addressed the United Brotherhood of the Bayonne section. His topic was "Fighters and Quitters."

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## MR. TOLLES' COMMITTEES

### Common Council Head Puts New Men in Charge of Police Dept.

HE MAKES FEW CHANGES.

Mr. Buxton Retains Most Coveted Position As Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Contrary to expectations in some quarters, President Ralph I. Tolles occasioned considerable surprise in the announcement of committees at the first meeting of the 1910 Common Council, Saturday night. Mr. Tolles, who is entering upon his fourteenth year as a member of the Council and his fifth year as president, decided to make some pronounced changes for the coming year.

The greatest surprise was in the makeup of the committees on police and alms. There is a complete change in the police committee, Frank DeWitt Randolph, who has been chairman for the past seven or eight years, being succeeded by Charles C. Randolph as the head, while his associates are Frederic E. Mygatt and Frank L. Holt, both new men to the committee. Frank Randolph is made chairman of the alms committee, and his associates are Duncan W. Taylor and W. W. Wilson.

The heads and general makeup of the other committees remain practically unchanged. Herbert Buxton is retained as head of the finance committee, Duncan W. Taylor the fire and building, Frank L. Holt the laws and ordinances, William L. Gloak, street, Frederick E. Mygatt the public affairs, Francis L. Montgomery the street lighting, George S. Clay the license and W. W. Wilson the auditing.

In explaining his appointments, Mr. Tolles said that he had tried to be perfectly fair in the apportionment. He declared that the days for "cliques" in the Council were over and every member seemed to realize that they must al work in harmony for the best interests of the city.

Another important change made in the committees is that of separating the street and sewer committee. Under a new law, the sewer committee must be selected by ballot by the members of the Common Council, while the street committee, like the others, are appointed by the president.

Mr. Buxton moved the amendment of the rules to conform to the new law, re-arranging the committees. After this was done, Mr. Mygatt offered a resolution, which was adopted, that the members proceed to select a sewer committee. Those chosen were William L. Gloak, chairman; Charles C. Randolph, Frank DeWitt Randolph, Herbert Buxton and Francis L. Montgomery. The complete list of committees, other than the one on sewers, follows:

Finance—Herbert Buxton, chairman; Frederic E. Mygatt, Frank DeWitt Randolph, Duncan W. Taylor, George S. Clay.

Fire and Buildings—Duncan W. Taylor, chairman; Herbert Buxton, Frank L. Holt, Charles C. Randolph, William W. Wilson.

Police—Charles C. Randolph, chairman; Frederick E. Mygatt, Frank L. Holt.

Alms—Frank DeWitt Randolph, chairman; Duncan W. Taylor, William W. Wilson.

Laws and Ordinances—Frank L. Holt, chairman; George S. Clay, William L. Gloak.

Streets—William L. Gloak, chairman; Charles C. Randolph, Herbert Buxton, Frank DeWitt Randolph, Francis L. Montgomery.

Public Affairs—Frederic E. Mygatt, chairman; Francis L. Montgomery, George S. Clay, Frank L. Holt, William L. Gloak.

Street Lighting—Francis L. Montgomery, chairman; Duncan W. Taylor, Herbert Buxton.

License—George S. Clay, chairman; William L. Gloak, Charles C. Randolph.

Auditing—William W. Wilson, chairman; Francis L. Montgomery, Frederic E. Mygatt.

**NOTICE.**

As the funeral of Mrs. A. L. Force, wife of the publisher of this paper, will be held tomorrow afternoon, The Daily Press plant and business office will be closed after 1 o'clock on Tuesday. The paper will be issued, however, at the regular hour.

**Gesang's Enjoyable Dance.**

The annual ball of the Gesang and Turn Verein, which was held in Saengerbund hall on New Year's eve was largely attended and an enjoyable affair. The committee in charge was Charles Stranzenbach, A. Wolf and Charles Klotz.

## NO RADICAL CHANGES

### Mayor Smalley Satisfied with Machinery of Borough Government.

HE OUTLINES HIS POLICY.

William McCullough Succeeds Howard Woolston as Chief of Fire Department.

Mayor N. B. Smalley in assuming the mayorality chair in the borough at Saturday noon made it plain that he is well satisfied with the machinery of the borough government. As expected there were no radical changes in the matter of appointments. The two changes were the appointment of William McCullough as chief of the fire department to succeed Howard Woolston, and Dr. D. C. Adams as borough physician to succeed Dr. A. H. Dundon. In both cases the incumbents of the office refused reappointment. From all outward appearance harmony reigns supreme and unity will prevail between Mayor and Council in the new administration.

There was also a minor change made in the committees, William L. Smalley being appointed to membership on the police committee in place of Julius J. Stahl, who received a place on the street committee. The remainder of the reappointments follow:

Borough clerk, Fred A. Martin; recorder, Charles M. Dolliver; borough engineers, Harry C. VanEmburgh and Frank J. Hubbard; overseer of the poor, Fred Becker; street commissioner, John Y. Barrett; chief of police, George Weiss; secretary of the board of health, Dr. A. H. Dundon.

In the fire department, in addition to the selection of William McCullough, as chief, William Daley was named as captain; tillerman, Otto Reupert; lieutenant and driver, William Gaub.

In reappointing Chief Weiss, Mayor Smalley paid a high tribute to the efficient service of the police department head during the past six years and declared he was highly gratified in reappointing him to the office.

A large representation of citizens attended the opening session at which Mayor Smalley outlined his policy to the members of the council.

**BELIEVE LAWYERS ARE AFTER JUDGE'S SCALP.**

Several members of the Union County Bar Association held a private meeting Thursday at the courthouse, Elizabeth, to prepare some bills for introduction in the next Legislature. The proposed bills, they claim, will be for the best interests of the legal fraternity in Elizabeth and Union county.

It is understood one of the measures which they will ask to have passed is a bill providing for the appointment of a lawyer to preside over the Elizabeth Police Court in place of Judge Owen P. Mahon, the incumbent, who, it is alleged, is not a lawyer. Judge Mahon, it is reported, has incensed several Elizabeth lawyers by his rulings in cases tried before him and now they are after his scalp and declare they will get it through legislative enactments.

Judge Mahon is a Democrat and his champions assert that outside the coterie of lawyers whom he has offended and who want him displaced his adminstration has given satisfaction to the general public.

He has held the position several years.

**THEY GAVE CARD PARTIES ON EVE OF NEW YEAR.**

Mrs. W. J. Hudson, of Somerset street, gave a card party to a number of friends on New Year's eve. The guests remained to see the old year out and the new one in. A collation was served at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram A. Woodruff, of Westervelt avenue, gave a card party at their home New Year's eve. At midnight there was an exchange of greetings, after which supper was served.

**Miss Richards' Next Talk.**

Miss Janet L. Richards will give her second talk on "Current History" on Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Hartridge auditorium. Those who heard Miss Richards in December were delighted with the clear and interesting way in which she presented the English political situation and other topics of equal importance. Tickets can be bought for these talks from Mrs. Percy H. Stewart, 563 West Eighth street, or at the door.

—Start the New Year right by using Neuman Bros.' White Label canned goods.

## MRS. A. L. FORCE IS DEAD

### Beloved Wife of Newspaper Publisher Goes to Her Reward.

SHE SUDDENLY PASSES AWAY.

Woman of Beautiful Character Died An Hour After Heart Attack—Husband and Daughter Survive.

While surrounded by her family and in her usual bright spirits, Mrs. Clarissa M. Bradshaw Force, wife of A. L. Force, of Duer street, was suddenly attacked by aneurism at her home shortly after eight o'clock on New Year's eve, and passed away in an hour. Medical aid was powerless, despite the heroic efforts of the physician, Dr. Adams, to restore her.

Mrs. Force was a woman of exceptionally sunny disposition and fine womanlyy character and was greatly beloved by the hundreds who enjoyed her friendship during the many years she had made her home here before being called to the Life Eternal. Her domestic life was ideal and widespread sympathy is felt for the grief stricken husband and daughter. While she had passed the three score mark, being in her sixty-second year, she retained the brightness and apparent health of one of half her years.

Together with a number of friends, celebrated her sixty-first birthday anniversary on Tuesday night and at that time, as at all others, she was the life of the party and in excellent health except for a slight affectaion of the heart from which she had suffered for a number of years.

For some twenty-three years, Mrs. Force had been a faithful worker in and member of Trinity Reformed church and her good deeds and kindly influence was marked in that congregation. She was a devout Christian and found much enjoyment and comfort in church work. For two terms she had been secretary and again for two terms president of the Ladies' Christian Work Society and was active in other departments of church usefulness.

Mrs. Force was born in Brooklyn on December 26, 1848, and was the daughter of the late Robert and Sarah Bradshaw. The family removed to Newark, where she was married on September 16, 1868, to Albert L. Force, of this city, at the Bradshaw residence in Mulberry street. Rev. Dr. Levy, pastor of the Kinney Street Baptist church, officiated. Mr. Force was then associated with his brother, the late William L. Force, in the printing business here. Later they become publishers of the Constitutionalist. For many years Mr. Force has been the editor and proprietor of The Daily Press, which he founded in 1882.

The couple took up their residence in East Third street and shortly afterwards removed to thier own home in Duer street, which they have occupied for thirty-five years. By the union, there were two daughters, Clara Josephine, who died twenty-three years ago, and whose death was a great blow to the couple, and Lillian Augusta, who survives her mother. Mrs. Force is also survived by a brother, Robert Bradshaw, of Newark. Her only other living relatives in Plainfield are T. O., J. Hervey, John H. and Charles A. Doane, who are cousins.

The funeral services will be held at the home, No. 82 Duer street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, will officiate, assisted by Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick, a close friend of the family. The remains will be placed in a vault at Hillside cemetery until spring when the interment will be made at the convenience of the family.

There were few dry eyes, when Rev. Mr. Broek in a prayer at Trinity's morning service yesterday offered thanks for Mrs. Force's beautiful life and works. The pastor himself, was deeply moved, so much so that he changed the announced subject for his sermon, preaching instead on the topic "Make Sure of Tomorrow." He said that at the beginning of the new year Trinity had suffered an irreparable loss in her death and he referred to her sweet Christian womanhood, her domestic happiness and love and her devotion to the church and its upbuilding.

**Master E. J. Fincke Surprised.**

A surprise party was given to Master Edward J. Fincke, of 1122 South avenue, Thursday night. The evening was spent playing games, after which refreshments were served. There were about a dozen guests.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset St. *** 12 31 1m eod

## SANFORD WANTS TO BOND DUNELLEN FOR $20,000

Mayor W. A. Sanford in his first message to the Dunellen Council, which convened at noon on New Year's day, advocated the issuance of bonds to the extent of $20,000 to be used exclusively for street purposes. The opinion of the new Mayor evidently met with the popular approval of citizens who heard the message.

The following appointments were named: Borough Attorney, Walter L. Hetfield, Jr.; marshall, James Benson; street commissioner, Goldson Smalley. The office of the overseer-of-the-poor and recorder will be filled later.

## FORTY HOURS DEVOTIONS AT ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH

The observance of the Forty Hours Devotion was begun at St. Joseph's church last night, when Monsignor Connolley, of Phillipsburg, preached a special sermon on "The Love of God." There was a a large attendance and the service was marked by the rendition of the Christmas musical program by the choir, assisted by Korff's orchestra.

The devotions will continue tonight and tomorrow night. Tonight Father Devine, of the Sacred Heart church, New Brunswick, will preach, and tomorrow night Father Egan, of Haddon Heights, will officiate. The celebration will be concluded at this service by the solemn benediction by Father Miller.

## NEW YEAR RECEPTION HELD AT PARK CLUB

The New Year's Day reception at the Park Club was a great success. It was held during the afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock and a large number of members and friends called. The clubhouse was attractively decorated with Christmas greens, while the Christmas tree was left on the stage.

Those who received were Mrs. James R. Joy, Mrs. William A. Connor and Mrs. H. L. McGee, and those who presided at the tea tables were Mrs. James C. Peck, Mrs. Alexander Milne, Mrs. Francis DuBois, Mrs. Robert H. McCutcheon, Mrs. Edward T. Wilson, Mrs. George T. Rogers, Mrs. John M. Conklin and Mrs. John Valiant.

A feature of the afternoon were the readings and recitations by Henry Gains Hawn, of Brooklyn. Especially noteworthy were his negro dialect stories. Being a southerner these were given true to nature.

The Junior dance at the club New Year's eve was also a success, the attendance of junior members and friends being large.

**NOT SO BAD FOR A NEW YEAR'S CELEBRATION.**

The police court this morning was devoid of anything interesting. Several drunks were arraigned before City Judge Runyon and were treated with much consideration owing to the season. John Boberesko and Lewis Comosko, Hungarians got into a fight on New Year's Day and both were arrested by Patrolmen McCarthy and Anderson. It was shown that Comosko was the aggressor in the scrap and he was fined $5. Frank Johnson and William Flanagan received suspended sentences on charges of intoxication.

Nathan Meyers was arraigned on a charge of defacing a tree in front of his house on Watchung avenue, and was allowed to go on his promise to remove the three-cornered sign which he had erected. Grant Miller was araigned on a charge of beating his wife, but was remanded until tomorrow morning to allow witnesses to appear.

**Welcomed New Year.**

The advent of the New Year was observed by the Young Men's Hebrew Association by a reception and dance which was held in Saengerbund Hall on Saturday night. Several societies from out of town were represented at the function.

**Will Speak On January 11.**

Leonard Spangenberg, who was a member of the Common Council during the time of "The Big Six," will address the Board of Trade on Tuesday night, January 11, when he will tell something of the work of the council in former years.

**The Rasores Club.**

The Rasores Club will meet tomorrow morning at the home of Mrs. Joseph Yates, East Seventh street. The subject will be Harriet Beecher Stowe, with quotations.

## AGAIN HONOR MR. TOLLES

### For Fourth Consecutive Term He is Unanimously Chosen President.

APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED.

Gavett Named For Street Commissioner; Dr. Davis and F. W. Dunn For Health Board—A Busy Session.

The Common Council for 1910 held its first meeting for organization, Saturday night, in the office of Mayor Charles J. Fisk, the council chamber being too cold for use. All of the members were present and Mayor Fisk was there as a spectator.

The first business was that of re-electing Ralph I. Tolles president for

R. I. Tolles.

the fifth consecutive term. He is now serving his fourteenth year as a member of the Council. He thanked the members for the honor conferred and expressed the hope that all would work harmoniously together the coming year for the best interests of the city.

George B. Wean was re-appointed stenographer and typist for another year at a salary of $500, and Jacob C. Dunham was re-appointed janitor for the coming year. Constable P. V. Weaver's bond was offered, referred to the corporation counsel for approval and ordered filed in the county clerk's office.

L. V. F. Randolph petitioned the Common Council to vacate Bryant place, and the petition was accompanied with all the necessary consents of interested property owners. The matter was referred to the street committee. A petition was received from the Borough of Washington, Pa., seeking information about boroughs and was referred to the finance committee. Residents of West Fifth street between Monroe avenue and Lee place, asked for lights and this was referred to the light committee. A petition from residents of East Seventh street for an extension of the sewer system in Central street, was referred to the sewer committee. All matters left over by the 1909 Council were then referred to the proper comimittees.

The resignation of Patrolman Joseph Dunlap was received, accepted and placed on filed.

Mayor Fisk explained that owing to a new law, the appointment of special policemen hereafter must be done by the Common Council, that when a special is appointed he must deposit $5 for his badge and when he leaves office he is refunded $2.50, while the other half goes to a police pension fund, or if there be none, to the city treasurer for the benefit of the police department.

In the opinion of the Mayor, upon the advice of the corporation counsel, it was suggested that His Honor might nominate specials and have the same confirmed by the Common Council. Mr. Fisk explained that he had appointed Thomas O'Gorman, patrol driver; Health Officer W. H. Addis, Overseer-of-the-Poor A. D. Ayers and R. H. B. Dalley specials at Proctor's theatre, as specials, it being necessary that they be given this authority at this time. These appointments were confirmed. Others will be named later.

Mayor Fisk then appointed Miles Roberts, a shade tree commissioner for three years; Andrew J. Gavett, street commissioner for three years; Dr. T. S. Davis and F. W. Dunn, as members of the Board of Health for two years, and all appointments were confirmed.

Councilman Buxton, as chairman of the finance committee, then offered a number of resolutions, which were adopted as follows: Appointing The Daily Press and Courier-News as official newspapers of the city; instructing the finance committee to arrange for the publication in pamphlet form of all the city reports; appropriating $300 to the Shade Tree Commission; $4,000 to the street committee; $1,000 to the Board of Health, and $1,000 to the sewer com-

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## ANNUAL SALE OF DOMESTICS, WHITE GOODS AND LINENS

We bought these goods several months ago for this Special Sale, long before the sharp advance went into effect, which enables us to sell them from 10 to 25 per cent. less than we could if we bought them now. Lay in a supply now, the saving is worth while.

## THE ANNUAL SALE OF LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

which we started last Tuesday has proven the most successful we have ever had. Ladies who had heretofore gone out of the city for their undermuslins marveled when they come to view our beautiful stock of snow-white, dainty made, high class garments, at prices way below regular value Because we bought before the advance in cotton.

### 44-in, Bleached Cambric

Regular value 12c; sale price ..... .09

BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED SHAKER FLANNEL, value 10c; sale price ..... .08

18 INCH BLEACHED TOWELING CRASH; regular value 10c; sale price ..... .07

NAPKINS. 18x18 Hemmed Napkins, regular value $1.00, sale price, dozen ..... .79

TABLE DAMASK. Bleached, 60 inches wide, all linen; value 59c, sale price ..... .49

TABLE DAMASK. 72 inches, bleached, all linen; value $1.00, sale price ..... .79

NAPKINS. To match the above, regular value $2.98, sale price, dozen ..... $2.25

BLEACHED TOWELS. Huck, with red borders; 10c value, sale price ..... .08

BLEACHED TOWELS. Fine Turkish; size 18x36; 12½c value, for ..... .08

PILLOW CASES. Extra fine muslin, 42x36 and 45x36; value 20c, for ..... .15

SHEETS. Extra fine muslin, 72x90 and 81x90; value 89c, for ..... .69

COTTON DIAPER. 18 and 20 inch absorbant, fine finish; 80c value, for ..... .59

BED SPREADS. Full size, hemmed, Marsailles patterns; value $1.25, sale price ..... .98

FRINGED BED SPREADS. Beautiful fringed spreads, full size, sold regularly for $1.75, sale price ..... $1.25

WASH CLOTHS. Heavy Turkish Wash Cloths; regular 5c quality, sale price, 3 for ..... .10

TABLE OIL CLOTH. Best Standard makes, 5-4, sold regularly for 22c, sale price, yard ..... .15

### White Goods and Embroideries

5,000 YARDS of Embroideries, Narrow edging and flouncings, with insertions, from 1 inch to 7 inches wide, values 15c to 22c yard, sale price, yard ..... .10

2,000 YARDS Flouncing Corset Covering and Insertions, 4 to 18 inches wide; value 25c to 49c yard; sale price, yard ..... .15

MADRAS, NAINSOOK AND APRON CHECKS, in 10 different styles, 27 inches wide; 15c values for ..... .10

1,000 YARDS of All-over Embroideries, also fronting and dress flouncings; values up to $1.25 yard, for ..... .50

500 YARDS Dress Flouncings on Lawns and Swiss, 27 inches wide; 95c value for ..... .69

2,500 YARDS Cotton Cluny, Edgings and Insertions, also Platt, Val. and Point De Paris Edging and Insertions; value 15c to 20c, sale price ..... .10

30 INCH Fine Sheer India Linon; regular value 15c for ..... .10

45 INCH Fine Persian Lawn; regular value 25c for ..... .15

LONG CLOTH. 36 inch, close weave, 12 yard pieces; regular value $1.25, sale price ..... .98

CROSSBAR MUSLIN, 40 inches wide, assorted size checks; 25c value for ..... .20

INDIA LINON. Fine and sheer; reg. value 18c, for ..... .12½

DOTTED SWISSES. Several size dotts; values up to 20c, for ..... .12½

NAINSOOK. 27 and 36 inch, specially for underwear; 18c value for ..... .12½

NAINSOOK. Fine quality, 46 inches, 10 yard pieces; value $2.25, for ..... $1.75

### Beautiful Skirts for 75c

Of fine Cambric, with deep flounce of fine tucks and hemstitched value 98c.

SKIRTS AT 98c—Of fine Cambric, with deep flounce of wide embroidery, regular value $1.50.

SKIRTS AT $1.39—Extra full width, with deep flounce of several rows fine lace insertion; value $1.79.

SKIRTS AT $1.79—Extra fine Cambric, deep flounce and two rows of Cluny Lace Insertion and Edge to match; regular value $2.49.

CORSET COVERS FOR 25c—Of fine Long Cloth, with yoke of lace insertion or embroidery; value 39c.

CORSET COVERS AT 39c—Made of fine long cloth, with embroidery yoke back and front, beading and ribbon; value 50c.

CORSET COVERS AT 49c—Made of extra long cloth, deep lace yoke and embroidery trimming; value 75c.

COMBINATIONS AT 49c—Corset Cover and Drawers of fine long cloth, yoke of lace insertion and beading; value 75c.

COMBINATIONS AT 75c—Corset Cover and drawers of extra quality long cloth, yoke of embroidery, drawers lace trimmed; value 98c.

COMBINATIONS AT 98c—Corset Cover and drawers and corset cover and skirt, yoke of lace or embroidery; value $1.50.

COMBINATIONS AT $1.39—Drawers and Corset Cover, cover with medallions, drawers of nainsook, lace trimmed; value $1.98.

THE NEW NEMO CORSET 1910 SPECIAL.

A regular $2.00 Corset for $1.00. Made of fine English Coutille, has the new "Suspender" hose supporter which produce the ultra-slender figure, modish long hips, straight flat back; positively the greatest corset value of the season.

### Handsome Gowns at 49c

Made of good muslin, yoke of fine tucks, high neck and short sleeves, finished with ruffle, others with hemstitched ruffle; regular value 75c.

GOWNS AT 75c—Of fine long cloth, low neck, ¾ sleeve, trimmed with yoke of wide embroidery; several styles; value 98c.

GOWNS AT 98c—Of fine long cloth, empire styles, with waist of dotted swiss and lace insertion, butterfly or ¾ sleeve; value $1.50.

SEVERAL STYLES DRAWERS AT 25c—Good quality cambric, hemstitched ruffle and fine tucks; value 39c.

DRAWERS AT 39c—Of good Masonville muslin, with ruffles of fine cluster tucks and hemstitched hem; value 50c.

DRAWERS AT 49c—Fine quality cambric with ruffle of fine embroidery or lace insertion and lace trimming; value 75c.

DRAWERS AT 75c—Made of good quality long cloth, with extra wide ruffle of lace or embroidery or lace insertion; regular value 98c.

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## AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### RARITAN.

Supervising Principal George A. West is attending the fifty-fifth annual meeting of the State Teachers' Association in Atlantic City.

Miss Kittie McCarron, who has been visiting her sister, Miss Rose McCarron, last week, has returned to her home in New York.

William V. N. Garretson, of Yale University, is a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. N. Garretson, north of Raritan.

Thomas Hickey, of Lehigh University, is spending his Christmas vacation with his mother, Mrs. Michael J. Hickey.

Miss Katherine Seddon, of Green Knoll, is spending a week with her mother at Mahanoy City, Pa.

Miss Mary and James Martin, of New York city, are guests of their sister, Mrs. Oscar Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. John F. Reger, of Somerset street, are entertaining relatives from Trenton.

Miss Grace Kelley, of Bayonne, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cassidy.

Irving Benzer left on Wednesday for Appleton, Wis., where he will spend several weeks.

Lawrence Shearn, of Rosell's Park, spent last week with his mother, Mrs. Catherine Shearn.

Miss Daisy Reilly, of Brooklyn, is the guest of the Misses Bessie and Margaret Talbot.

A. Roberts Weart, of Boston, is visting his father, William A. Weart, at Blawenburg.

Miss Ruth Brightbill, of Newark, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry A. Frech.

Mrs. Roy Anderson, of New York, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smith.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will hold an important meeting Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Pugh are making their home with Mr. and Mrs. Charles DeHart since their return from Mexico.

Rev. W. W. Giddes, has returned from Rochester, where he attended the Student Volunteer Convention.

Mrs. Emma DeLong had a highly prized greyhound run over by a speedy autoist last week.

The G. E. club will meet at the home of Miss Cora Dayton on January 11.

William Herlich has returned from a sojourn with friends at Easton.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Touzeau have returned from a visit to Oradell.

Mrs. Josephine Terry, visited friends at Clinton last week.

George Schenck is recovering from an attack of rheumatism.

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The New Year was ushered in Friday night with the usual noisy celebration, but it only happens once a year, so everyone takes it in good part. A watch service was held at the Baptist church. Quite a few were out and a most enjoyable time was had. Coffee and sandwiches were served.

The Brookside Gun Club held a clay bird shoot Saturday morning and afternoon on the grounds near Green Brook. This is the first shoot the club has held in nearly two years.

The hour of the B. Y. P. U. service has again been changed from 3:30 in the afternoon to 7:15 in the evening. The change took effect last night.

There was baptism at the vesper service at the Baptist church yesterday afternoon. At the morning service the monthly communion was held.

George A. Clark, of Westfield avenue, has been confined to his home for two weeks with a severe attack of sore throat.

Miss Sadie Lee, of Front street, is recovering from a severe attack of sore throat, which has detained her at home for a week.

The members of the Epworth League held a well attended meeting last night in the class room of the church.

The public schools re-open tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock, after a holiday vacation of nearly two weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. White, of Boston, have been visiting Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen, of Watchung avenue.

Dr. Fred Emmel, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., has been spending the week end at the home of his uncle, Reuben Knox, of Rockview avenue.

George Chandler has removed from the corner of Westervelt and Grandview avenues to his own house just completed, at 151 Westervelt avenue.

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By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the following described lots or parcels of lands and premises situate in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, being more particularly described as follows:

First Tract—Beginning at a stake being at the intersection of the centre line of Belvidere avenue and Ravine road; thence running in a general southwesterly direction along the said centre line of Belvidere avenue and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of five hundred and forty-one and five one-hundredths feet to a point being at the intersection of the centre line of Berkeley avenue; thence running in a general northeasterly direction along the said centre line of Berkeley avenue and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of five hundred and ninety-six and three tenths feet to a stake being at the intersection of the centre line of Ravine road; thence running in a general northwesterly direction along said centre line of Ravine road and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of three hundred and sixty-four and forty-five one-hundredths feet to a stake and place of beginning.

Containing three and thirty-five one-hundredths acres of land and designated as block "A" on the map of the Belvidere Land and Improvement Company.

And being the same premises conveyed by James L. Anthony and wife to the said Joseph W. Reinhart by deed dated April 19, 1892.

Second Tract—Being known and designated as lot number 24 on a map of proprety situated at Netherwood, in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, sold by W. L. Strong, trustee, dated July, 1892, made by F. A. Dunham, civil engineer. Beginning as an iron monument being at the intersection of the centre lines of Ravine road and Berkeley avenue as the same are now laid out and opened, and running thence along said centre line of Ravine road in a southeasterly direction and the southwesterly direction and following the curve of the same a distance of four hundred and ninety-two and fifty-seven one-hundredths feet to a stake being the northwesterly corner of property now or formerly owned by Spence and Cudlipp and a northeasterly corner of lot number 25 on said map; thence along the line of said lot number 25 in a magnetic course of south eighty-four degrees five minutes west a distance of two hundred and forty-seven feet to a point being the southeasterly corner of property now or formerly owned by Eliza P. Brown; thence along the line of said property north twenty-eight degrees forty-nine minutes west a distance of two hundred and twenty-four and one one-hundredths feet to a point in the centre line of Berkeley avenue; thence along said centre line of Berkeley avenue in a northeasterly direction and following the curve of the same a distance of three hundred and sixty-three and one one-hundredths feet to the place of beginning. Containing two and two hundred and seven one-thousandths acres, more or less. And being the same premises conveyed to the said Joseph W. Reinhart by deed from William L. Strong dated July 25, 1892, and recorded October 18, 1892.

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In a word—the Sale brings decisive reductions on our record Low Prices—need more be said?

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yds., 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at yard **15c**

Infants' Long Dresses, trimmed in Val. laces and embroideries, slightly soiled, sold from $1.59 to $2.98, on sale **98c**

Kid Gloves — 20 dozen black and colored kid gloves, regular value 75c, on sale **59c**

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard **14c**

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, sale **59c** (18 to 30)

40 in. Bleached Pillow Casing, excellent 12½c value, at, yard **10c**

Ladies' Hose Supporters, with pad; regular 25c value, sale, pair ..... **.15**

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value, sale, pair ..... **.10**

30 Pieces light styles; Outing Flannel, regular 8c value; sale, yard ..... **.06**

**RIBBON SPECIAL.**

All Silk Taffeta and Satin Ribbons, an assorted lot, all colors; values 19c and 25c, at, yard ..... **.15**

De Bevoise Brasaires, embroidery trimmed; well boned; 75c quality at ..... **.50**

**COAT SWEATERS.**

Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25, sale ..... **.95**

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c, on sale ..... **.39**

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at .. **.29**

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn, sizes 24 to 34 shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... **.39**

**FINAL SELLING PRICES NAMED ON WOMEN'S SUITS AND COATS.**

As we never carry goods over, the Suits and Coats offered are late season styles. They're now marked to go at the lowest price quotation, affording you rich savings on fashionable garments.

Boys' Winter Coats, ages 2 to 6, neat dark style, made with padded shoulders like the big folks; regular $2.98, clearance price ..... **$2.25**

Children's Blue and Red Flannel Coats, warmly interlined, ages 2 to 6; regular $2.98, Clearance price .. **$2.35**

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes), regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... **$3.85**

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all wool Cheviot coats at ..... **$3.85**

Our $6.98 all wool Cheviot Coats at ..... **$5.25**

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10.00; Clearance price ..... **$6.98**

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at... **$7.85**

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at... **$9.75**

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Our $17.50 Caracul Cloth Coats at ..... **$12.85**

You must take into consideration that our regular prices are very low on these lines to appreciate the extent of this cut for this great Clearance Sale.

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**

We have grouped the remainder of the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price. **$8.50** (Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price **$10.85**

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price ..... **$15.75**

Children's Outing and Cambric Petticoats, small lot; regular 25c, at ..... **.15**

Infants' Short Coats, made of Eidendown and Bedford Cords, were $1.00 and $1.50, slightly soiled, at ..... **.50**

**Bargains in the Men's Department at this Clearance Sale.**

"Columbia" Shirts, one of the best known $1.00 Shirts on the market. We place on sale 10 doz. of this quality at.. **.75**

"Arbeeko" Shirts, odds and ends of 50c and 59c qualities, on sale at ..... **.39**

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; reg. 50c, at .... **.39**

Men's Natural Heavy Merino Undershirts and Drawers, regularly 50c, at ..... **.39**

Men's Colored Stiff Bosom Shirts, odds and ends of 50c and $1 qualities, on sale.. **.19**

Men's Neckwear, solid colored Barathea Four-in-hands, 12 colors to select from; regular 25c value, at ..... **.15**

Men's Guaranteed Sox, the Pelling & Madley make; 6 pairs guaranteed six months (guarantee coupons in each box), regular $1.25 box of 6 pair, on sale, box ..... **.95**

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## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FINE oak sideboard for sale; excellent condition; cost $75; will sell at great reduction. Address S. B., care Daily Press. 12 31 3

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, hood top. 110 Grove St. 12 31 3

80 CORDS of excellent fire wood, oak, hickory and beech, for sale cheap. 924 Field Ave. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texler. 1 3 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue tf

### Employment Agencies.

MURRAY'S Registry, a reliable help, good situations, very moderate fees, fair dealings to all. 226 East Front street, near Young Woman's Christian Association. 'Phone 666. 11 20 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

NOW is the time to buy Rugs. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 12 15 1m

LOWEST prices and easiest terms on pianos at the New Jersey Piano Co., 315 West Front street. Christmas bargains 12 11 tf

THE New Jersey Piano Company now located in Plainfield, 315 West Front street. Watch for big piano sale. 12 11 tf

NAGLE'S Pharmacy is the place to buy Christmas presents, perfumes, manicure and toilet sets, hot water bags, soaps, Apollo chocolates, cigars by the box. Call early and get the pick. 12 7 1m

HAVE your solid carriage tires applied at Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 12 15 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

MANICURE sets, comb and brush sets, toilet articles, for Christmas presents, at lowest prices, at Nagel's Pharmacy. 12 7 1m

WE PAY unusually high prices for furniture, antiques, etc., in good condition. Exchange, 325 West Front street. Tel. 901-R. 4 11 tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Money to Loan.

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail tf

Other Classified Ads on Page 5.

## Classified Advertisements

### For Lent.

FIVE rooms to let. 326 East Third street; city water. 12 30 3

HOUSE to let, January 1, West End avenue, Plainfield; improvements, C. Egel, Bound Brook. 12 29 6

SIX-ROOM flat to let; $12. Chas. Hand. 12 27 6

FURNISHED rooms to let for light housekeeping; steam heat. Address, 308 East Front. 12 28 6

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Chas. J. McNabb, 209 North avenue. Telephone 49. 12 11 1m

### Rooms and Board.

ATTRACTIVE large and small rooms; superior table; well appointed house. 333 East Front street. 4 20 tf

NEWLY papered, newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf


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SHERIFF'S SALE—Union County Common Pleas Court. Minerva Berry vs. Metropolitan Mercantile and Realty Company, a corporation, defendant. Fi. fa. de bo. et ter. On Docketed Judgment.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1910,

all that tract or parcel of land and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, County of Union and State of New Jersey:

Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of West Fourth street and corner of land now or formerly owned by John Welsh; thence running with his line north forty-two degrees and fifty-five minutes west one hundred and fifty-six and seven-tenths feet to a point in the rear line of West Third street lots; thence with said rear line of West Third street lots south fifty degrees and two minutes west twenty-nine feet to a point and making a new corner; thence running in a course of south forty-two degrees and fifty-five minutes east through their land and making a new line one hundred and fifty-six and seven-tenths feet to a point and corner in the northwesterly side line of West Fourth street; thence running along the northwesterly side line of West Fourth street north fifty degrees and two minutes east twenty-nine feet to the point of beginning. Being known and designated as 624 West Fourth street. Said premises is subject to a mortgage of $1,400, held by Mary W. and Julia Ketcham.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
ROBERT NEWTON CRANE, Att'y.
12 6 5 m EDJ&DP Adv. Fees—$17.22.

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between Harrie L. McIntosh, complainant, and Welvant Manufacturing Company et als., defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all those certain lots, tracts or parcels of land and premises hereinafter particularly described, situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey:

First Lot—Beginning at a point in the northwesterly side line of East Fourth street, distant in a southwesterly direction one hundred and one (101) feet from a point at the intersection of the northwesterly side line of East Fourth street with the southwesterly side line of Watchung avenue and corner of land owned by Frank A. Pope; thence running in a southwesterly course along the northwesterly side line of East Fourth street ninety-one and twenty-one hundredths (91.21) feet to an iron bar and corner of lands owned by the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey; thence running in a northwesterly course along the line of land owned by said railroad company as described in a deed from the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey to the Welvant Manufacturing Company, dated July, 1902, one hundred (100) feet to a monument; thence running in a northeasterly course and parallel with the northwesterly side line of East Fourth street and one hundred feet distant therefrom ninety-one and twenty-one one-hundredths (91.21) feet to a point and making a new corner in line of said Central Railroad Company's land; thence running in a southeasterly course along the line of said company's land and line of land owned by Frank A. Pope one hundred (100) feet to a point in the northwesterly side line of East Fourth street and place of beginning.

Together with the land in front of the same to the middle of East Fourth street to be used as a public street. Granting also all the rights and privileges of the use of an alley on the northeasterly side of said premises of nine feet in width and to be used in common with the owners of the adjoining property as granted to the party of the first part by Frank A Pope in the deed from him to the party of the first part, being a part of the property conveyed to the party of the first part by deed of Frank A. Pope and wife, dated April 1, 1902, and recorded in book 395 of deeds for Union county, pages 447, etc.

Second Lot—And also a small triangle of land conveyed to it by the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey by deed dated July 23, 1902, lying on the southwesterly side of said property and in said deed more particularly described as follows: Beginning at an iron bar in the division line between lands of the parties hereto and in the northwesterly side of East Fourth street, distant one hundred and ninety-two and twenty-one one-hundredths (192.21) feet westwardly from its intersection with the southwesterly side line of Watchung avenue; thence (1) north 47 degrees 27 minutes west a distance of one hundred feet to a point; thence (2) northeasterly parallel with East Fourth street a distance of five and fifteen hundredths (5.15) feet, more or less, to a point in the division line between lands of the parties hereto and being identical with the beginning point described in a deed from the party of the second part to the party of the first part hereto and of even date herewith; thence (3) south 44 degrees 31 minutes east along said division line a distance of one hundred and sixteen one-hundredths (100.16) feet, more or less, to the place of beginning.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
REED & CODDINGTON, Sol'rs.
12 6 5 m EDJ&DP Adv. Fees—$29.06.

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between John H. Van Winkle, executor, etc., complainant, and Dora Nelson, her heirs, devisees and personal representatives et al.; defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all tract or parcel of lands and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, being known and designated as lots numbers thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38), in block "D," on a map of 254 lots owned by Watson Whittlesey at Netherwood Station, surveyed September, 1891, by F. A. Dunham, and filed for record in the Register's office for Union County.

Beginning at a point in the north line of Jackson avenue, sixty-six (66) feet northwesterly from the northwest corner of Jackson avenue and George street; running thence northeasterly in a line parallel with the west line of George street one hundred and four and seventy-five one-hundredths (104.75) feet; thence northwesterly in a line parallel with the north line of Jackson avenue forty-four (44) feet; thence southwesterly to the north line of Jackson avenue one hundred and four and seventy-five one-hundredths (104.75) feet; thence southeasterly along the north line of Jackson avenue forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the party of the first part by deed of Watson Whittlesey, dated October 16, 1891, and recorded in book 234 of deeds for Union county, page 545.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
JOHN H. VAN WINKLE & SON, Sol'rs.
1 3 5m EDJ&DP Adv. Fees—$19.32.


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Central Lodge, A. O. U. W., will celebrate its anniversary on January 13, in an appropriate manner

## PERSONAL.

Miss Lilian Mundy, of Stone street, has recovered from an attack of diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Beekman, of this city, have been visiting relatives at Harlingen.

Miss Myrtle Montague, of the borough schools, has returned from Croton, N. Y.

William Douglas and Miss Helen Huff, of Neshanic, are visiting relatives in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Wheeler, of Watchung, have returned from a visit in Bayonne.

Miss Sadie M. Holeman, of North Branch, has been visiting relatives here for several days.

Miss Emma U. Tantum, of Sanford avenue, has returned from a visit at Asbury Park.

Miss Helen Parsons, of Newark, has been the guest of Miss Rena Kline, of Somerset street.

John Holcomb, of Brooklyn, has returned home after spending several days with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker, of Somerset street, have returned from a visit with Elizabeth relatives.

The Misses Martha and Clara Wessing, of New York, have been visiting their parents at Watchung.

Superintendent and Mrs. H. A. Krebs, of the borough, have returned from a holiday trip out of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Prudhon, of West Front street, are parents of a boy, born to them Saturday morning.

Mrs. Walter VanCamp, of Plainfield, has been spending several days with Mrs. Houston Brown, of Somerville.

Jacob Pfaff, of this city, has returned from a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Pfaff, of North Branch.

John Valiant, of Williams College, who has been spending the holiday season at his home on Myrtle avenue, has returned.

The Misses Edna and Abbie Van Cleef, of West End avenue, spent Saturday and Sunday with Jersey City relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Corning, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. Corning's mother, Mrs. John Valiant, of Myrtle avenue.

Miss Molly Perkins, formerly of this city, but now of Vermont, is the guest of Miss Louise Saunders, of Rockview avenue.

Mrs. Thomas MacDonald, of East Seventh street, who has been detained at home with a severe cold, is able to be out again.

The Misses Cahoone, of Watchung avenue, have returned from New York city, where they have been staying at the Hotel Martinique.

H. Craig Smith, of Madison avenue, who has been detained at home by illness during the past week, is improved and hopes to be out soon.

The Misses Louise and Adele Demarest, of Somerset street, have been spending their holiday vacation at the home of their aunt, Mrs. Edward Mosher, of Elizabeth.

Lois Rogers, the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rogers, of "Highland Farm," has sufficiently recovered from a severe attack of pneumonia as to leave the hospital yesterday and return home.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, of Central avenue, left today for Chattanooga, Tenn., where on Thursday he will officiate at the wedding of his grandson, John A. Chambliss, Jr., to Miss Margaret Sizer, both of Chattanooga, on Thursday.

## HE LAYS CLAIM TO BEING A SUPERVISOR.

Supreme Court Justice Francis J. Swayze Thursday night signed an order to show cause why a writ of certiorari should not issue to review the proceeding of the Essex County Board of Chosen Freeholders when it named a successor to John Barrett, of South Orange, as county supervisor of roads. The order, which was signed at the request of Daniel A. Dugan, of Orange, as counsel for Barrett, is returnable January 15.

Barrett declares that under the civil service act his removal was illegal. He was apointed to the position December 20, 1906, for three years. George W. Eager was appointed as the new supervisor of roads, according to resolution, his term beginning on December 21. Barrett is a veteran of the Spanish American War.

In an affidavit signed by Barrett, it is set forth that May 13, 1908, the Board of Freeholders adopted the civil service act passed by the Legislature April 10, 1908, and he contends that under its operation he cannot be removed. He makes the claim that he is legally the county supervisor of roads. In support of this claim he is reporting for duty every day.

Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T. will hold a regular conclave tonight.

The officers-elect of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will be installed on Thursday night.

There will be a joint installation of the officers of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., and the Women's Relief Corps on Tuesday night, January 11.

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## Jan. 3 In American History.

1740—Benedict Arnold, brilliant Revolutionary leader, who deserted to the British after a vain attempt to surrender West Point into their hands, born in Norwich, Conn.; died 1801.

1777—Washington defeated the British at Princeton, N. J.

1793—Lucretia Coffin Mott, reformer and abolitionist, born on Nantucket island; died 1880.

1890—George Henry Boker, author and poet, died; born 1823.

1893—Mrs. Martha Joan Reade Nash Lamb, a distinguished historical author and editor, died in New York city; born 1829.

1908—Charles Augustus Young, astronomer, died; born 1834.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:41, rises 7:21; moon rises 12:44 a. m.; 1:18 a. m., moon at apogee, farthest from earth.

**Plainfield, N. J., January 3, 1910.**

# AGAIN HONOR MR. TOLLES

(Continued from page 1.)

mittee, until the regular appropriations are made.

Another resolution offered by Mr. Buxton and adopted, renewed the usual arrangement for securing two copies of all legislative bills, as soon as offered, at an expense not to exceed $25.

Mr. Taylor gave notice of the meeting on Thursday night, when a gasolene expert will be present to explain matters pertaining to the application of the F. L. C. Martin Automobile Company for permission to install a large tank on its property. All auto garage owners will be invited.

It was arranged that the members meet tonight, according to the law, and then adjourn to Monday night, January 10, when the regular business will be taken up. The meeting then adjourned.

**Memorial Anniversary Mass.**

At St. Mary's church at 9 o'clock this morning, the Rev. Bernard M. Bogan celebrated the first memorial anniversary of his father, Charles Bogan's death in Newark, one year ago today.

**Death of C. F. Peterson.**

Charles F. Peterson, of Rock avenue, died Saturday, aged forty-eight. The funeral will be held from his late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 from his late home.

**Mayor Smalley's Message.**

Owing to lack of space, the message of Mayor Newton B. Smalley to the North Plainfield Council is not published today. It will appear in full in tomorrow's issue.

**Loyal Legion Exercises.**

The Loyal Temperance Legion will hold its Christmas exercises tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the W. C. T. U. hall. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

**No Drill Tonight.**

Co. K will not hold the regular weekly drill tonight but will hold the annual Christmas tree entertainment Monday night, January 10.

**Three Cars Derailed.**

Three loaded coal cars were derailed and fell over an embankment in the Lehigh Valley Railroad yards at South Plainfield yesterday.

**When Trouble is Found.**

Church—I see the subway cars have trials as well as the trolleys?

Gotham—Oh, yes, the trouble is not all on the surface.—Yonkers Statesman.


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# JANUARY FURNITURE SALE

As usual, we start the New Year with a big Sale of Furniture. The Sale this year will be of the greatest importance as far as money saving opportunities are concerned. For the past two months nearly every mail has brought us word from Furniture manufacturers all over the country that, owing to the great increase in cost of labor and materials, their Prices would advance from 10 to 25 Per Cent on January 1st. We took advantage of the situation and bought everything we thought we could use for six months to come, so that we are in a position to offer you Furniture at about what it would cost us to buy today.

In order that all may share in this great money-saving event, we offer the following inducement: If you don't need the goods till later on, come in and make your selection, pay a small deposit on them, and we will store them free of charge and deliver at your convenience; or if you need them at once and are not prepared to pay all the cash, take advantage of our "Club Plan" system of Easy Payments. We extend every convenience to responsible persons. This sale should appeal very strongly to prospective housekeepers.

SEE FURTHER DETAILS IN TOMORROW'S PAPERS


# MISS ELEANOR TENNY ALLEN WEEKS' BRIDE

Miss Eleanor Tenny, daughter of Mrs. John Tenny, of Brooklyn, and Allen Weeks, of Boston, were married at 12 o'clock today at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Howard Colby, of Evergreen avenue, in the presence of about twenty-five relatives and intimate friends. Rev. Dr. Hester, of Brooklyn, performed the ceremony.

Following the wedding congratulations were offered and a wedding breakfast was served. Early in the afternoon, the couple left on an extended wedding trip. They will reside at New Bedford, Mass., where the groom is engaged in business as a manufacturer.

**THE SHIPS OF YULE.**

When I was just a little boy,
Before I went to school,
I had a fleet of forty sail
I called the Ships of Yule.

Of every rig, from rakish brig
And gallant barkentine
To little Fundy fishing boats,
With gunboats painted green.

They used to go on trading trips
Around the world for me,
For though I had to stay on shore
My heart was on the sea.

They stopped at every port of call
From Babylon to Rome,
To load with all the lovely things
We never had at home;

With elephants and ivory
Bought from the King of Tyre,
And shells and silk and sandalwood
What sailor men admire;

With figs and dates from Samarcand,
And squatty ginger jars,
And scented silver amulets
From Indian bazars;

With sugar-cane from Port-of-Spain,
With monkeys from Ceylon,
And paper lanterns from Peking
With painted dragons on;;

With cocoanuts from Zanzibar,
And pines from Singapore;
And when they had unloaded these
They could go back for more.

And even after I was big
And had to go to school,
My mind was often far away
Aboard the Ships of Yule.
—Bliss Carman in The Delineator.

Knicker—What is Smith's idea of himself?

Bocker—He dosen't think anybody else can do a thing he can do, and he doesn't think anybody else can do a thing he can't do.—Puck.

"Here's all I have to say on the subject of Christmas shopping."

"Well?"

"If you dont know what you want, don't wait until Christmas eve to look for it."—Exchange.

Br'er Calhoun when asked a question
Puts his finger on his lips,
Thus recalling by the gesture
Some weak brother's vocal trips.
'Tis alone the silent Memnon
That escapes all oral slips.

**FINDING OF LARGEST DIAMOND.**

For twelve years the Excelsior diamond enjoyed its primacy, but on January 25, 1905, the greatest diamond known to the world was found in open-working No. 2 of the Premier mine, in the Transvaal Colony, South Africa, and from the finding to the cutting of this magnificent stone and its final disposal, its history is a most romantic one, writes Dr. George F. Kunz in The Century.

The day's work at the mine was over, and Frederick Wells, the surface manager, was making his usual rounds. Glancing along one side of the deep excavation, his eye suddenly caught the gleam of a brilliant object far up the bank. He lost no time in climbing up to the spot, where he had noted the glint of light. He had not been mistaken; it was really a brilliant crystal! He tried to pull it out with his fingers, and as this proved impossible he sought to pry it out with the blade of his penknife. To his surprise the knife blade broke without causing the stone to yield.

Confident now that the crystal must be a very large one, he dug out the earth about it, thinking for a moment that, contrary to all experience in the mine, the stone might be attached to a piece of the primitive rock. When he discovered that this was not the case, he began to doubt that the object was really a diamond. He said afterward:

"When I took a good look at the stone stuck there in the side of the pit it suddenly flashed across me that I had gone insane—that the whole thing was imaginary. I knew it could not be a diamond. All at once another solution dawned upon me. The boys often play jokes on one another. Some practical joker, thought I, has planted this huge chunk of glass here for me to find it. He thinks I will make a fool of myself by bringing it into the office in a great state of excitement, and the story will be told far and wide in South Africa."

Determined to test the stone on the spot, before proceeding further, Wells rubbed off the dirt from one of its faces with his finger, and soon convinced himself that it was not a lump of glass, but a diamond crystal, apparently of exceptional whiteness and purity. With the aid of a larger blade of his knife he finally succeeded in prying out the stone, and bore it away with him to the office of the mine. Here it was cleaned and, to the astonishment of all, was found to have a weight of 302¾ carats, more than three times that of any other diamond that has been discovered. Before many hours had passed the telegraph carried tidings to all parts of the world that the greatest diamond of this or any other age had been brought to light. Mr. Wells is said to have received a reward of $10,000 from the company for his discovery.

T. M. Cullinan, founder and chairman of the Premier company and one of the great prize winners in the lottery of South African speculation, named the diamond after himself; others have called it the Premier, and several different names have been proposed.

**Vogue of the Round Muff.**

Round muffs are seen again and it is predicted that by another winter the rug muffs will be considered out of date. These round muffs are very broad and also very large round. In fact, there are no signs of the return of small muffs.

**DUTIES OF SECRETARIES.**

The duties of a private secretary are of an interesting and agreeable nature, and yet few people know anything about the amount of work they involve, says The Book-keeper. The secretary must need be an A1 accountant, a capable correspondent, a good stenographer, of gentlemanly manners and refined appearance. His duties are regulated, in the main, according to the manner in which his employer's fortune is invested.

Suppose $5,000,000 is invested, two-thirds in municipal bonds of the first class, which are issued by the leading cities, and the remaining one-third in farm mortgages, real estate mortgages and stocks, while surplus funds are invested in commercial paper. The municipal bonds require but little care, all the work being necessary being to collect the principal and interest as they become due.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors for the ensuing year will be held at the banking house, 102 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J., on Tuesday, January 11, 1910, from one to two o'clock p. m.

WM. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 4, 1909.

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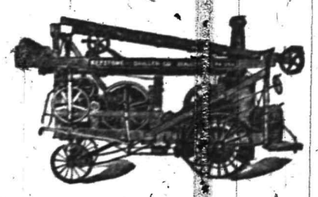

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## CHRISTMAS OBSERVANCES

(Continued from page 1.)

the Day Nursery.

The chorus choir gave its Christmas program of music in the evening before a large congregation and the pastor, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, gave a talk on the authorship of well known hymns. The solo work was taken by Miss Louella C. Harris, soprano; Miss Josie Bracker, contralto; William Holmes, bass, and George Smith, tenor. The program follows: Prelude, "Adagio," Bossi, Miss Florence Wohlfert, violin, Howard M. Case, organ; anthem, choir; invocation, Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss; anthem, choir; contralto solo, Miss Josie Bracker; with choral accompaniment; anthem, "Traditional Melody," arranged by Fitzhugh, sopranos and contraltos; sermon, Dr. Chambliss; offertory anthem, choir; benediction, pastor; postlude, "Fantasia," Bach.

### First M. E. Church.

The Christmas exercises of the Sunday school of the First M. E. church were held in Vincent chapel, yesterday afternoon, when there was an interesting musical program with recitations by the school, and an address by Harry Gee. Maurice E. McGrath was acting superintendent. The program follows:

"Our Prayer," Margaret Evans; "A Song of Christmas," Helen DeNise; "A Wee Little Boy," Earl Kane; "A Christmas Welcome," Clawson Lynn; recitations, Frederick and Irving Dodge, Florence Lederer; "A Christmas Ball," LeRoy Pope; recitations, "I Wonder," Charlotte Carpenter; song by the choir, Carlton Moore, Jessie Randall, Flora Vail, Warren Moyer, Charlotte Carpenter, Elizabeth Hicks, Alfred Little, Janet Marchant, Carrie Creager, Harold Seal; recitations, Christmas emblems, Howard Fisher; exercise, "Love," Lois Beekman, Carrie Creager, Thelma Dawson, Margaret Dunavan; recitation, Roswell Ewart; exercise, "The Stars," Warren Moyer, Russell Lynn, Arthur McVoy, Loren Pope; song, "Christmas Lullaby," primary department; song by junior classes; "The Spirit of Christmas," eight girls; recitation, "The Little Cripple," Elton Greenleaf.

In the evening the vested choir, under the direction of J. Edmund Skiff, organist and choirmaster, rendered "The Coming of the King," by Dudley Buck. The soloists were Miss Bertha vanNuis Willis, Harry R. Moyer, Bertram F. Tallamy, Miss Jessie Haynes and William Tallamy was the assisting artist.

### Warren Chapel.

The children of the primary department of Warren chapel Sunday school had their Christmas exercises yesterday afternoon. A feature of the program was the presence of the members of Helen Lovell's class of Bethel chapel, who rendered Christmas songs. A solo was also rendered by Miss Nora B. Schenck. E. C. Parvin gave an interesting talk on the characteristics of the Gospel of St. Mathew. The pastor, Rev. J. C. McKelvey, also made an appropriate address.

At the morning service J. Frank Burke, of the Anti-Saloon League, told of the progress being made in the local option movement throughout the State.

### Monroe Avenue Church.

Watch-night services during which the thirteenth anniversary was celebrated, were held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church Friday night, under the auspices of the Epworth League. The pastor, Rev. Charles S. Kemble, was in charge.

The services began at 9:30 with an informal social, and at 10:30 refreshments were served by the league members. A novel arrangement in the decorations was used. Early in the evening there was displayed by means of an electric light the figures "1909," and after the last hour of the old year was spent in prayer and song, the above figures disappeared and in their place appeared those of "1910" as the New Year was ushered in. There was a general wishing of Happy New Year, the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and in conclusion the church bell was rung for several minutes.

### First Presbyterian Church.

The quartet choir of the First Presbyterian church, under the direction of Clifford A. Braider, organist and choirmaster, rendered the special Christmas music. The quartet is comprised of Miss Jeanette C. Grant, soprano; Miss Jessamine Bird, contralto; Otto Knauer, tenor; Herbert R. Byard, baritone. Miss Edith Cecelia Ruber, violinist, of New York, assisted. The program follows:

Anthems, "Angels from the Realms of Glory," West; "Night Song of Bethlehem," Buck; "Of a Father's Love Begotten," Macfarlane; "Lo, a Seraph," Harker; solos, "Christmas," Miss Burd; "The Christ Child," Mr. Kanuer; violin and organ, "Virgins Slumber Song," "Meditation" and "Traumerei."

In the morning the Sunday-school held its Christmas exercises, comprising carols, recitations and an appropriate talk by the pastor, Rev. Dr. C. E. Herring.

### Temple Baptist.

Christmas services were held at the Temple Baptist church, yesterday. In the morning the pastor, Rev. J. W. Musson, preached a sermon on the theme, "The Birthplace of the Christ Child." In the afternoon the primary department of the Sunday-school held its exercises. There were recitations by Fred Berg, Wells Rose, Lillian Ryno, William Cartright, David Meyers; duets by Mabel Meeker and Hardress Patterson and the Misses Mattie and Christine Viebrock; recitation, Helen Waldron, and carols by the school. There was also an address by the pastor.

In the evening the first anniversary exercises were held. There was an excellent sermon by the pastor on "Christ the Light of the World," and an orchestra of ten pieces rendered special music.

## PHYSICIANS BANQUET AT OVERLOOK HOSPITAL.

More than 150 physicians from all sections of this State, New York and Philadelphia attended a banquet given by the Summit Medical Society in Overlook Hospital at Summit Thursday night. The sun parlors were transformed into four dining-rooms, which were decked in red and green with huge palms.

The table decorations were elaborate, holly and Christmas greens being used profusely, together with miniature bells and candles in red. The favors were booklets descriptive of Overlook Hospital.

Dr. James F. Mitchell, of Washington, was the honor guest. He read a paper on "Local Anesthesia," which was greatly enjoyed, and was followed by general discussion.

While the medical men performed all sorts of successful operations on the menu a Newark orchestra discoursed pleasing airs.

Dr. William H. Lawrence, Jr., head of Overlook Hospital, arranged the banquet, which was declared to be the most enjoyable ever attended by the physicians. Dr. Lawrence was assisted in perfecting the details of the function by Miss M. A. Harrison, superintendent of the hospital.

### There and Back.

"Papa, may I take my auto
In the country for a ride?
I will start out early, papa,
And be home by eventide."

"Yes, my boy, you have permission—
You may go where'er you choose;
But if you would get back some time
Take along your walking shoes."
—Yonkers Statesman.

### Poor Nagg.

"Mrs. Nagg treats her husband as she might a schoolboy."

"Yes, did you hear how she punished him for some minor fault the other day? She made him stay in the house after supper and button her shirtwaist down the back eleven times."

## MAY THE BEST MAN WIN, JEFFERY'S SENTIMENT

Editor, The Daily Press:

Mr. Harry W. Marshall, the present president of the Plainfield Board of Trade having written to that organization in most emphatic terms stating that under no circumstances would he accept re-election to that office, led me, at the request of many friends, to consent to run for the presidency of the body, and for the reason that it was pointed out there were factional differences in the organization and that I was not identified with any faction and would make a harmony candidate and upon hearing that Mr. Edmund W. Rushmore was also candidate I wrote him stating my position; two days later I offered to withdraw if Mr. Rushmore really wanted the presidency at which he replied, "First off, I thought I wanted it, but now I don't." I then gave an interview to the papers relating the circumstances and today met Mr. Rushmore, who informed me that he had decided to run and we shook hands over it and each promised the other that the loser should move to make the election unanimous. I now learn that the Rushmore forces will go for the re-election of Mr. Marshall. It is reported that I am not an eligible candidate because I do not live in Plainfield, which is bosh. My executive qualifications were proven at the recent election at Warren township, also in New Providence township, where I reside. I am a member of the Board of Trade and any member is eligible for election to any of the offices therein. My election to the presidency, supported by an up-to-date corps of officers and executive committee, should prove beneficial to this organization. I am not a believer in recounting the experiences of the past, but believe that our experiences either fit us or unfit us for certain work.

I leave it now for the members of the Board of Trade to decide who they want, votes cannot be cast over the telephone and it is to be trusted that there will be a large attendance at the election, which will be held Thursday, January 6, 1910, so that the choice may be the result of a substantial vote of the Board.

I am making no personal canvass.

WILLIAM JEFFERY.

## WANTS HOUSE BACK HE GAVE FOR MINE STOCK.

Jersey City, Jan. 3.—The New Jersey Court of Chancery was appealed to Wednesday to cancel a deal whereby William J. Winges, of Hoboken, traded a house and land in Dunellen, valued at $10,000, for mining stock. The case came up before Vice-Chancellor Stevenson in the chambers.

Winges wants the house back, and from what he said at the trial of the case it was evident he was willing to give up all the stock he got.

The sory he told was that in 1902 he gave the house and land to Benjamin W. Carlow, of Portland, Me., and got in return 8,000 shares of stock in the Colorado Consolidated Gold Mining Company. Winges said Carlow told him the company's plant was turning out $20,000 gold a year and that dividends would be paid on the stock on April 1, 19103. To Winges the April 1 date had no especial significance. He told the court that he did not receive any dividend at that time, nor at any other time.

Carlow, the plaintiff said, agreed to sell 4,000 of the shares within a year at $2.50 a share, but failed to carry out that part of the contract. Winges explained that he was one of a party of stockholders who took a trip to South Dakota at the company's expense to inspect the mines. When he got to South Dakota, he said, several dark holes in the ground were shown to him, but he did not enter them.

Then Carlow was asked to testify. He said the company never had issued any statement of earnings and had paid no dividends, as far as he knew. He had been a director of the company, but had not attended more than two meetings. The company was captalized at $5,000,000, but he could not tell how much of the stock was outstanding. The witness added that a man with a fortune of $30,000,000 was making an investigation of the property, and probably would be heard from soon. Carlow explained that about 70,000 shares of the stock are owned by members of his family and himself.

In the proceedings it came out that Winges also became interested in another mine, known as the Hidden Fortune gold mine. Winges expressed the opinion that the mine is so well hidden that no one can find it. He alleges he has a claim against Carlow for $1,750 for 100 shares of company owning that mine.

### Indirect Methods.

"This beetle paste I purchased here doesn't seem to kill the beetles at all."

"Ah, you see, madam, the properties of this preparation are not to kill the beetles at once, but to undermine their constitution."—Tattler.

### Unprejudiced.

"Yes, she's the author of 'Familiar Talks With Young Women.'"

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"Emma Jane Dibby."

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### An Unpleasant Reminder.

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"Mrs. Scroggs, after a very unsatisfactory dinner, said, shrilly:

"'When you married me, young man, you didn't marry a cook!'

"'Well,' said Scroggs, and his tone was very bitter—'well, you needn't rub it in.'"


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FORCE—Suddenly, on Friday, December 31, 1909, Clarissa M., beloved wife of A. L. Force.

Services at her late residence, 82 Duer street, North Plainfield, on Tuesday, January 4, at 2:30 p. m.

GRAY—On Saturday, January 1, 1910, Frederick W. Gray, aged 81 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 984 Hillside avenue, on Tuesday, January 4, at 11 a. m. Kindly omit flowers.

JENSEN—At Tulsa, Oklahoma, Dec. 26, 1909, Christen Jensen, formerly of this city, in his thirtieth year.

Funeral from 200 West Second street, Tuesday afternoon, January 4, 1910, at 2 o'clock.

MITCHELL—On Friday, December 31, 1909, Katherine Kerr Mitchell, aged 50 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, 322 East Fifth street, this afternoon at 4 p. m. Interment at Toronto, Canada.

PETERSON—At Plainfield, N. J., on Saturday, January 1, 1910, Charles F. Peterson, aged 48 years.

Funeral from his late residence, Rock avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on Tuesday, January 4, at 2:30 p. m.

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WANTED—A janitor, must have experience with furnaces. Call with references, 107 West Seventh St. 1 3 3

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WANTED—Young girl to help with care of children daily from 8 to 6. Apply 68 Norwood Ave. 12 30 3

WANTED—A maid for general housework; reference required. Apply 331 East Sixth St. 12 30 tf

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LOST—Brown overcoat and one full dress coat. Reward at Press office.

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# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Sleighing in Gloucester county is the best in years.

As a result of scratching his hand, George Abel, of Woodglen is critically ill with blood poisoning.

Ten-inch ice is being cut from all of the lakes in Cumberland county, the first stored for two years.

Under the weight of snow, one of the large packing sheds of the Williamstown glass works collapsed.

The sawmill of Samuel Taylor, near Williamstown, has been practically demolished by snow and wind.

Dogs killed 100 chickens belonging to Richard Tice, H. S. Ireland, John Hoffner and other raisers of Williamstown.

Wells are still low around Bridgeport and farmers have been cutting holes in the ice on the creek to obtain water for their stock.

The Williamstown Grange has elected Harry Bateman, master; L. W. Harper, overseer; E. C. Ritchie, treasurer; James M. Tweed, secretary, and J. D. Tweed, chaplain.

With his feet fastened in a sleigh, Edward Garton, of Millville, fell head downward and would have been injured but for the timely assistance of Charles Gibbon, who caught the frightened horse.

The greatest revival Clayton has ever experienced closed Friday with watch meeting in the M. E. church. Over 200 professed conversions have resulted from the meetings.

News was received in Trenton Thursday of the death in St. Louis, Mo., Wednesday, of Rev. Dr. Robert A. Holland, father of Rev. Dr. T. Bond Holland, rector of St Michael's Protestant Episcopal church of Trenton.

When Mrs. John Cheesman started a fire in a kitchen range at her home in Millville, Thursday, the waterback exploded, the stove was blown to smithereens and the kitchen wrecked. Mrs. Cheeseman escaped injury.

Robert M. Burrows, of Woodbury, who has recently been appointed clerk of the House Pension Committee, at Washington, and Mrs. Mary Moore Hoffman, of Reading, were married in Woodbury by Rev. Edward Dillon Wednesday night.

Two young men entered the office of Fred J. Potter, supervisor of the Amboy division of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at Bordentown, while no one was around at noon Thursday, and stole a $50 gold watch belonging to Reading Z. Poinsett, a clerk.

A debutante dance was given Thursday night in Jersey City, when Miss Marguerite Soney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Philip G. Soney, entertained at the home of her parents, in Gifford avenue. The large house was decorated with fir boughs, Christmas greens and poinsettia. Mrs. Soney received with her daughter.

A purse of $500 in gold and a roundtrip ticket for Europe were presented to Rev. John Hardenbrook Townsend, rector of the P. E. church of the Ascension, Atlantic City, Wednesday night at a farewell reception tendered him on the eve of his sailing for a three months' holiday abroad. Five hundred people of all denominations joined in the demonstration.

Gertrude Hamilton, fifteen years old, employed in Ackerman's silk throwing plant, Paterson, is now at the General Hospital, suffering from a painful injury to her right hand which was caught in the cogs of a reeling machine Thursday afternoon. The flesh was literally stripped from the hand, and the thumb and one of the fingers were badly crushed. Unless the injury heals properly, the thumb and finger may be amputated.

"We are snowbound in Atlantic City and we don't care for how long, as were were married Saturday night," came the word Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Ladd, of Clayton, from their pretty daughter Ida, who was soon to have had a wedding, with John Brooks, of Philadelphia, as bridegroom. Mr. Brooks and Miss Ladd were spending Christmas in Atlantic City and, becoming storm-stayed, decided it would be a good time and place to spend their honeymoon. Miss Ladd was a social favorite in Clayton, and her many girl friends are heart-broken to think they will miss a grand wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Ladd, who are among the most prominent people in Clayton, sent back their congratulations.

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"In the Bishop's Carriage," the dramatization of the famous novel of the same name, which comes to the Plainfield theatre January 10, is one of the most costly and elaborate productions taken on tour this season. Miss Stephaine Longfellow, an actress of most interesting personality, portrays the principal part, Nance Olden, who is a sort of female Raffles. But unlike the hereditary tendencies of that gentlemanly thief, the peculations of "Nan the Nipper," are the result of vicious environment. Her natural instincts are good, and her regeneration is one of the prettiest stories ever staged. Baker and Castle, the managers, have given this play a sumptuous mounting and a splendid company.

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## BRYANT DISCUSSES CHILD LABOR LAW

A vigorous discussion of the existing discrepancy between the factory law regulating the form of employment of children in factories of New Jersey and the compulsory school law, are features of the annual report of Labor Commissioner Colonel Lewis T. Bryant, which has been sent to Governor Fort for transmission by him to the incoming Legislature.

Colonel Bryant says that in the administration of the laws regulating the employment of minors in factories his department has been confronted with the difficulty existing between the factory and compulsory school attendance law. He then goes on to say:

"In order to obtain a more satisfactory enforcement of both the factory law regarding the employment of minors, and the compulsory school law, I am of the opinion that the Department of Labor should have absolute control over the question of age, and that so far as the manufacturer is concerned a certificate of this department should fully protect him in the employment of minors. The school authorities should pass on the educational qualifications specified under the law, and it would be well to have the certificate made one of the requirements of issuing working papers. If it may be deemed advisable to specify an educational test as a requisite for factory employment, the standard being such as to permit of a reasonable, uniform and universal enforcement. This arrangement, in my judgment, would have more satisfactory results than a law demanding a higher standard, but indifferently enforced.

"The jurisdiction of the Department of Labor should be extended, I believe, to include the enforcement of a law regulating the age of employment for minors in mercantile establishments at least during school hours."

Commissioner Bryant, commenting upon the factory canditions in New Jersey, says that present child labor conditions are good, and reflect the benefits of a strict enforcement of the law applying thereto. During the year the department ordered 259 children discharged.

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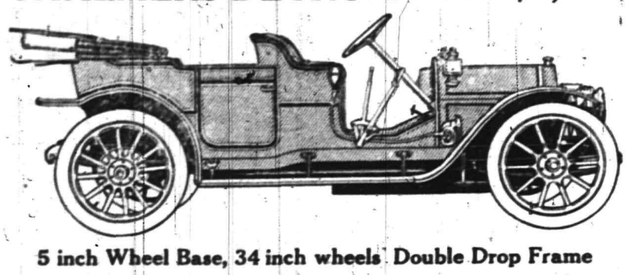

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The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of this Company for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its banking house, 202 Park Avenue, Plainfield, New Jersey, on Tuesday, January 11, 1910, at three o'clock P. M. The polls will be open one hour.

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Theodore Y. Bainbridge, of Marinette, Wis., has returned home after spending two weeks with relatives here.

## PERSONAL.

A. R. Tranchand is confined to his bed with an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Kate Yeomans, of Leland avenue, who suffered a stroke of paralysis on Wednesday, is still in a critical condition.

The Misses Marguerite and Kathleen Phillips, of Madison avenue, entertained a number of friends at their home New Year's eve. Dancing was the feature and at midnight supper was served and an exchange of greetings.

### NEW YEAR'S RECEPTION OF A PASTOR AND WIFE.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. C. E. Herring held a New Year's Day reception at their home on DeLacy avenue, Saturday afternoon and evening. A large number of members of the First Presbyterian church and other friends called during the day. In the afternoon there was an informal program of music by Miss Edith Rupel, violinnst, and Clifford A. Braider, pianist.

In the evening, Miss Helen George rendered several piano solos. Mrs. Clifford A. Braider and Mrs. LeRoy Gates were in charge of the dining-room in the evening.

### Injured "Jumping" a Coal Train.

Edward Hewitt, aged 15 years, of Newark, is a patient at Muhlenberg Hospital, suffering from a fractured skull and injury to several fingers on his right hand. He, in company with three companions, was attempting to "jump" a coal train on the Lehigh Valley Railroad at South Plainfield, yesterday afternoon, when he fell. He was taken to the hospital, where today it was said his chances for recovery are good.

### Christen Jensen Passes Away.

Christen Jensen, a well known carpenter, formerly of this city, but lately of Tulsa, Oklahoma, died in that city on December 26 in his thirtieth year. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from his former residence, 200 West Second street, at 2 o'clock. Mr. Jensen leaves a wife and two children. He was a member of Court Plainfield, No. 1144, I. O. F., and the Carpenters' Union.

### Y. M. C. A. Basketball Games.

Six games of basketball were playedn on the Y. M. C. A. courts on New Year's day, the scores being as follows: Williamsbridge, 38; Y. M. C. A., 28; N. P. H. S. 48; Y. M. C. A. 2nds, 20; Scotch Plains, 30; Crescent Avenue, 8; Hope chapel, 33; Trinity, 8; First Presbyterian, 28; First Baptist, 23; Y. M. C. A. Juniors, 37; Hope Chapel Juniors, 4.

### Protest Against Insurance Rates.

Members of the local Conclave of the Order of Heptasophs are protesting against the imposition of higher rates of assessments and options which they regard as unjust and contrary to law. A more complete statement of the conditions imposed by the supreme conclave will be printed tomorrow.

### New Year's Eve Supper.

The Independent Social Club held its first annual supper and watch-night meeting at the home of William Hartpense, on East Second street, Friday night. It was an enjoyable affair. Edward Koechlein acted in the capacity of toastmaster.

### Week of Prayer Observance.

The week of prayer will be observed in the Congregational church this week on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The W. C. T. U. branch, colored, will meet at the Calvary Baptist church, Thursday afternoon from 3 to 4 o'clock. Meetings will be held every Thursday.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church, will celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary with appropriate exercises tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock. Mrs. A. W. Hayes, secretary of the Elizabeth district, will take part in the service.

### SPECIAL SERVICES AT GRACE P. E. CHURCH.

After the feast of the circumcision on Saturday morning at Grace P. E. church the rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, held a reception at which a large number of the parishioners of Grace church paid their repects to the rector.

Yesterday the regular services of the church were held and in the afternoon the childrens carol festival was held.

### Funeral of Lorraine C. Hurtt.

The funeral of Lorraine C. Hurtt, was held yesterday afternoon at his late residence, 442 West Front street, the services being conducted by Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church. J. Edmund Skiff sang two solors. Another service was held at the vault and was conducted by the Brotherhood of Trainmen and the bearers were from the same organization. Many floral tributes were received from friends of the popular young trainman. The body was placed in the receiving vault at Hillside cemetery and will be interred beside that of his father in the spring.

### At Proctor's.

George W. Gotthold & Co., appear at Proctor's theatre, today in a screaming farce, entitled "Cousins," and Usher & Whitcliff will present a sketch called "Ranch Girl," a charming western story; a western girl left an orphan, and the owner of the ranch falls in love with an eastern chap who works on the ranch. John Mayon & Co., will offer a comedy sketch, good for the blues and Smither Brothers, clever comedy acrobats will do some good work. The pictures are of the same high class.

### Served Sixty-three Dinners.

At the Calvary Baptist church Saturday afternoon, sixty-three dinners were served to the poor people of the city, men, women and children. Nine dinners were sent to the homes of those unable to be present. The dinner was in charge of the women of the church.

### Frank Buckland, Jr., Baptized.

Rev. Charles S. Kemble, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, was called to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Buckland on South Second street, Friday night to baptize their infant son, Frank Buckland, Jr. The son was very ill with pneumonia.

### Mayor Fisk's Reception.

Upward of three hundred guests accepted Mayor Charles J. Fisk's invitation to meet him on New Year's Day and enjoy his hospitality. Besides all the city officials people from all walks of life paid their respects to the Mayor.

### January Term Opens Tomorrow.

The January term of the Union County Court will open tomorrow at Elizabeth, with Justice Bergen on the bench. The calendar is not a very heavy one.

## FAMILY REUNIONS WERE THE ORDER OF THE DAY.

The Blair and Dowd families had a reunion at the residence of J. R. Blair on New Year's day at which there were twenty-one representatives of the two families present.

Another reunion was that of the Wyman and Trimmer families at William Wyman's home on East Front street. Here thirty-four enjoyed the day. Representatives from Middle Valley, Elizabeth, Neshanic and this city were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Senno, of East Seventh street, gave a dinner party to a number of friends on New Year's Day. Covers were laid for fifteen. The home was attractively decorated in red and green. Guests were present form Newark, Elizabeth, Bound Brook, Philadelphia and this city. Mr. and Mrs. Senno received a number of gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Alpaugh, of 223 East Ninth street, held their usual family reunion on New Year's Day. For the past twenty years this reunion has been held on Thanksgiving Day, but owing to the illness of their son, D. S. Alpaugh, and the absence of another son, Edward J. Alpaugh, it was decided to hold the affair on New Year's Day. The children are Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Alpaugh and their daughters, Emmelene, Bessie and Florence, of East Sixth street; Mr. and Mrs. Forman Alpaugh and daughters, Lucy and Elsie, and son, LeRoy, of Orange. The other two sons, Edward J. and Chester T., live at home.

## SUPRESSION OF HIGH SCHOOL PAPER UPHELD.

Rahway, Jan. 3.—At the closing session of the Board of Education held Wednesday night, an objectionable issue of the High School Review was discussed. City Superintendent of Schools William J. Bickett, addressing the board, said:

"Last year the High School Review, a paper published under the auspices of the High School and written principally by the pupils of that institution, printed an article that reflected upon one of the teachers. The publication and the article got out to the public before this was known and the papers could not be called in. A censor was therefore appointed to look over the copy and squelch anythink of the same nature thereafter. Last week an article appear that, it is claimed, was inserted in the copy. After passing through the hands of the censor, and before the copy reached the printer, I learned of the affair and suppressed the paper, confiscating the whole issue and destroying it. I have brought a paper for the board members to read."

It was a disciplinary measure, and I felt it to be necessary. The article cost us about $27, representing the expense of getting out the paper. I would like my action confirmed.

A unanimous vote to sustain the superintendent was passed. A recommendation that the board pay the $27 was not considered.

When the first copies of the Review appeared, the female teacher who objected to the article that is allaged to have been disrespectful to her went to the High School principal and complained. He turned the matter over to the school board for action.

A decision of the previous meeting not to accept the resignation of Miss Allie Gibson as teacher was reconsidered and her resignation accepted. The fact that Miss Grace Smith, a teacher, has her class divided into two sections, which obliges her to teach an extra hour each day, resulted in her being allowed $10 per month extra, so long as this condition exists. The extr pay is to date back to the commencement of the class division.

## REV. JOHN Y. BROEK SPEAKS AT NETHERWOOD CHURCH.

Rev. John Y. Broek conducted a special service at the Netherwood Reformed church last night and took for his subject "The Conditions of a Successful Church." Mr. Broek selected an appropriate text and said in part that every great movement must have a leader. In the religious history of His Kingdom God has always provided leaders to carry on His work. We need not only leadership in the church today, but organization was essential. We must work together where we are doing things for God.

Combination is God's principle. Order is God's first law. We share privileges and we must also share burdens. God has organized His church here on earth that she might live in peace and holiness.

A successful church needs co-operation on the part of its members. One member cannot say to another, "I have no need of you." We all need each other and the church needs all its members.

### St. Mary's School Exercises.

Children of St. Mary's parochial school enjoyed their deferred Christmas exercises in the school hall yesterday afternoon. The little folks received presents, distributed from a tree and prizes for proficiency in studies during the year.

### A Good Omen.

Manager Sanderson did the best business on New Year's since he obtained control of the two local theatres. At both the Plainfield and at Proctor's, there was S. R. O. at matinee and night performances.

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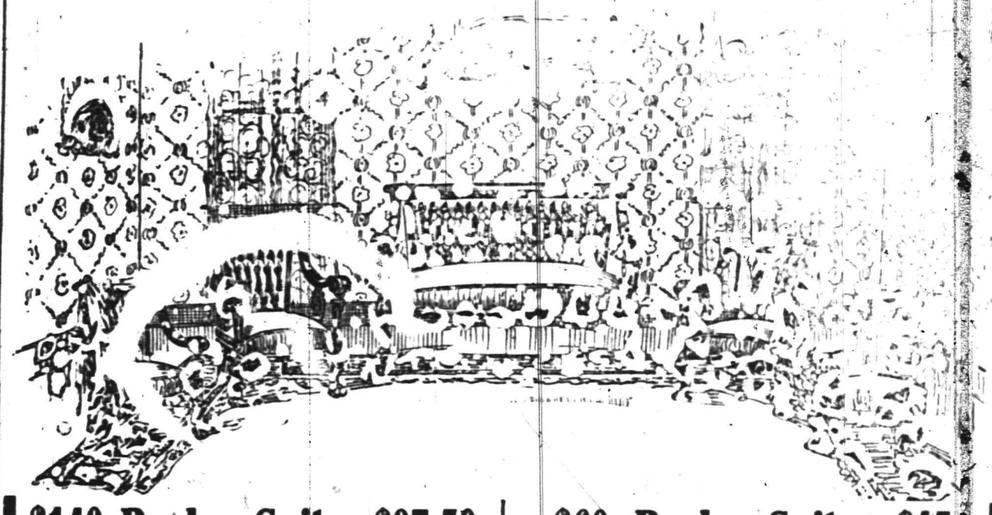

$140 Parlor Suites $97.50

Brand new five-piece Suites, heavy frames, in elegant mahogany finish, highly polished; claw feet, fancy carved front columns, round backs with a trifle of carving; roll edge framework; seats are plain, edge are puffed and the backs are tufted. Suite consists of one sofa, two large easy arm chairs and two panel back reception chairs. They are covered in mouse panne plush, pink panne plush and fancy velour; regular price $140; January sale price ..... $97.50

5-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered in silk velour; reg. price $97.50; January sale price $85.

5-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered in panne plush; regular price $100; January sale price $88.

5-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered in panne plush; regular price $65; January sale price $58.

5-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered in silk plush; regular price $53; January sale price $47.

5-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered in panne plush; regular price $80; January sale price $70.

$38 China Closets, $29

Every part of this one is constructed of quartered oak and is elegantly polished; it is 4 feet in width and stands 5 feet 6 inches high; ends are half round and con in bent glass; claw feet and gallery back are carved; five spaces are provided for display; two upper panels in back have reflecting mirrors. Regular price $38, January sale price ..... $29

OAK CHINA CLOSETS.

Regular price $24.00; January sale price ....$20
Regular price $23.00; January sale price ..$18.50
Regular price $39.00; January sale price ....$34
Regular price $58.00; January sale price ....$50
Regular price $66.50; January sale price ....$54
Regular price $72.00; January sale price ....$63

$38.50 Sideboards, $30

These sideboards are beautifully designed. They are made of carefully selected oak in golden finish, highly polished; 4 feet long; fancy shaped front and three small drawers, one lined for silver; compartment on each side; large linen drawer at bottom; panel carved in fruit designs; fancy carved images; neat carving at top; claw feet, brass trimmings. Regular price $38.50, January sale price ..... $30

OAK SIDEBOARDS.

Regular price $16.50; January sale price ....$14
Regular price $40.00; January sale price ....$34
Regular price $52.00; January sale price ....$44
Regular price $57.00; January sale price ....$50
Regular price $64.00; January sale price ....$56

EARLY ENGLISH.

Regular price $186; January sale price ....$150

OAK DINING CHAIRS.

Cane seats, regular price $2.25; January sale price $1.75.

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Cane seats, regular price $4.25; January sale price $3.50.

Leather seats, regular price $3; January sale price $2.25.

Leather seats, regular price $6.75; January sale price $5.75.

Leather seats, regular price $3.50; January sale price $3.00.

$30 DINING TABLES $22

It is made of golden oak and has a 48 inch top, extending to 6 feet. Has fancy moulded rim and a 10 inch pedestal with claw feet and carving. Top is made of nicely selected oak and highly polished. Regular price $30.00; January sale price ..... $22

EXTENSION TABLES.

Oak square, regular price $14; January sale price $12.00.

Oak round, regular price $16; January sale price $13.50.

Oak square, regular price $7.50; January sale price $6.50.

Oak round, regular price $23.25; January sale price $20.00.

Oak round, regular price $36; January sale price $31.00.

Oak round, regular price $54; January sale price $46.00.

LARGE EASY CHAIRS.

Mahogany finish, regular price $19; January sale at $17.00.

Leather, regular price $39; January sale at $33.00.

$60 Parlor Suites $45

Three-piece Parlor Suits—Frames are made of any finish, elegantly polished; has claw feet, panel back; arm chair and rocker are comfortable and the sofa is liberal in size; has just a trifle of carving on the framework; loosely cushioned seats tufted with tassels; coverings which it can be had in a panne plush, silk plush, silk or silver velour. Regular price $60; January sale price .....

Three-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered panne plush; regular price $72; January sale price $60.

Three-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered panne plush, regular price $65; January sale price $55.

Three-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered tapestry, regular price $113; January sale price $90.

Three-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered silk stripe, regular price $74.50; January sale price $64.

Three-piece Parlor Suites, upholstered silk plush, regular price $54; January sale price $39.

$4 Dining Chairs $3

They are made of solid oak, [illegible] highly polished; have neatly paneled back and genuine leather slip seat; you cannot duplicate it anywhere at the price at which you can buy it during this sale.

Well worth $4, January sale price $3.00.

ARM CHAIR.

Regular price $7.50; January sale price $5.75

$4.50 ROCKERS $3.75

Rocker, made of figured oak, golden finish, mahogany finish, highly polished; has saddle shape seat, upright panel in back and a comfortable fancy shape arm; base is strongly constructed. Reg. price $4.50; January sale price. $3.75

OTHER ROCKERS.

Oak, wood seat, regular price $3; January sale price $2.50.

Oak, saddle seat; regular price $7.25; January sale price $6.00.

Reed, cane seat; regular price $5; January sale price $4.00.

Mahogany, leather seat; regular price $25.50; January sale price $19.00.

Mahogany, polished seat; regular price $13.25; January sale price $10.00.

Reed, woven cane seat; regular price $18; January sale price $15.00.

$40 DRESSERS $34

Made of solid mahogany wood, with an egg-shell or antique finish; size of base is 22x12; has 2 large drawers and 3 small ones; wood knobs; first-class locks on every drawer and has a 24x30 plain French plate mirror; wood toilet screws; glass can be adjusted to any angle; all corners are rounded and the feet and toilet standards are of Coomal design; regular price $40, January sale price ..... $34

OTHER DRESSERS.

Oak; reg. price $15; January sale price $13.

Oak; reg. price $19.50; Jan. sale price $17.

White; regular price $18; January sale price $15.

Mahogany; regular price $28; January sale price $23.

Maple; regular price $43.50; January sale price $38.50.

Mahogany; regular price $26.50; January sale price $23.

$38 CHIFFONIERS $32

A match to the above dresser; constructed throughout of solid mahogany; base in size is 19x30 and contains 4 large drawers and 2 small ones; all drawers have substantial locks and keys; plain French plate mirror which can be adjusted to any position, size 18x18; it is trimmed with wood knobs and toilet screws and fancy turned feet and mirror supports; regular price $58; January sale price ..... $32

OTHER CHIFFONIERES.

Mahogany; regular price $33; January sale price $27.00.

Maple; regular price $33; January sale price $28.00.

Early English; regular price $9; January sale price $8.00.

Oak; regular price $35; January sale price $30.00.

Mahogany; regular price $30; January sale price $25.00.

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## REVIEW MISSION EFFORT

**Women's Foreign Society of First M. E. Church 25th Anniversary.**

SOME INTERESTING HISTORY.

**Miss Minnie B. Sharp Reads An Interesting Paper—A Luncheon Is Served At Noon.**

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the First M. E. church held its twenty-fifth anniversary meeting this morning in Vincent chapel, when there was an interesting review of the work of the society during the past quarter of a century. Mrs. Addison W. Hayes, wife of the pastor of the Westfield M. E. church, and corresponding secretary of the general auxiliary for the district, conducted the devotional services. Then followed the reports, which proved interesting to all present. Mrs. Mary L. Winter, president of the society, presided at the meeting.

Miss Minnie B. Sharp, recording secretary, presented a review of the work of the society for twenty-five years. Among other things she said:

"On Wednesday evening, January 7, 1885, Miss Clara Cushman, a missionary on leave of absence from her field of work, made an address in the interest of the Women's Foreign Missionary society, and if I remember correctly, she had been invited by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Tuttle, who thought this church should be represented in the work of sending the gospel to the women of foreign lands who could not hear it, only through the women sent out by the society.

"The following Friday afternoon, the women of the church met in the church parlors for organization. After the meeting was opened by Dr. Tuttle these officers were elected: President, Mrs. Samuel Mitchell; vice-president, Mrs. R. R. Fairchild; corresponding secretary, Miss Addie McGee; recording secretary, Miss Susie Jackson; treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Loomis.

"Four years later, Mrs. Mary L. Winter was elected to the chair, and has ever since been president, except part of one year, when Mrs. J. L. Hurlburt was president. Mrs. Loomis served as treasurer for five years, then resigned and Miss Jackson was elected and has since carried the burden of that office. There have been a number of corresponding secretaries. Miss Rachel Day served from 1894 to 1903, the others serving one, two or three years. The recording secretaries have been Miss Susie Jackson, Mrs. G. R. Cornwell, Mrs. Nelson Y. Hull and Miss Minnie B. Sharp.

"During the first year there was recorded a membership of eighty-two. At the November meeting of that year, Mrs. James McGee, gave the society $50 for the support of a Bible woman, and each year succeeding that sum was raised for the same purpose. Since then another Bible woman has been supported and the outlook of the society today is bright.

"The money raised during the past quarter of a century amounts to $2,667.74, and what has been accomplished for Christ's Kingdom no one can know, except the Master, who alone can give the increase."

After the meeting the members enjoyed a luncheon served by a committee from the society.

### TRINITY SUNDAY-SCHOOL GRADUATING EXERCISES.

There was an interesting session of the Sunday-school of Trinity Reformed church on Sunday afternoon, when the graduating exercises took place. Twenty-one pupils were passed from the beginners to the primary department, thirty-five from the primary to the junior department and twenty-two from the junior to the main school. The passing from one department to the other was accompanied by special services and each child received a diploma.

As the transfers were made the superintendents of the various departments in dismissal and acceptance of the pupils made appropriate remarks, and each separate newly formed class listened to a short address by the pastor, Rev. John Y. Broek. The graduates from the primary to the junior department each received a Bible in addition to the diploma. After the transfers there was speaking and singing by the various new classes. The report of the superintendent of the school was the most encouraging ever given and shows that Trinity is growing both in numbers and spirituality.

**Will Give Wedding Reception.**

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker Johnson have issued invitations to a wedding reception to be given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph N. Moore, of 747 Webster place, Thursday night, January 6, at 8:30 o'clock.

## TO CONSIDER PETITION FOR GASOLENE STORAGE

There will be a meeting of the Common Council as a committee of the whole, Thursday night, when all of the local auto garage owners will be invited to be present and listen to an expert on the storage of gasolene. The meeting has been arranged by the fire and building committee, of which Councilman Duncan W. Taylor is the chairman.

The purpose is to secure all possible information on the subject, relative to the application of the F. L. C. Martin Automobile company for permission to install a gasolene tank of ten thousand gallons capacity on its property on Park avenue. Mr. Taylor has been communicating with experts throughout the country on the subject and the committee will not make any recommendations until every phase has been considered.

## HEPTASOPHS IN REVOLT; OBJECT TO NEW RATES

Many members of Protection Conclave, No. 505, Improved Order of Heptasophs, in this city have declined to accept any of the options suggested by the Supreme Conclave and which were to become effective on January 1, and will pay their assessments under protest, claiming that the Supreme Conclave has no power to increase the rates upon a certain class of members or reduce the amount of their certificates.

It is maintained that the late decisions of the Court of Appeals in the cases of Dowball vs. the Catholic Mutual Benefit Association and Wright vs. the Knights of Maccabees, as reported in the New York Press of December 12 last, define the powers of fraternal organizations.

The action of the Supreme Conclave affects nearly all the members of the local conclave, reducing the amounts of some certificates hundreds of dollars. This seems to the members an unjust discrimination as they have already stood a raise in assessments of more than fifty per cent. on the amount they agreed to pay upon joining the order.

The circular letter sent out by the supreme secretary refers in detail to the action of the Supreme Conclave, which held its session at Saratoga last June and it insists that all options must be selected and returned to the supreme secretary by January 1. Many of the members have refused to file their acceptances on the grounds stipulated above.

## CITY FATHERS ADJOURN TO NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

According to the plans decided upon Saturday night, several members of the Common Council met last night and immediately adjourned to Monday night, January 10, when the regular business of the new year will be taken up. Those present last night were President Tolles, Charles C. Randolph, Francis L. Montgomery and Duncan W. Taylor, together with Mayor Charles J. Fisk.

The reason for this action was that there was little or nothing that could be done last night, as more time is needed to get into shape several important maters demanding the attention of the members. In the meantime, the various committees will have time to prepare business for presentation on Monday night.

**Rafferty Cafe Re-Opens.**

Godfrey J. Weinman, successor to the late John Rafferty, yesterday opened the cafe at 213 Park avenue. For five years he was connected with Cawley's Hotel, Somerville, and late proprietor of the Grand View Hotel, Fair Haven. Mr. Weinman proposes to conduct the business in the same satisfactory manner that characterized the previous owner.

**Reappointed Attorney.**

The Fanwood Township Committee at a meeting on New Year's day reappointed Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., as township attorney for the ensuing year. Mr. Hetfield received notification of his reappointment yesterday, accompanied by a letter, commending him for efficient service during the year.

**Hunt Club Chase.**

A half-dozen members of the Watchung Hunt Club enjoyed a chase on Saturday, starting at Dog Tavern and finishing at Westfield. The hunters found the snow pretty deep, but there were no spills.

**Refuse to Accept Resignation.**

Chris Cumins, whip of the Watchung Hunt Club, has tendered his resignation to the club, but the members have refused to accept it. He will remain here for the present.

## MR. LOVELL RE-ELECTED

**Following Organization, Education Board Listens to W. C. T. U. Plea.**

THE COMMITTEES ARE NAMED.

**Dr. B. VanD. Hedges Greeted As a New Member—A Janitor Resigns.**

The meeting of the Board of Education last night was enlivened by the presence of several members of the local W. C. T. U., including the president, Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson, and Mrs. Emily Coard, of Los Angeles, Cal., both of whom spoke on the subject of essays on temperance questions in the local high school and the pupils in the seventh and eighth grades of the other schools.

Mrs. Tomlinson told of the desirability of having the higher grades compete for prizes offered by the county, State and national unions, using as an argument the value of inculcating knowledge of the injurious effects of alcohol on the human system. The local union has a standing prize of $5 for the best essays on submitted questions, and it is desirable to place these questions before the hgher grade pupils for their absorbtion and discussion.

Mrs. Coard talked along similar lines giving the results in figures, of the plan as developed at Los Angeles, Pasadena and other California cities. In the competition there is a natonal prize of $50, which may be won by some pupil in the East. It was stated by Miss Tomlinson and reiterated by President Lovell that the Plainfield schools stand as high as any other schools in the matter of temperance learning. The matter was deferred until the next meeting of the board for decision.

The formal organization of the board was the first matter considered and Mr. Lovell was re-elected president; W. B. Tyler, vice-president; F. T. Woodhull, secretary. Dr. B. VanD. Hedges was greeted cordially at his first meeting with the board and was appointed chairman of the committee on fuel.

The report of the dental examining committee was read at length and showed the members how much work there is to be done in the mouths of the pupils of Stillman and Whittier Schools.

The resignation of Janitor H. P. Pugh, of Irving school was accepted and the nomination of his successor was left to the building committee with power. Harry Fraley, who has been Mr. Pugh's assistant, will probably be given a trial at the job. Other aplications for the position of janitor were received from Eugene Lawson and F. M. Kelso.

A letter of thanks was read by Secretary Woodhull from C. F. Abbott in appreciation of the resolution recently passed by the board regarding his long service.

President L. N. Lovell announced the appointments of committees for the ensuing year, as follows: Teachers and text books, L. N. Lovell, W. S. Tyler and F. T. Woodhull; books, stationery and supplies, Buckle, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges and L. N. Lovell; buildings and repairs, Woodhull, Buckle and Hedges; finance, Tyler, Woodhull and Lovell; fuel, Hedges, Buckle and Tyler.

The question of whether the pupils of the public schools will be allowed to contribute funds to Muhlenberg Hospital was discussed and finally referred to Superintendent Maxson with power. According to the plan outlined for the purpose, prizes are to be awarded to the individual and class making the largest contribution of money. The policy to be adopted in this matter will be given out later. The board adjourned at 9:40.

**Congregational Week of Prayer.**

The week of prayer will be observed in the Congregational church with meetings tonight, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday nights. The topics for the first three evenings will be those recommended by the Evangelical Alliance: Tuesday, "The Foundations Unshaken, Immovable;" Wednesday, "The Church of God on Earth;" Thursday, "Missions, the Necessary Expression of Christian Devotion." On Friday evening the topic will be "The Spiritual Interest of the Sunday school," and the meeting will be in the nature of a Sunday school rally. Classes are asked to vie with each other to have the largest number present. The new hymn book will be used and special music is expected at each meeting.

**Celebrate Epiphany and 12th Night.**

The annual Epiphany children's services will be held in the Church of the Heavenly Rest Thursday evening at 7:30, after which the children will adjourn to the parish house where a "Twelfth Night" party will be held.

## LACK BIBLE KNOWLEDGE

**Rev. Dr. Eaton Says American's Ignorance is Creditable to Jungle.**

HE PREDICTS GREATER UNITY.

**Noted Clergyman Declares He Knows of Few Places Where Prayer Is Needed More Than in Wall Street.**

Although he called prophecy a dangerous pastime, the Rev. Dr. Charles A. Eaton, pastor of the Madison Avenue Baptist church, who resides at Watchung, told his congregation Sunday that the churches of America in 1910 might look forward to greater unity and an increase in the layman's activity. At the same time he said that Americans in the mass have a "knowledge of their church and of their Bible that would not do credit to jungle inhabitants."

"It is characteristic of our life today that we find everything unsettled, no matter into what region of thought we enter," he said. "This attitude is beneficial in many ways, yet we encounter difficulty in holding up clean cut issues and standing by them. There was a time when we believed fully in the Bible, taking every period and comma as the word of God. Now a perfect flood of light has been turned upon the Bible; the attitude of the mind toward it has changed and must change in every age.

"In the general question of the general Christianity of America we fust consider a growing sense of unity among all the churches. The question is not of Protestantism as against all other beliefs, but solely of churchman against infidel.

"Looking forward into this year, what is there for you and me to take as the basis of our life? They say that down in Wall street men have not much time to pray, but I know of few places where they need it more. You men who have your places in the business world will place your faith in the Bible and in prayer. I think that Americans, no matter what they have done for economic or social progress, have a knowledge of their church and their Bible that would not do credit to jungle inhabitants. I am not speaking of the men only; I feel sure that if you asked the average small girl to turn to Deuteronomy she would look for it in the New Testament."

## OSGOOD AGAIN HEAD OF HEALTH BOARD

The annual report presented by Secretary Dr. A. H. Dundon at the meeting of the Borough Board of Health last night, showed that health conditions are generally good in that municipality. There are a few contagious cases on hand, but none of them considered of a serious nature.

The annual election was held and Joseph O. Osgood was re-elected president and Dr. A. H. Dundon secretary and registrar of vital statistics. Louis Ollif was retained as health inspector and Francis J. Blatz, Esq., as counsel.

### UNION COUNTY COURT WAS OPENED TODAY.

The January term of the Union County Courts opened today with Justice Bergen on the bench. Three grand jurymen from this city were sworn in, Ralph I. Tolles, Charles H. Hand and B. Frank Coriell.

Justice Bergen's charge was brief and to the point. He cautioned the grand jury not to let any violator of the excise laws escape, and told them to carefully weigh all evidence brought before them.

**Mr. Odam's Funeral Tomorrow.**

Funeral services for the late John T. Odam, who died in Trenton hospital on New Year's day, will be held in this city at the residence of his brother, Ely M. Odam, 1038 Arlington avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. A service will also be held at his late home in Philadelphia this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

**Funeral of F. W. Gray.**

The funeral of Frederick W. Gray, who died as a result of a fall on New Year's eve, was held this morning at his late residence, 984 Hillside avenue. The services were conducted by Rev. George Bowers, of Mt. Bethel. The interment was in Hillside cemetery.

**Plainfield Kennel Club Meeting.**

The regular annual meeting of the Plainfield Kennel Club will be held at Truell Hall tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. Officers will be elected for the present year and plans for the 1910 bench show will be discussed. All members are urged to attend.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## COWBOY RUNS AMUCK

**Terrorizes the Staid Citizens of Dunellen and Attempts to Jump a Train.**

BROKE UP COUNCIL MEETING.

**Medical Assistance Required to Calm Rum-crazed Westerner—He Pays a Nominal Fine.**

Phil Lloyd, a giant Oklahoma cowboy, with long hair, weighing more than 200 pounds, and standing six feet two and one-half inches, whooped things up in true wild west fashion in Dunellen yesterday afternoon and evening for several hours. Lloyd made his appearance in Mayor Sanford's bailiwick in the afternoon and promptly on his arrival there he tried to consume all of the applejack in town.

Toward evening he became so boisterous that the supply was cut off, and then he terrorized a number of the citizens by indulging in noisy demonstrations on the street.

The climax to Lloyd's wild actions came shortly after six o'clock when he announced that he was going to jump on the cow catcher of the first engine going west and return to Oklahoma. In the meantime, Marshall James Benson was notified of Lloyd's intentions. When he arrived on the scene Lloyd had reached the Chestnut street crossing and leaped over the gates, and standing in position to jump on a west going passenger express which was approaching. The express was about 300 feet distant when Benson nabbed the rum-crazed westerner. The cowboy put up a hard fight bpt after a tussle, Benson manacled Lloyd, and escorted him to the lockup in the borough hall, followed by a crowd of children and frightened citizens.

When Lloyd was secure behind the bars he gave a series of dances and sang songs of the plains galore. A supper quieted him for a time, but when the borough solons arrived at the hall, to hold their first regular Council meeting of the year, he started afresh. The Council started its proceedings, passed a few miscellaneous bills, but the rumpus was so great, that Mayor Sanford was obliged to suggest an adjournment.

Toward midnight the condition of Lloyd became so bad, that he tried to demolish the cell doors and do himself bodily harm. Borough physician Platt was summoned, and after giving treatment to the rum-crazed cowboy, Lloyd quieted down.

When Lloyd appeared before Recorder Campbell this morning he declared he had no recollection of his doings of last night. He said, however, that his last stopping place was in Plainfield, where he had a job shoveling snow. Recorder Campbell fined five dollars.

### GEORGE S. CLAY MEMBER OF NEW YORK LAW FIRM.

The firm of Dillon & Hubbard, attorneys and counsellors at law, No. 195 Broadway, New York city, has been dissolved by mutual consent, and a new firm comprising John F. Dillon, John M. Dillon and George S. Clay, the last named of this city, together with John C. Thomson, will continue the practice of the law at No. 195 Broadway, New York, under the firm name of Dillon, Thomson & Clay. Harry Hubbard will continue the practice of the law at No. 71 Broadway, New York.

**Noted Forester to Lecture.**

James S. Whipple, Forest, Fish and Game Commissioner, of the State of New York, will give an illustrated lecture at the Hartridge School auditorium Tuesday night, January 11, at 8 o'clock. Beautiful stereopticon views will be shown. The lecture will be given under the patronage of the following men: Orville T. Waring, Alexander Gilbert, George P. Mellick, L. V. F. Randolph, Charles W. McCutchen and Charles C. Burke.

**Resolutions for Ira W. Travell.**

The resolutions tendered to Ira W. Travell by the Board of Education after his resignation last fall, have been engrossed by W. Montgomery Smith and at the meeting of the board last night were signed by all but James Buckle. The handsome piece of work will be suitably framed and forwarded to Mr. Travell at Morristown.

**Mrs. McVey Reimbursed.**

A resolution by Mr. Tyler at the meeting of the Board of Education last night which received the approval of the whole board provides for the payment of $11.25 to Mrs. Lucy McVey for the use of the telephone in her home for school purposes.

**Hope Chapel L. A. S. Meeting.**

The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope chapel will meet at the home of Mrs. Milton Miller, on Everett place, tomorrow afternoon.

## TRUST COMPANY MAKES REMARKABLE SHOWING

In another part of this issue will be found the statement of the Plainfield Trust Company as of December 31, 1909. This concern makes a most excellent showing, in fact the best in its history. The deposits now total $2,815,203.94, an increase of $717,049.53 for the year, while the surplus and profits have been increased $46,478.36 to $202,501.58, or to more than twice the amount of the capital. In addition to which $5,000 of the cost of the building has been written off. All of this is in addition to a generous distribution of interest to depositors.

The Trust Company was organized in 1902 and this splendid statement reflects the growth and earnings of but seven and one-half years' activity. The company is to be heartily congratulated on this great success.

## WHAT IS THE $5 FOR? JANITORS WANT TO KNOW

Why should a school janitor be compelled to pay $5 for a special policeman's badge and then lose half of this amount on the return of the badge to the Chief of Police? This question caused a whole lot of discussion at the meeting of the Board of Education last night and, as the board think, with reason.

The janitors fail to see why they should deposit five good dollars for the purpose of wearing a distinguishing emblem of authority when there is absolutely no emolument to be derived and they have lodged a protest with the board. They don't quite see the justice of contributing $2.50 to the police pension fund when they are not considered in the benefit of that fund.

Their badges may be of use in chasing trespassers away from the school grounds, but, well what is there in it? The question could not be answered with any clearness last night, so Vice-president Tyler will investigate and report at the next meeting.

President Lovell appointed Mr. Tyler and himself as the members of the Board of School Estimate after the other committees had been named.

## NEW MARKET FIREMEN GET NEW QUARTERS

George Schenck, a member of the New Market Fire Department, surprised his friends and fellow members by presenting to the volunteers a frame building on his property for use as a headquarters.

The communication presenting the building was read at the annual meeting last night and a vote of thanks was immediately extended to Mr. Schenck for his generous gift. The structure will be moved to property of Justice Clark T. Rogers, who has offered the use of his land to the fire laddies. The firemen plan to take possession of the new fire house in the spring. A reading room will be provided and other comforts arranged.

The annual election resulted as follows: President, Alvin G. Nelson; vice president, W. T. Piddington, Sr.; treasurer, Clark T. Rogers; secretary, W. T. Piddington, Jr.; chief, Clark T. Rogers; first assistant, Harry J. Piddington; second assistant, Alex. Stillwagon; foreman, Alex. Herlich; with George Schenck and R. P. F. Von Minden as assistants. Alex Herlich was elected steward.

### PLAINFIELD COUNCIL INSTALLS OFFICERS.

Past Councilor E. Gibson Smith installed the following officers of Plainfield Council, No. 293, Jr. O. U. A. M., at its regular meeting, last night: Councilor, William F. Richards; vice-councilor, Harvey Van Pelt; warden, D. J. Fleming; conductor, A. R. Fleming; treasurer, Julius G. Williams; recording secretary, Fred E. Sebring; financial secretary, Joel Pennington; trustee, eighteen months, Alfred Peck; chaplain, John D. Oakley. The council enjoyed a visit from Deputy State Councilor Trimmer, of Roselle, who made a few remarks.

**"What Baptists Believe."**

Commencing tomorrow night and continuing indefinitely on Wednesday evenings, Rev. J. W. Musson, of the Temple Baptist church, will speak on the topic: "What Baptists Believe." He will base his remarks on the articles of faith of the Baptist church. Tomorrow night the subject will be "What We Believe About the Scriptures and About God."

## FIVE TOOK SOLEMN VOWS

**Bishop Mc Faul and Other Dignataries of Catholic Church Officiate.**

AT MT. ST. MARY'S COLLEGE.

**Service at Which Nuns Take Vows of Perpetual Profession—The Bishop Makes Address.**

The Rt. Rev. J. A. McFaul, of Trenton, and other distinguished representatives of the Catholic church were present at the reception and perpetual profession ceremony of five nuns who entered the religious world, at Mt. St. Mary's convent yesterday. The two services occupied two hours and the latter ceremony was marked with the impressiveness as is usual on such occasions.

The five women who took the vows of nuns were Sister Mary Paul Cannon, of Hoboken; Sister Mary Regis, of Red Bank; Sister Mary Casimir Schlis, of Bound Brook; Sister Mary Cornelia Anderson, of South River; Sister Mary Hillery Keely, of Summit.

Miss Genevieve Dineen, of Dunellen, was received as a novice into the order and given the name of Sister Mary Charles. She is a graduate of St. Gabriel's Academy, of North Plainfield, and entered the convent six months ago. Three years hence she will take the perpetual profession and become a nun.

Bishop McFaul spoke at length after the religious exercises in which he explained the duties of the various orders of the Catholic church. He said that women entering the nunnery make three vows, viz.: Voluntary poverty, perpetual chastity and perfect obedience.

Among the visiting clergymen were the Rev. William H. Miller, rector of St. Joseph's church, of the borough; the Rev. Edward Dunphy, rector of St. John's church, Dunellen; Monsignor Charles J. Kelly, of Hoboken; Monsignor Connolly, of Phillipsburg; Dean Mulligan, of Camden; Father McConnell, of Belmar; Father Reynolds, of Red Bank; Father Vinner, of Raritan; Father Ryan, of Bernardsville; Father Leahy, of Princeton; Father Devlin, of Hoboken, and Dr. Griffin, of Trenton.

### ROBERT EMMETT SCOTT HEADS TYPO UNION.

The Plainfield Typographical Union, No. 399, met last night and elected these officers: President, Robert Emmett Scott; vice-president, C. A. Nichols; secretary and treasurer, H. W. Thomas; sergeant-at-arms, C. W. Francisco. It was announced that all arrangements were completed for the first annual ball to be held at Saengerbund Hall, Friday night, January 29.

The members resolved to send a floral piece to the funeral of Mrs. Albert L. Force, wife of the publisher of this paper, as a tribute of respect.

### JUDGE CODDINGTON REAPPOINTED ATTORNEY.

The Piscataway township committee, at its organization at Nelson's Hotel, New Market, on New Year's day, reappointed Judge William A. Coddington, of this city, as township attorney for the ensuing year. Arthur Tappen was elected chairman, and George Harris was selected as treasurer. The new committee consists of Messrs. Tappen and Harris, John Geary and Charles Day, township clerk.

**Hope Chapel Celebrates.**

The Hope chapel Sunday school was twenty-two years old Sunday and the event was marked by special exercises. After the lesson, G. Herbert Condict, superintendent, spoke briefly concerning the anniversary and introduced F. H. Andrews, one of the first officers of the chapel. He spoke of the founding of the chapel and of the generosity of some of the early members, and the good work accomplished during the existence of the chapel.

**Dr. Stanley White to Speak.**

Dr. Stanley White, secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, will address the Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, Friday night. During the social hour to follow refreshments will be served.

**Exempt Firemen Entertained.**

David Allen, of Harrison avenue, entertained the members of the North Plainfield Firemen Exempt Association last night. Mr. Allen provided a sumptuous repast and an enjoyable sesion was held.

**Schools Re-open.**

The city and borough schools reopened today after the holiday vacation. There was a full attendance at all of the institutions.

**Important**

Beginning Today and until further notice. This store will be open at 8:30 A. M. and close at 5.30 P. M. Saturdays excepted.

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**The Ladies Home Journal**

for this month is on sale, it is the best number yet. Don't fail to get a copy. The New Home Journal Patterns are also here.

## ANNUAL SALE OF DOMESTICS, WHITE GOODS AND LINENS

We bought these goods several months ago for this Special Sale, long before the sharp advance went into effect, which enables us to sell them from 10 to 25 per cent. less than we could if we bought them now. Lay in a supply now, the saving is worth while.

## THE ANNUAL SALE OF LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

which we started last Tuesday has proven the most successful we have ever had. Ladies who had heretofore gone out of the city for their undermuslins marveled when they come to view our beautiful stock of snow-white, dainty made, high class garments, at prices way below regular value – Because we bought before the advance in cotton.

### 36-in. Bleached Cambric

Regular value 12c; sale price .09

BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED SHAKER FLANNEL, value 10c; sale price .08

18 INCH BLEACHED TOWELING, CRASH; regular value 10c; sale price .07

NAPKINS. 18x18 Hemmed Napkins, regular value $1.00, sale price, dozen .79

TABLE DAMASK. Bleached, 60 inches wide, all linen; value 59c, sale price .49

TABLE DAMASK. 72 inches, bleached, all linen; value $1.00, sale price .79

NAPKINS. To match the above, regular value $2.98, sale price, dozen $2.25

BLEACHED TOWELS! Huck, with red borders; 10c value, sale price .08

BLEACHED TOWELS. Fine Turkish; size 18x36; 12½c value, for .08

PILLOW CASES. Extra fine muslin, 42x36 and 45x36; value 20c, for .15

SHEETS. Extra fine muslin, 72x90 and 81x90; value 89c, for .69

COTTON DIAPER. 18 and 20 inch absorbant, fine finish; 80c value, for .59

BED SPREADS. Full size, hemmed, Marsailles patterns; value $1.25, sale price .98

FRINGED BED SPREADS. Beautiful fringed spreads, full size, sold regularly for $1.75, sale price $1.25

WASH CLOTHS. Heavy Turkish Wash Cloths; regular 5c quality, sale price, 3 for .10

TABLE OIL CLOTH. Best Standard makes, 5-4, sold regularly for 22c, sale price, yard .15

### White Goods and Embroideries

5,000 YARDS of Embroideries, Narrow edging and flouncings, with insertions, from 1 inch to 7 inches wide, values 15c to 22c yard, sale price, yard .10

2,000 YARDS Flouncing Corset Covering and Insertions, 4 to 18 inches wide; value 25c to 49c yard; sale price, yard .15

MADRAS, NAINSOOK AND APRON CHECKS, in 10 different styles, 27 inches wide; 15c values for .10

1,000 YARDS of All-over Embroideries, also fronting and dress flouncings; values up to $1.25 yard, for .50

500 YARDS Dress Flouncings on Lawns and Swiss, 27 inches wide; 95c value for .69

2,500 YARDS Cotton Cluny Edgings and Insertions, also Platt, Val. and Point De Paris Edging and Insertions; value 15c to 20c, sale price .10

30 INCH Fine Sheer India Linon; regular value 15c for .10

45 INCH Fine Persian Lawn; regular value 25c for .15

LONG CLOTH. 36 inch, close weave, 12 yard pieces; regular value $1.25, sale price .98

CROSSBAR MUSLIN. 40 inches wide, assorted size checks; 25c value for .20

INDIA LINON. Fine and sheer; reg. value 18c, for .12½

DOTTED SWISSES. Several size dotts; values up to 20c, for .12½

NAINSOOK. 27 and 36 inch, specially for underwear; 18c value for .12½

NAINSOOK. Fine quality, 46 inches, 10 yard pieces; value $2.25, for $1.75

### Beautiful Skirts for 75c

Of fine Cambric, with deep flounce of fine tucks and hemstitched value 98c.

SKIRTS AT 98c—Of fine Cambric, with deep flounce of wide embroidery, regular value $1.50.

SKIRTS AT $1.39—Extra full width, with deep flounce of several rows fine lace insertion; value $1.79.

SKIRTS AT $1.79—Extra fine Cambric, deep flounce and two rows of Cluny Lace Insertion and Edge to match; regular value $2.49.

CORSET COVERS FOR 25c—Of fine Long Cloth, with yoke of lace insertion or embroidery; value 39c.

CORSET COVERS AT 39c—Made of fine long cloth, with embroidery yoke back and front, beading and ribbon; value 50c.

CORSET COVERS AT 49c—Made of extra long cloth, deep lace yoke and embroidery trimming; value 75c.

COMBINATIONS AT 49c—Corset Cover and Drawers of fine long cloth, yoke of lace insertion and beading; value 75c.

COMBINATIONS AT 75c—Corset Cover and drawers of extra quality long cloth, yoke of embroidery, drawers lace trimmed; value 98c.

COMBINATIONS AT 98c—Corset Cover and drawers and corset cover and skirt, yoke of lace or embroidery; value $1.50.

COMBINATIONS AT $1.39—Drawers and Corset Cover, cover with medallions, drawers of nainsook, lace trimmed; value $1.98.

THE NEW NEMO CORSET
1910 SPECIAL.

A regular $2.00 Corset for $1.00. Made of fine English Coutillé, has the new "Suspender" hose supporter which produce the ultra-slender figure, modish long hips, straight flat back; positively the greatest corset value of the season.

### Handsome Gowns at 49c

Made of good muslin, yoke of fine tucks, high neck and short sleeves, finished with ruffle, others with hemstitched ruffle; regular value 75c.

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### BOUND BROOK AND VICINITY.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Foster and son, Lamar Foster, of Trenton, are guests at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Eichman, at High and Madison streets, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Charles W. Cadmus, of Philadelphia, is being entertained at the home of Assemblyman and Mrs. William W. Smalley at East High and Hamilton streets, Bound Brook.

Mrs. Elias D. Thompson and daughter, Miss Marjorie Thompson, of Philadelphia, are being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. George Le Monte, in West High street, Bound Brook.

Kenneth Storr, of Fanwood, is visiting at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Koehler, at Elizabeth and High streets, South Bound Brook.

Miss Lydia Sperling, of Bound Brook, spent the past week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Van Middlesworth, at Middlebush.

Rev. W. F. Dittrich, rector of St. Joseph's Catholic church of Bound Brook, is confined to the rectory in Mountain avenue by illness.

Israel W. Stout, of Greenbrook road, near Bound Brook, has gone to Rockville, Md., to spend several weeks.

R. W. Shoppell, of East Union avenue, Bound Brook, is spending several days at Atlantic City.

Miss Edith H. Mather, of Union avenue, Bound Brook, is visiting at Atlantic City.

Miss Clara Johnson, of Hamilton street, Bound Brook, is visiting at Hopewell.

### SOMERVILLE.

Lodge of the Castle, Knights of Pythias, has elected the following officers: C. C., Fred Van Wagoner; V.-C., Fred Benbrook; M. of A., L. B. Lamareaux; M. of F., John Gernert; M. of E., James V. Smith; K. of R. and S., W. D. Quick; I. G., Harry Bernhardt; O. G., Benjamin Duffield; representative to grand lodge, Joseph Fitzgal.

W. Percival Snyder and family have moved into their new home, High street and Doughty avenue. Alvah Amerman has taken the house on High street vacated by Mr. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vanderbeek, of Buffalo, have been spending the holidays with Mr. Vanderbeek's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Newton Vanderbeek.

At the election of officers of the Somerville Fire Department on Saturday Dr. C. F. Halsted was elected chief and John Gernert, Jr., first assistant.

Miss Emma L. Canfield and Jacob Reich, of this place, were married Thursday at the Fourth Reformed parsonage by Rev. Henry J. Wahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Vanderveer and daughter, Margaret, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Houston.

David Smith, superintendent of the Duke farm, has gone to Florida.

Miss Helen Shepherd is spending a week in Bridgeport, Conn.

### RARITAN.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Staats Quick celebrated the fifty-first anniversary of their marriage last week. They have two children, John V. M. Quick clerk of the Somerset District Court, and Mrs. A. Q. Amerman, of Newark.

Sylvester Kelly and Miss Grace Kelly are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cassidy, on Somerset street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lane and daughter, of Easton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dumont at Stanton.

Harold Carpenter, of Newark, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. William N. Adair.

William Towlan, of Frankfort, is visiting in Brooklyn.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Mayor Sanford's proposition to bond the borough to the extent of $20,000 for street purposes caused quite a stir among the citizens. While the general trend of opinion is toward improvements it appears to be the opinion of the majority that the amount named should be divided with other needed improvements.

The newly elected officers of Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., will be installed on the evening of January 10.

Miss Ruth Gardner is expected home from Boston this week, where she has been spending her holiday vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tobb, have returned to Port Richmond after a visit with relatives in the village.

Mayor Sanford will fill the office of recorder until a successor to Judge Campbell is appointed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. L. Peters entertained relatives over New Year's.

The borough school re-opened this morning after the holiday vacation.

Miss Anna Ace has recovered from a severe cold.

### STANDARD OIL GROUP EXTEND BANKING CHAIN.

The Standard Oil group of financiers, it is stated, has practically added the Carnegie Trust Company, the Van Norden Trust Company and the Nineteenth and Twelfth Ward banks, which the Van Norden owners controlled, to their chain of great downtown banks and trust companies.

The consolidation of the Carnegie Trust Company and the Van Norden Trust Company, with the two State banks, which has been pending for several months, is to be effected, it is understood, within the next six weeks. The resources of these combined institutions will amount to $42,000,000.

The placing of the two trust companies and their subsidiary banks in the ranks of the financial institutions headed by the Rockefeller National City Bank clique was the outcome of the resignation, it was said in Wall street last week, of C. C. Dickinson as president of the Carnegie Trust Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl B. Soverign, of Regent street, have returned home from Detroit, Mich., where Mr. Soverign attended a convention, of salesmen of the Acme White Lead and Color Works. He is the eastern representative of the company.

### NOTICE OF ORDER TO LIMIT CREDITORS.

Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of Susan L. Clapp, Deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the twenty-third day of December, A. D. 1909, on the application of the undersigned, as Executor of the Estate of Susan L. Clapp, deceased; an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Susan L. Clapp, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within NINE months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

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### Official Minutes of Meeting Of Union County Freeholders.

Adjourned meeting of the Union County Board of Freeholders held on Thursday, November 18, 1909, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed the following members present, viz.:

Director King and Freeholders Adams, Cady, Cladek, Darby, Garrison, Haviland, Jensen, Jones, Krouse, Martin, Meisel Perry, Robison, Smith, Stephan and Wilbur—17.

Absent—Freeholders Crane, Doane and Swain—3.

On motion of Freeholder Cady it was ordered that the reading of the minutes of previous meetings of October 21, 1909, and November 4, 1909, be dispensed with and that the same be approved as per printed copies on members' desks.

New Business.

On motion of Freeholder Cady it was ordered that a recess of fifteen minutes be taken.

Upon reassembling after recess, roll-call showed seventeen members present:

By Freeholder Cladek:

Resolved, That a committee of three (3) be appointed to ascertain the cost of repairs to Elizabeth avenue bridge in Rahway, N. J., and report at the next regular meeting.

Freeholder Krouse moved the adoption of the resolution and it was adopted without dissent.

The director appointed as the said committee Freeholders Cladek, Krouse and Smith.

The following bills properly audited and approved were read and on roll call unanimously ordered paid, viz.:

Elections Account—Jesse G. Wheeler, $30; Walter L. Packer, $30; Charles H. Beadle, $30; Herman Kuhlenschmidt, $30; Alfred H. Miller, $30; William N. Gray, $8, $30; L. A. Jussel, $30; B. A. Doyle, $8, $30; J. E. Warner, township clerk, $105.50; Township of Cranford, rent $8, $30; Ferguson & Van Name, rent $8, $30; William A. Smith, $20; Henry Bender, $20; Charles H. Brewer, $20; Thomas Thompson, $20; August Ritter, township clerk, $20; Thomas Thompson, rent, $30; William Lidgate, $20; William J. Lidgate, $20; William H. Carter, $20; Herbert H. Knight, $8, $20; S. W. McAneney, rent, clerk, etc., $20.50; James H. Guerier, $30; James E. Johnston, $30; John C. Rodin, $30; Albert Macauley, $30; Edward L. Hand, clerk, rent, etc., $26, $56; Albert R. Ashfield, $25; Joseph H. McGrath, $25; Charles Schoepisner, $25; Joseph H. Deremer, $25; William Darroch, clerk and rent, $55; Fred J. Hiller, $8, $20; William B. Cretty, $8, $20; A. J. Halliday, $8, $20; S. S. Ruth, $8, $20; Charles Knudson, clerk and rent, $20; Henry L. Blancke, $20; Henry F. Blancke, $20; Alex. R. Corbet, $20; Milton C. Loudon, $20; William H. Donaldson, rent $8, $30; Clarance H. Smith, borough clerk, $17; rent, etc., $39.20.

John Conrad, $30; George S. A. Pickel, $30; William H. Roll, $30; A. G. Hancock, $30; Linden township, rent, $8, $30; Frank R. Anderson, township clerk, $44.80; Edward B. Laing, $20; Joseph H. Edwards, $20; James M. Schoonover, $20; Joseph H. W. Edwards, $20; Robert Laing, clerk, etc., $25; L. S. Robbins, rent, $30, $8; Otto F. Adams, $8, $25; Samuel C. Parcells, $8, $25; John Dickinson, $25; Louis Stahl, $25; James Fallon, $8; J. M. Badgley, clerk, etc., $21.85; Uzal B. Crane, $8, $30; Jeremiah Callahan, $8, $30; Thomas L. Walsh, $8, $30; Horace G. Adams, $30; Thomas Keenan, $30; Walter Sharkey, $30; Richard S. Curren, $30; George A. Ballantyne, $8, $30.

W. H. Drayton, $8, $30; Richard J. O'Neill, $8, $30; P. J. Connelly, $8, $30; Godwin Beard, $30; Daniel F. Dugan, $8, $30; Harry W. Leek, $25; Peter W. McDonough, $5; Robert Guttridge, $25; Charles Hall, $25; James J. Scott, $25; Charles A. Case, $25; John Neagle, $30; Theodore J. Larew, $30; James T. McCarty, $30; Joseph F. Sheppard, $30; John H. Case, $8, $30; Fred J. Dixon, $30; John E. Moran, $8, $30; Thomas J. Connonnly, $8, $30; Vincent L. Frazee, $8, $30; John F. Casey, $8, $30; Edward F. Bowman, $8, $30.

Abraham Angleman, $30; James E. Huntington, $8, $30; Joseph F. Burke, $3, $30; Clarence H. Walden, $8, $30; John D. Scott, M. D., $5; Garret T. Dunham, $30; Aaron D. Newman, $30; Edwin E. Cronne, $30; William Coleman, rent, $8, $30; Nicholas Rocco, rent, $8, $30; Robert H. Keenan, rent, $8, $30; George W. Cole, rent, $8, $30; William Harper, rent, $8, $30; Charles H. Hand, rent, $8, $30; D. S. Dunavan, $142.60; J. T. MacMurray, city clerk, $422.50; William E. Simmons, $8, $20; Frank Sohl, $8, $20; Louis A. Burgmiller, $8, $20; George Heber, $20.

Robert G. Rogers, clerk and rent, $21, $56.50; P. T. Stinemire, $30; Hugh W. Roarke, $8, $30; Conrad Hoffman, $30; Edward J. Clark, $31; Frank Whitehead, $30; Fred L. Green, $30; Charles Schaefer, $30; Gustav J. Lanzer, $30; Nicholas H. Mooney, $30; Fred Ackerman, $30; Frank P. Price, $31; R. D. Uhler, $30; J. Henry Flake, $39; H. Dayton Crowell, $39; Josiah P. Mead, $8; Edward Leonard, $22; W. Thomas White, $38; L. H. Clark, $31; Thomas Healy, $30; John H. Hoehle, Jr., $31; Charles N. Lambert, city clerk, rent, etc., $121.50, $312.24; New Jersey Advocate, $109.15; Edward Stevens, $30; Joseph D. Lowden, $31; Alex. Cummings, $30; Alfred Menninger, $30.

A. M. Woodruff, clerk and rent, $21, $68; W. A. Mulford, $30; John F. Crist, $30; J. F. Callahan, $30; T. A. McDevitt, rent, $8, $30; W. J. Rigney, $30; J. F. Ostrander, clerk, etc., $28.95, $13; Abram J. Koester, $38; S. S. Woodruff, $38; Patrick H. Gunn, $38; Wilmer F. Sickley, $38; Olin D. Sickley, clerk and rent, $23.50, $66.20; A. S. Brewster, $8, $30; Richard Phair, $8, $30; Lawrence Kenny, $8, $30; P. J. O'Brien, $8, $30; Elmer Day, $8, $30; J. M. La Rue, $8, $30; James J. Funcheon, $8, $30; J. Howard Senior, $8, $30.

D. C. Day, $8, $30; G. A. Rapelyea, $8, $30; Charles Cushing, $8, $30; William G. Hoehn, $8, $30; Frederick C. Kelley, $8, $30; William McManus, Jr., $8, $30; John H. Pheasant, $8, $30; T. J. Scott, $8, $30; D. D. Gilchrist, $10.60, $21.20; Jilson & Falkenburg, $13.60, $28.80; J. Edward Rowe, city clerk and rent, $79, $236.70; Dennis Long, $30; H. C. Chandler, $30; A. B. Headley, $8, $30; Walter A. Miller, $8; D. B. Wade, $30; George Compton, clerk and rent, $21, $56.

Lewis M. Brunmer, $30; Jacob Wind, $30; John Leyser, $8; T. C. Faitoute, $8, $30; George Compton, clerk and rent, $21, $56; Samuel Burhans, $30; Allen C. Fitz, $30; Harold Thompson, $8, $30; Charles Ortlieb, $8; Charles Clark, $30; H. P. Manning, $25; J. S. Miller, $25; J. W. Wall, $8, $25; Eugene Wilcox, $3; Isaac Seeley, $5, $30; Anson F. Grant, $30; Henry E. Ferris, $30; John Goiltra, $8, $30; William C. T. Bachmann, $8, $30; George W. Cox, $8, $30; William H. Winter, $8, $30.

H. S. Butler, $8; John Campbell, $8; H. S. Butler, $30; John Campbell, $30; Lloyd Thompson, Town Clerk, rent $94, $279; Fred Kern, $1, $31; John Hollihen, $25; Cornelius Beagan, $30; James Hurley, $8, $30; William J. Wagner, $30; John McGonnell, $30; William McCaffrey, $30; D. J. Harrington, $31; James Lynch, $31; James J. Lane, $30; Jeremiah Warrington, $30; Frederick H. Voelker, $30; George B. Kinsey, $30; Robert T. Fox, $30; Joseph J. Lee, $30; John J. Kelley, $38; John D. Eldridge, $35; Thomas Sullivan, $38; Charles Vollmer, $8, $31; Daniel J. McCarthy, $30, $8.

James D. Randolph, $31, $8; William W. Moore, $30, $8; John A. Devine, $30, $8; John J. Hannan, $31; William E. O'Brien, $30; John L. Creamer, $30; David J. Cunningham, $30; Oscar Mason, $31; John F. Turley, $30; John Kelleher, $30; Theodore Crowell, $30; John E. Klein, $8, $30; Theodore Barrer, $8, $30; Peter J. Gallagher, $8, $30; George Hartman, $9, $31; M. McCormack, $30; George V. Shauck, $30; William Neubauer, $30; B. J. Lavin, $30; Frank T. Mountford, $38; Arthur Dixon, $8, $30.

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Alex Grote, $30, $8; John J. Kane, $8, $30; Ewald Wilpat, $9, $31; Joseph H. Ord, $30; George Messing, $9, $31; William D. Smith, $8, $30; Joseph H. Ord, $8; Philipe Smith, $15; Louis S. Mengel, $9, $1; Callahan McCarthy, $30; Michael Reilly, $30; Daniel Mehegan, $30; Frank Lammerdink, $30; Charles M. B. Keimig, $31; H. A. Sendel, $30; James Reilly, $30; William A. Clark, $30; Herman Unbekant, $31; Monroe Callman, $30; Isaac Walsh, $25; William F. Walsh, $5; Henry M. Waltz, $8, $30; Frank Dakin, Jr., $8, $30.

Henry F. Clauss, $8, $30; Harry Eckerson, $9, $31; George A. Mooney, $8, $31; George F. Saunders, $8, $30; Frederick A. Neuber, $8, $30; Jacob Elmiger, Jr., $8, $30; William S. Pearce, $30; John D. Courter, $30; DeWitt C. Tomley, $21; William H. Henriques, $10; Thomas F. Beirne, $30; William E. Allen, $8, $30; John J. Fitzgerald, $8, $30; William F. Leary, $8, $30; John J. Gardner, $8, $30; Andrew T. Tillou, $30; William M. Lane, $30; T. Kensett Wheeler, $31; Henry G. Bauer, $30; Herbert A. Ackerman, $30; James L. Monroe, $30; Philip A. Daugherty, $31.

Frank J. Schear, Jr., $30; Ernest Naar, $8; Henry F. Wolfskeil, $30; Eric C. Lath, $30; William A. Miller, $31; Albert E. Barnard, $30; Timothy J. Cronin, $30; George H. Daubner, $30; William J. Euler, $30; Eugene Lytle, $31; Walter N. Colwell, $31; James J. Coakley, $30; John Holland, $30; Isaac P. Hauck, $30; Alexander Dick, $38; John R. Corbet, $8, $31; George W. Harrison, $30; William R. McQueen, Jr., $30; Morris Koestler, $2.10; John Kenah, city clerk, rent, etc., $56.90; Henry F. Wolfskeil, $15.90; Oliver Conlon, $37.15; Courier News Pub. Co., $1,355.94; Robert F. McAdams, $400; George J. Stewart, $400; Ralph L. Morrow, $400; Fred Zlor, $400; S. Rusling Ryno, $69, $400; Robert J. Kirkland, $5; Fred R. Lenmann, $586.45; James Calvert, $704.40, $2,031.44.

Bridge Account—William E. Warren, $2,000.

Freeholder Krouse moved to adjourn. Which was carried.

The Director declared the Board adjourned until Thursday, December 21, 1909, at 2:30 p. m.

S. RUSLING RYNO, Clerk.

### LAST CALL.

'Tis the day before Christmas and
all through the stores
The people go tramping by dozens
and scores.
They didn't shop early and now it is
late
And they are all left in a terrible
state.

But some had no money and waited
for pay
And therefore are doing their shopping today.
And some received presents they
didn't foresee,
And some forgot something for
trimming the tree.

'Tis the day before Christmas and
all through the streets
The people are running their Marathon heats.
But all of the shoppers are merry
and bright
And hope to get through with their
trouble by night. —Exchange.

## Previous Prices Now Deeply Reduced to Clear All Departments of Winter Goods

The store-keeping principle of this store is to positively prevent our Winter stocks overlapping the arrival of Spring goods. Their complete Clearance is the purpose of the mightiest merchandise movement of this mid-winter month. The deeply reduced prices present powerful reasons for your ready response to economy's most worth while event.

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What we buy to sell this season **must** be sold this season. Thus every article of Winter merchandise now in this store is marked down to a point where its speedy Sale is assured. Women's ready to wear garments suffer decisive price cutting with winter weather, as some say, just beginning, the need for warm clothes is being felt more every day.

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# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

In the case of the Notts Golf Club a point is raised as to the penalty stroke and the procedure which governs the playing of a ball which has been accidentally moved. It seems that in a stroke competition a caddie dropped a club on the ball of his master, the ball being on the putting green. The ball having been moved by the dropping of the club, the caddie lifted it and placed it upon the spot from which it had been moved. The incident having been reported to the local committee, a penalty stroke was imposed, though the players, after subsequently referring to the rules, came to the conclusion that there was no penalty imposed for the accident, and they accordingly altered the figure on the card so as to omit the imposition of the penalty stroke.

The players asked that the subject should be referred to the rules of golf committee, and that body replied that the player to whom the moved ball belonged was disqualified. The point upon which guidance is asked is whether the ball should have been played where it lay after the dropping of the club had moved it, or whether it was correct on the part of the caddie to replace it. The rules committee points out that a penalty stroke was incurred through the accidental moving of the ball and that the ball should have been played from where it lay after the accident.

# DIAMONDS AND TRADE DURING CURRENT YEAR

Prosperity has returned, according to the figures of the imports and exports for the calendar year of 1909, just published by the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

The surest indication of ready money, officials declare, is the diamond market, and during the first eleven months of 1909 this has boomed, the importation of cut diamonds amounting to $25,214,541, three times more than during the same period last year and almost $6,500,000 more than during that time in 1907. In fact the imports of cut diamonds for this year, with December omitted, amounted to over $1,000,000 more than for the twelve months of 1907, the banner year in the importation of cut diamonds. On these cut diamonds this year the United States Government has collected $2,500,000 in duties. Belgium and Netherlands are the countries selling the most of these stones to the United States.

It will surprise many people to learn that over $40,000,000 worth of diamonds and other precious stones were imported into the United States for the first eleven months of 1909. These are the correct figures and represent an increase of $28,000,000 over the figures of 1908, and more than $8,000,000 over 1907, this country's record year for the import of jewels.

During the calendar year the foreign commerce of the United States exceeded in value that of any earlier year, with the single exception of 1907. The imports were larger than for any previous twelve months, but the exports will fall somewhat below those of 1906 and 1907.

The only matter for serious reflection in the report is the statement that the exportation of food stuffs, both raw and manufactured, has fallen lower than has been noted in a decade. This gives rise to some apprehension, especially when it is accompanied by the statement that while other countries are selling to the United States, this country's trade with other nations has suffered.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Junior Epworth League of the First M. E. church will omit its meeting this week Friday, and will meet on January 14.

The monthly meeting of the official board of the First M. E. church will be held tomorrow night at 9 o'clock, following the prayer service.

The quarterly meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will be held in the parlors of the church Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Letters will be read acknowledging the receipt of boxes. Rev. Dr. Halliday will make a short address.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church will hold its sewing meeting at Vincent chapel today. At 11 o'clock this morning the foreign missionary society met with appropriate exercises. At 3 o'clock this afternoon the home society will hold its monthly meeting.

Union prayer services will be held at the First M. E. church tomorrow night, when Rev. C. S. Kemble, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, will speak. Thursday night the meeting will be held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church and on Friday night the services will be held at Grace M. E. church.

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## Jan. 4 In American History.

1789—Benjamin Lundy, philanthropist and abolitionist, born; died 1839. Lundy established an anti-slavery association in 1815. Among other means of suppressing slavery he advocated the boycott against all products from slave labor.

1882—John William Draper, M. D., philosophic writer, died; born 1811.

1894—Elizabeth Palmer Peabody, educator and reformer, died; born 1805.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:42, rises 7:21; moon rises 1:45 a. m.; 2 p. m., planet Jupiter at quadrature with the sun, being 90 degrees west thereof.

Plainfield, N. J., January 4, 1910.


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# JANUARY FURNITURE SALE

As usual, we start the New Year with a big Sale of Furniture. The Sale this year will be of the greatest importance as far as money saving opportunities are concerned. For the past two months nearly every mail has brought us word from Furniture manufacturers all over the country that, owing to the great increase in cost of labor and materials, their Prices would advance from 10 to 25 Per Cent. on January 1st. We took advantage of the situation and bought everything we thought we could use for six months to come, so that we are in a position to offer you Furniture at about what it would cost us to buy today.

In order that all may share in this great money-saving event, we offer the following inducement: If you don't need the goods till later on, come in and make your selection, pay a small deposit on them, and we will store them free of charge and deliver at your convenience; or if you need them at once and are not prepared to pay all the cash, take advantage of our "Club Plan" system of Easy Payments. We extend every convenience to responsible persons. This sale should appeal very strongly to prospective housekeepers.

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## FREEHOLDERS DELAY ELECTING A COUNSEL.

The Somerset County Board of Freeholders organized Saturday at Somerville and completed its work with the exception of electing a counsel. This office has been held by John A. Frech, a Democrat, for nearly a score of years. The new board is a tie politically, there being six Republicans and six Democrats. The Republicans decided to support all the old Democratic officers except the counsel. Thomas E. Gibson was re-elected director; Arthur P. Sutphen, clerk, and Joshua Doughty, engineer, without opposition. The Republicans nominated Hugh K. Gaston for counsel against Frech, who was again named by the Democrats. Gaston received six votes, Frech five and there was one blank. Four ballots were taken with the same result. Director Gibson ruled that there was no election.

It was decided to lay the matter of counsel over until the next meeting.

Director Gibson called attention to the power of the board to bond the county in the construction of stone roads. He said it was confronted with applications for nearly 200 miles of roads and had voted to build about twenty. The county can spend only about $20,000 a year for roads.

The report of County Collector E. B. Allen showed receipts for the year of $570,851.07, and disbursements aggregating $535,272.60, leaving a balance of $35,578.47, with taxes due from various townships amounting to $8,148.40.

A report was presented on the cost of the new courthouse. The amount paid out for the building and all its furnishings was $289,600.34. The bonds issued and the premiums amounted to $287,059.40.

### S. S. A. L. Basketball.

Results of the basketball games in the Sunday-school Athletic League at the Y. M. C. A. last night were as follows: Congregational, 33; Grace P. E., 12; First Baptist, 52; Trinity, 13; Scotch Plains, 29; Hope chapel, 17.

### Cause and Effect.

"Did you know Miss Skinner's cats have disappeared?"

"Yes, that little Aanastasia Snow, who lives in the alley behind the Skinner home, told me she was going to have a new muff for Christmas."—Exchange.

### Pleasure to See Her Go.

The Mother—Daughter, will you see Mrs. Chinn to the door?

The Daughter—Nothing would give me more pleasure, mother.—Exchange.

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## AN ACCOMMODATING MAN.

They were talking of Captain Philander Howe, who had died a few days before the meeting of the Old Salt Club, says Youth's Companion. "He was a good man as ever walked," said Captain Cosgrove, "but he was what I call too retiring in his disposition; always stepping out o' the way."

"You're right, there," said Captain Saunders. "Recollect how when Mary Latham was all ready to say yes if he'd give her the chance, he was too scairt to ask her, and so William James marched right up and carried her off under his very nose, he stepping out o' the way?"

"Certain I do," answered Captain Lowe, "and I do," answered Jane Willet at her cap for him and got him, because when that old aunt that brought her up said, "Cap'n Philander, you've been here three times runnin' to spper, and I understand from Jaen you've beaued her home twice from meeting,' he didn't have the sprawl to git up an' go, but jest stayed there, numb as a log, till he stepped out, an engaged man!"

"'Twas the same with naming the children," said Captain Cosgrove. "Five boys an' not one of 'em named Philander for his father and him, but all for her folks; and then when the girl came—the last one—he did say that if't had been a boy, he'd been meaning to ask her how she thought Philander'd do for a name; and she up and named that poor helpless little creetur 'Philandy,' an' he jest stepped out, 'stead of telling her he didn't like it."

## HUGE EGG FOR MUSEUM.

The Brooklyn Museum, in the Eastern Parkway, has just obtained and placed on exhibition a great egg similar to those that figured largely in the fanciful history of the world, reports the New York Tribune. Most every school boy has read of the wonderful roc, the bird of ancient times which could pick an elephant up in its talons and carry him away to its young. At least, no reader of "The Arabian Nights" has failed to learn of this mythical bird.

The great egg is not a roc's egg, but it is one of the class of egg which give rise to the epyornis, a bird that was about the size of the ostrich, but was heavier, and which is supposed to have lived in the era of early man. It could not fly.

Each egg of this ancient bird is as big as six ostrich eggs and equal to 148 hen's eggs. The shells are so hard that the natives formerly used them as bowls or water bottles. It is supposed that the bird was exterminated by primeval men. The men traced the birds to the sandy beaches, where they went to lay their eggs in the sun to hatch, and secured the prizes for food. Naturally, in the course of time the birds died off, as none was born to take the place of the old.

The food value of one of the mammoth eggs can be estimated. If the scientists are right in saying that a hen's egg contains as much nutriment as a quarter of a pound of meat, one epyornis egg chould equal in food value thirty-seven pounds of meat—enough to feed twenty people for a day.

## A NEW CABOCHON.

It is of stiff feathers arranged in pinwheel fashion. Rows and rows of these little quills are arranged in concentric circles, and the cabochon is sufficiently ornamental to allow the wearer to forego other trimming.

A clever woman can make one of these new rosettes at home. From an old millinery box countless unused feathers may be rescued from oblivion. These may be fastened on a circular foundation, beginning at the outer circle. In the center a jeweled button will look well. And there you are with something new for the upturned brim of your winter hat.

## GAILY COLORED JAPAN.

Land is so scarce in Japan and the people so numerous that a farm rarely consists of more than an acre or two, states a writer in the Outing. These little farms are divided up into tiny fields. During the season of the year in which we made our journey, one of these fields is filled with sprouting barley, light green in color; another field—perhaps the next—with vetch, a laventer-colored, clover-like fodder; a neighboring field, with a dark green grass from the seed of which a lamp oil is manufactured; another with the pale yellow flower of themustard; and scattered here and there, fields filled with what looked like a variety of lily—some white, some red, some yellow, but all equally brilliant.

Then to get the complete picture you must imagine patches of flowering azaleas dotting the roadside; towering round-topped camella trees breaking the sky-line with frequent splashes of bright green; usually in the shade of these trees, houses with white plastered walls and red-tiled roofs, about the more pretentious of these houses white plastered walls above which appeared a profusion of palms, roses and strange native flowers; and in the doorways of the garden walls, kimono-clad Japanese girls—the kimonos as many and as gaily colored as the garden that framed them.

I have traveled in but one other country that is so gaily colored; and that was some few years ago, when in the company of a number of other youngsters, and an evil-smelling magic lantern, I used to make frequent visits to the Land of Primary Colors.

## CALVIN THE MISUNDERSTOOD.

Probably no leader of a great movement is regarded with more general disfavor or with less comprehension than Calvin, says a writer in The Century. To many of us his name is a synonym for all that is sour and forbidding. We think of him as one who begrudged any pleasure, however innocent, to his fellow creatures; a grim, sour man who was never happier than when committing the souls of poor, frail human beings to an eternity among the damned.

Yet to the people of his own day such a view could have been nothing short of astounding. Among the men and women who lived in intimate, daily association with him, Calvin was a much—a singularly—loved man; one capable, moreover, of giving out a very lively and sincere affection on what must seem to most of us but small provocation.

He was not a scholar merely; he was a man of the world. He had traveled, was familiar with the life of courts, was on terms of intimate friendship with many of the most distinguished persons of his day. He had a commanding intellect, a literary style which was the envy and admiration of the learned. He knew law as well as he did theology, French as well as he did Latin. His grasp of a wide range of subjects, as well as his attention to details, were things to marvel at. Add to these an inexhaustible patience and a bulldog tenacity of purpose, a vivid human interest and an amazing capacity for work, and we begin to understand how it was that this penniless and sickly foreigner, who came to Geneva in the first instance so utterly unknown and without prestige as to figure in the records merely as "a Frenchman," ended by setting his stamp so ineffaceably upon the place that it remains there even to our day.

## PERFUMED SILKEN ROSES.

Those who adopt the rose as a favorite flower will be very glad to hear of the perfumed silken roses. These may be made in different sizes and of different colors, but those of a delicate shade seem to be the most popular.

One kind of rose is made of pale pink satin, with sachet powder stuffed in its heart.

Young girls are very fond of wearing roses as hair decorations, and for these there are wreaths of white roses consisting of a dozen white blossoms, wired together. To scent the wreaths put them in a box in which a delicate sachet has been placed.

To bring out the color of the cheeks a delicate pink rose of silk may be worn on the side of the bodice. This will give a pretty effect if nestled in a bed of silver tulle or of silvered chiffon. Sprinkle its pedals with attar of roses.

### Jogging His Memory.

A small boy went into a South Boston drug store, wrinkled his face, rubbed his head and rubbed his left foot up and down his right leg in an effort to remember something that had escaped him, relates the Boston Record.

"Say," he said, "will you tell me the name of the place where we Americans have so many soldiers?"

"Fort Sheridan?"

"Oh, no. It's further away than that."

"The Philippines?"

"That ain't just it, but it's somewhere round there."

"Perhaps you mean Manila?"

"Manila! That's right! I knew I would get it after a while. I want a bottle of manila extract for flavorin'. They're going to have ice cream."

### Slain Man Buried at Last.

Newton, Jan. 4.—The body of Demeter Leleak, who was shot to death on Christmas night near Andover by a fellow workman, alleged to have been Lewis Zackwick, was buried by P. B. Wintermute in the Andover cemetery Friday. The expenses of the burial were borne by the county at the order of Acting Coroner Jeptha C. Clark, of Andover, and the Freeholders in session Saturday allowed Mr. Wintermute $15 for his service.

### Never Will Forget.

Bill—Did you say he remembers the first dollar he ever made?

Jill—Sure; it was counterfeit, and he did time for it!

## PERTH AMBOY HOTEL TO GO TO NEW HANDS.

Perth Amboy, Jan. 4.—The Packer House, one of the oldest hotels in New Jersey, will change owners on January 15, nine years to the day since the present proprietor, Peter Floresch, assumed charge. The new owner will be G. W. Crawford.

Mr. Crawford came here Saturday, preliminary to taking charge of the Packer House, and on that day the owner of the property, Mrs. Julia Peck, died at her home in New York. She was the widow of Rev. Aaron Peck, at one time pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this city. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. Harlan G. Mendenhall, whose husband was also pastor of the same church. Mrs. Peck was a daughter of Stelle Manning, for many years a resident of this city, and she inherited the Packer House property upon his death.

## LONDON'S OLD-TIME COOK SHOPS

In primitive times, the only places in London where the public could be entertained with food had been the cook's shops, writes Edmund Gosse, in Harper's Magazine. The famous East Cheap was a great thoroughfare down which the stalls of the butchers alternated with those of the cooks. You chose a joint at the flesh market, and you carry it next door to be cooked for you by a certain hour. If you wish for wine, you must bring that with you, for the cooks sold no liquor, although they seem to have provided, as time went on, more and more of the natrual accomplishments of meat, such as bread, vegetables and pastry.

This habit continued until well into the reign of Elizabeth, and so long as such an inconvenient custom prevailed there could have been no real comfort for any citizen who chose to dine abroad. He must have had as much trouble with porterage and baskets as a country party has today at a picnic.

But about the time that Shakespeare came up to London, a remarkable change took place in the customs of the town, and the practice of public hospitality and entertainment was singularly facilitated. The nature of this change lay in the sudden developement of the tavern, and the consequent withdrawal of the cookshop. The worshipful company of Pastelars, as the cooks were called, ceased to enjoy the monopoly of providing hot meals.

### Caterpillars Used for Food.

The natives of the upper Congo are very fond of certain kinds of caterpillars, gathered from the trees which these insects frequent during the caterpillar season, says The Wide World Magazine. They assert that "Mira," as they call these edible caterpillars, are very palateble when cooked in the proper way. Several kinds are eaten, ranging in size from small insects less than two inches long—which form clusters or nests in the branches of the trees, and are therefore easily gathered—to big, hairy monsters five or six inches long and proportionately thick. The way that these latter are held in the fingers and crawl over the hands and arms before being consigned to the frying-pan is anything but a pleasing sight.

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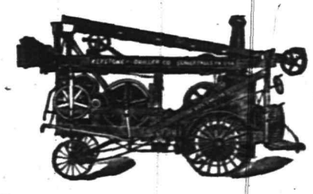

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### Real Estate Transfer.

John H. Kitchen has purchased from Frank Mobus the property at No. 258 Somerset street, 61 by 131, and a connecting tract facing on Regent street, 50 by 150 feet.

### P. H. S. Defeats Alumni.

The P. H. S. basketball team defeated the alumni in a keen contest yesterday afternoon by the score of 37 to 36.

Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor of Hope chapel, has been invited to conduct week of prayer services at Atlanta University Ga., January 16-21, and has accepted.


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# MAYOR EXPECTS SEWERS

## Borough's Executive in Message Dwells on Proposed Improvements.

### MR. SMALLEY OUTLINES POLICY.

### Favors Substitution of Commission for Freeholder Board—Advocates Public Park—Talks on Taxation.

Mayor Newton B. Smalley in his message delivered at the organization meeting of the Borough Council took an optimistic view of the bright outlook for the installation of a sewerage system shortly. The Mayor declared that in his opinion that the question of the location of the plant will be settled by the Council within ninety days.

Mayor Smalley slapped the freeholders mildly and advocated a law authorizing the county to be represented by a commission. Mr. Smalley spoke as follows:

"This being the annual meeting for the purpose of organization, it seems proper at this time for me to make some few remarks in reference to our work.

"I wish the people of this borough, and you of the Council in particular, to feel that I appreciate the office to which I have been called. I realize perhaps more than any other man the responsibilities of this office. Our borough was formed something over twenty-five years ago, and I have had the pleasure of serving in this same capacity nearly one-third of the time, a very unusual distinction to be placed upon one person. I appreciate it and I expect to carry out the purposes of this office in conformity with the wishes of the people as closely as it is possible for me to so do, and with the support of this Council I may be able to accomplish this end.

"I am not going to detain you for any great length of time, but there are a few things that might be mentioned in connection with our borough's growth that are very important. I hope within the limits of my term, and I fully believe that it will come about, that this borough will have installed a system of sewerage, which every man admits is very much needed. I am confident that within the next ninety days we will have the question of the location of our sewer system settled. I am confident that if this Council acts promptly, followed by the sewer commission, that before the end of the year we will have our proposed system of sewers well underway, and I am just as sanguine that if we accomplish that and we install a proper system, the property values will raise enough to justify the present assessment, and we will see a large number of the best people coming to live in what is known as the most beautiful building section anywhere in New Jersey. There is no good reason on earth why this borough should be held up in its growth if reasonable care is exercised by the authorities. Our property values and the general welfare demand that we keep pace with the times to that extent at least. While this great question is one that will be hard to solve, I believe that in the hands where it now rests, there will come a solution so satisfactory to the people, that at the expiration of two years, they will be able to show that North Plainfield's government will compare favorably with boroughs of the same character.

"You gentlemen, realize, as well as I, that this is not an easy government to handle. If our forefathers had had the foresight to have placed the county line between Somerset and Union through the centre of Front street instead of through the centre of the brook, we would no doubt have been more prosperous, but we are limited in a great measure.

"We are as you know at the extreme end of Somerset county, where, with high valuation and a growing tax rate, we should all hope that in the near future, for the benefit of the county in general, that the law authorizing the county to be represented by a commission will be taken up and acted upon, and it is my belief that if this is done we will receive much greater benefits than under the present regime. I can say from my experience as a member of the county tax board going about the various townships, that the work of the board of freeholders is not in keeping with the progressive state of affairs which should exist.

"I regret that the establishment of a park for the borough has not met with the approval of the commission appointed. My opinion of that is, that if proper care can be used in laying out the territory in which that park would be located, it would not only be advisable but very profitable to this borough to locate the park in that territory and control it, and the opening up of new streets during the installation of the sewer system, would save more money than the park would cost. This matter will come up at a subsequent meeting and can be handled judiciously by the committee interested in looking after our sewer matters.

"I am handicapped somewhat in the discharge of my duties due to the fact that I am not going to appoint a corporation counsel at this time. For a long term of years former Senator Reed served in that capacity, and having framed the borough laws, he was very familiar with their provisions. I do not know that he would serve in that capacity again, but I regret exceedingly that he is not with us on this particular occasion in order that we might derive the benefit of his counsel.

"The sewer question is in the hands of a competent commission, and it is being advised by Mr. Depue, of Newark, and I believe that it is good business to continue him in that capacity, and that it will eliminate many of our troubles within the Council.

"I am gratified to preside over the destiny of this borough because of the makeup of its governing body. I believe that the mayor of a borough or city, should preside, and should be held responsible for the busines done by its Council in reference to all matters. This borough has had many men holding the office of mayor preceding my election, and I hope that when my term expires we will continue that same line of high standard of men for that position.

"In my appointments today I am not going to make a great many changes. My predecessor, Mayor Townsend, appointed many of those who served during the previous administration, and I believe without exception that they have made good in their various offices, and I am going to continue them in their places in order that this borough will receive just as good a government in the future as it has in the past, because it is not a one man's government. The men of the various departments were selected because of their particular ability to fill the place with credit, and I expect that they will perform their several duties in a straightforward and sensible manner.

"We are fortunate in lying near the city of Plainfield in some respects, one, because they have a goodly number of fire apparatus, and they have never been called up when the response was not prompt and effective. For this reason it is my judgment that our department should be kept always within bounds.

"The same thing will apply to the police force. We have practically all the force necessary here, first, because of the make up of our citizenship they do not require so much looking after as some communities, and second, this is a residential town and the people do not need too much policing, and again Plainfield has a great many officers who are practically at our command when needed.

"I am interested enough in the future of this borough to join you gentlemen in any proposition that will present itself for the borough's improvement. I believe the utmost care should be made in laying out the present unimproved lands within its borders, so that the character of our citizens who might come to us in the future will be of a high standard rather than otherwise. The greatest credit that can come to any of us, or the best that any of us can receive when we retire from our different positions is, to feel that the public is fairly well satisfied with our acts.

A government of this sort should be sustained by taxation. It is not only the people in North Plainfield who are taxed high, but taxes in all the cities and boroughs in the northern part of the State are high. Again when the people are continually demanding so many improvements from the governing body of the community, it is expected that the tax rate will increase from time to time, but that will not prevent the mayor and Council from watching the various other methods for the escape of the public funds.

"It is a hard matter to look into the future, but I hope that the men in the various departments will have a watchful eye on the affairs of the government of which we are participants, because no matter how hard we try some unusual expenditures are apt to take place.

"I have said about all that I care to say at this tme, but before proceedng wth the further business, I wish to extend to the people of the borough of North Plainfield a prosperous and Happy New Year, and ask you for your support in the deliberations of this body, and should any of our citizens have matters of importance pertaining to the welfare of the borough to offer, I believe I am voicing the sentiments of this Council when I say, 'We trust that you will bring them to our attention.'"

### MRS. OVERLAND DIES AT AGE OF 79 YEARS.

Mrs. Elizabeth Overland, a resident of this city for a score of years, and for forty-five years a resident of Dog Watch Hollow, in Warren township, died last evening, at the home of her son, Herman Overland, on West Fourth street. Mrs. Overland was 79 years of age, and a native of Franklinburg, Germany. She came to this country when a girl, and before coming to Plainfield lived on a farm near Coontown.

Surviving her are five sons, one daughter, fourteen grandchildren and fourteen great grandchildren. The funeral services will be held on Thursday at 11 a. m. at the home of her son, and at the Coontown church at 1:30 o'clock.

# DUNELLEN'S NEW MAYOR

## Tells of His Aspirations for the Future Government of the Borough.

### MAYOR WANTS A SINKING FUND.

### Hopes the People Will Back Him Up In His Suggestions For Improvements.

In assuming the office of mayor of Dunellen on New Year's Day Mayor William A. Sanford made known the policies which he would pursue in an exhaustive message to the Council. As the time appears ripe for more improvements in that municipality it is the general opinion that the Council will give careful consideration to Mayor Sanford's suggestions. The Mayor in his address to the Council said:

"Gentlemen of the Council and citizens here assembled, I hardly expected to see so many faces here today. I thought it would be a sort of common function, but it seems to have assumed a rather higher character than I thought. I know many people have come here today, it has been hinted to me that they would, for the purpose of hearing a speech.

"Now, I would simply say in that connection that the days of oratory are past. That would be perfectly proper at political gatherings, where promises are made. Now we have come to the point where promises must be kept.

From oratory we have got to come down to the serious realities of business and take up the different propositions which may present themselves to us and think them over in a serious way and deal with them in a serious manner. This occasion is one of serious import to me. I feel that I am assuming a burden of responsibility which at my time of life and in consideration of health, I possibly might have avoided but it seemed as if circumstances pushed me to the front and I was compelled to take hold of public work.

"When I first came to the borough some five or six years ago my friends wished to push me forward for the mayoralty. It would have been a very unmodest thing for me to accept. You have now placed me in this chair. I have been placed here I am satisfied by the best people of this community regardless of politics and to those people I owe a duty which rests upon me more heavily than party promises.

"I positively refused to listen to anything to advance my interest as a party man, for the purpose of gain. I positively refused to pledge an office, and I have come into this chair positively unpledged and free to do my duty as a citizen of this borough and as a man. Upon me, therefore, there is a heavy responsibility because I feel that I owe it to the very best people in this borough to do the very best I can. Now, I may not succeed altogether. It is pretty hard for a man, when there is only one right way out of the infinite number of one ways and they are infinite; it is pretty hard that man with only a finite mind to search out of the infinite that which is just right. So, therefore, if at any time I should err, I want you to remember that I am only human, but so far as in me lies, I intend to do my duty. I am going to do my best to make you a good mayor and I want you to back me up in it."

The Mayor then gave a brief summary of what he wished to accomplish for the borough. He would strongly urge the raising of more money by some method for the work on hand. The Mayor spoke of the large number of real estate developments along the Central Railroad as far as Bound Brook, a large number of which would not be built upon, but the people would come out into the country and become permanent residents of communities offering the best facilities and felt that the time was opportune for the borough to be bonded and money raised for permanent improvements on the sinking fund basis which would be soon returned to the borough in the shape of increased valuations and by larger population. He explained that the borough spent $2,000 for streets each year, which, if a certain portion was applied to a sinking fund, would still allow the borough sufficient funds, if economically used. The bonded indebtedness could be worked out on the following basis:

An issue of $10,000—Sinking fund, $300; interest, $450; total, $750; balance from amount raised of $2,000 available for borough funds, $1,250. An issue of $15,000—Sinking fund, $450; interest, $675; total, $1,125; balance from amount raised of $2,000 available for borough funds, $875. An issue of $20,000—Sinking fund, $600; interest, $900; total, $1,500; balance from amount raised of $2,000 available for borough funds, $500.

The Mayor also recommended a proper amount of policing, proper sanitary conditions, attractive parks, and as far as possible a better and more attractive borough, which will result in increased valuations and a rapid growth in population.

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# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Owing to the sudden change in the temperature the straw ride, which was to have been held last night by a number of young people from here and Plainfield, was postponed until a later date.

Miss Caroline Lent, of the corps of teachers, has returned from Palmyra, N. Y., where she has been spending her holiday vacation with her parents.

Miss Elizabeth Riley, who has been visiting Mrs. Ferdinand Schmidt, of Forest avenue, has returned to her home in New York.

School re-opened this morning much to the regret of the younger generation, who have been enjoying the skating and sleighing.

Miss Hoffman, of Park avenue, returned yesterday from a ten days' visit with relatives at Spring City, Pa.

The regular monthly meeting of the B. & E. Co. will be held tomorrow night in the company's rooms.

Mrs. M. A. Corrona, of Stanbury avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Corey have returned from a visit with relatives in New York.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and children attended the funeral of Mr. Miller's mother, Mrs. Joseph Miller, at Easton, Pa., yesterday morning.

Milton Boss is suffering from a severe illness and is under the care of Dr. William Nelson.

Mrs. P. Duchamis is recovering from a severe injury received by a fall about a week ago.

The local branch of the I. O. F. held its regular meeting last night.

Miss Ellen Ostrye, of Perth Amboy, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mrs. Robert Horn is just recovering from a severe attack of grip.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Danish Lutheran services will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock in the W. C. T. U. rooms. Rev. Thomas Beck, of Brooklyn, will preach.

Week of prayer services are being held this week in the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, with the exception of Friday and Saturday nights.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Temple Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon, and the King's Daughters will meet at the parsonage in the evening.

The Junior Mission Band of the First Baptist church will hold its first meeting of the new year Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and a full attendance is desired.

Rev. and Mrs. L. R. Howard received at home New Year's Day from 3 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon and 7 to 9:30 o'clock in the evening. Many members of Hope chapel called during the appointed hours.


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### DIED

ODAM—Suddenly, at Trenton, N. J., on Saturday, January 1, 1910, John T. Odam, aged 58 years.

Services at his home in Philadelphia, Penn., on Tuesday, January 4, at 8 p. m., and at the residence of his brother, Ely M. Odam, 1038 Arlington avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on Wednesday, January 5, at 2:30 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited.

OVERLAND—In this city, Monday, January 3, 1910, Elizabeth Overland, aged 79 years, 1 month, 22 days.

Funeral services Thursday, January 6, from the residence of her son, Herman Overland, 815 West Fourth street, at 11 a. m., and at Coontown church 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

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WANTED—A maid for general housework; reference required. Apply 331 East Sixth St. 12 30 tf

WANTED—Girl for laundry and upstairs work. Apply 725 Hobart avenue. 1 3 3

WANTED — Young girl to make herself generally useful; no washing or cooking; must sleep at home; wages $10 per month. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 3 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

WANTED—White seamstress and chambermaid in the house. Apply 996 Central Ave. 12 20 tf

WANTED—White girl as waitress and chambermaid; reference required. 718 Madison Ave. 12 21 tf

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WANTED—Girl for cooking, washing and ironing; must have good reference. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 12 28 tf

WANTED—Girl for chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 12 28 tf

GIRLS wanted. Apply at The Paris, 214 West Front St. 12 27 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Help Wanted Male.

WANTED—Mechanical draughtsman. Apply Ransome Concrete Machinery Co., Dunellen, N. J. 1 4 2

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BOYS wanted; must be over 16. Apply at Baird Co., Fourth and Washington streets. 12 7 tf

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LOST—Lady's silver mounted leather hand bag, containing money, papers and keys. Liberal reward if left at this office. 1 3 3

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**How to Make Stock.**—This is the foundation of all meat soups, and every housekeeper and cook should know how to make it. There are two kinds of stock, white and brown. White stock is made of chicken and veal, either together or separately, brown stock of other meats in combination or alone. Chicken and veal may be added to other meats for brown stocks. For ordinary soup a kettleful of left-over meats and bones will make good stock. The kettle should have a steamtight top. After covering the meats and bones with water, let them stand for half an hour; then put the kettle on the back of the stove and let it simmer. When the stock has been simmering for half an hour stir in the seasoning, salt, white pepper, a pinch of celery seed or a celery root. The stock should not be skimmed until it has cooled off, when a layer of fat cakes on top and may be removed without trouble. If the weather is cold enough, the stock will jell as it cools. The stock should be allowed to boil gently until the meat is reduced to shreds. Strain it twice into a bowl, once through a strainer and once through muslin, and stand the bowl where the stock will cool.

This jellied stock forms the foundation for most soups and sauces and every good cook should keep a bowl of it in her refrigerator.

**Consomme.**—Trim the bone of a shin of beef and put it into a soup kettle with two scraped carrots, two peeled onions, three leeks, a few stalks of celery and a small bunch of parsley roots, all chopped finely. Add six cloves, a teaspoonful of peppercorns, a bay leaf and, if it is to be consomme for a special occasion, it may be beautifully cleared by adding the whites and shells of three or four eggs. Over this pour two quarts of stock and a quart of water. Let simmer over a moderate fire for several hours. Strain as above directed, let cool and remove the layer of fat. When straining, strain first through a colander. Anything finer would be choked up by the egg shells, etc. A little sherry may be added to this if desired.

**Puree of Rice.**—Cut a pound and a half of loin of veal into small pieces and put in a double boiler with two quarts of milk and a cupful of thoroughly washed rice, a small onion and pepper and salt to taste. Simmer on the back of the stove until the rice is done and the meat cooks to shreds. Strain through a fine sieve and return to the saucepan. When it boils up again move to one side and stir in the yolks of two eggs that have been previously beaten up with the juice of half a lemon and strained. Turn into a hot tureen and serve with sippets of toast.

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### Sandwiches.

Take round of sandwich bread, cut off crust before slicing, slice bread in pieces one-half inch thick. Mix one slightly beaten egg with one jar of club cheese, pinch of salt and red pepper. Butter bread with plenty of cheese, put on top three slices of crisply fried bacon and put under broiler until cheese is melted. This makes a delicious sandwich of toasted bread, melted cheese and broiled bacon.

### Rice Cooked with Milk.

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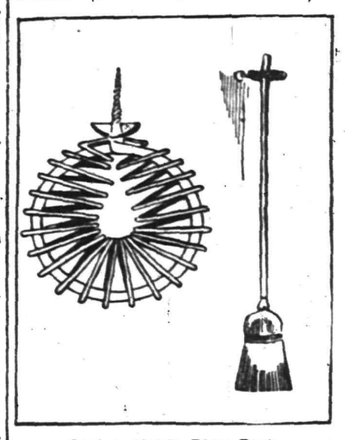

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Carrot croquettes—Boil four large carrots until tender; drain and rub through sieve, add one cup of thick white sauce, mix well and season to taste. When cold, shape into croquettes and fry same as other croquettes.

Carrot soup—One quart of thinly sliced carrots, one head of celery, three or four quarts of water, boil 2½ hours; add one-half cup of rice and boil for an hour longer; season with salt and pepper and a small cup of cream.

Carrot pie—Scrape and boil the carrots until very tender; then mash thoroughly, and to one cup of carrot add one pint of milk, one-half teaspoon each of salt, cinnamon and ginger, one well-beaten egg, sugar to sweeten taste. Bake slowly in one crust like squash pie.

Carrot preserve—Boil the carrots until tender; peel and slice them, and to each pound add one pound of granulated sugar and one-half cup of water; flavor with lemon. Simmer slowly until rich and thick, then seal.

Carrot marmalade—Boil the carrots untol perfectly tender; then mash to a fine, smooth pulp, and to each pound allow one pound of sugar, six almonds, the grated rind of one lemon and the juice of two, and a few drops of almond flavoring. Bring to a boil gradually, and let boil, stirring constantly for five minutes; then pour into jars and seal.

### Frosted Crab Apples.

Wash and cook until tender. Take one cupful of the water in which the fruit was cooked and with it dissolve one pound of granulated sugar; place the fruit in this and simmer for ten minutes; remove carefully so they do not break and lay on a platter to cool; then take each apple by the stem and roll in the white of an egg diluted with one teaspoonful of water and then roll in coarse granulated sugar. Lay on buttered or waxed paper to dry; then redip in the egg and sugar. Use as a garnish for the jellied ring or serve with a blanc-mange pudding, the water and syrup in which they were cooked being used for the pudding foundation.—Housekeeper.

### White Sour-Milk Cake.

This is an original sour milk cake, which we like. Cream one cup sugar and one-half cup butter; add 1½ cups flour, containing one-half teaspoon soda, pinch of salt, one teaspoon vanilla, one egg, half cup sour milk. If milk is very sour put in a large half-spoon of soda. Bake as a layer cake.

### Improving Homely Dish.

Old-fashioned beef stew, with which we are all familiar, and which when made right and filled with vegetables is really delicious, may be made more so by adding a cup of stuffed olives, a dash of paprika, and a teaspoonful of minced parsley just before serving.

### Don't Pile Hot Dishes.

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## MR. PETERS' DISCOURAGING FAILURE

By MAX ADELER

Upon the first day that Mr. Peters began to do work for the Argus as a reporter, he came in early in the evening and wrote the following item:

"John Wilson was kicked by a mule yesterday on Passyunk avenue."

When Peters handed the item to the editor, that individual said:

"Peters, that is too short. It is not full enough. You must expand it a little."

So Peters sat down and rewrote it as follows:

"Yesterday, at half-past 12 o'clock, a man named John Wilson, while walking along Passyunk avenue, near Clinton street, was kicked in the side by a vicious mule, and badly hurt."

"Peters," said the editor, as he looked this over, "this won't do; it is not sufficiently vivid. What you want in an item is a picturesque quality; you need the element of imagination. You must poetize your items, as it were. I think I will pay you by the column, so as to incite you to effort in the proper direction."

"You want it poetized, do you?" asked Peters.

"Yes; work it up with an eye to dramatic effect."

"All right," said Peters, "I'll put it through in the proper style."

So Peters went back to his desk, and an hour or two later he had produced an item something like this:

"Yesterday (ah! yesterday! another day added to the rolling tide of years that sweeps backward into the mournful past bearing with it a burden of human sorrow!) an American citizen (proud title! Prouder than the glittering baubles of rank bestowed upon their creatures by pitiless despots; a title that our revolutionary forefathers bore covered with a halo of glory) named (What's in a name?) John (a name borne by some of the greatest men that ever lived) Wilson, was walking (and no better physical exercise has ever been discovered. It develops every muscle, and gives all the organs of the body free and active play) down (that is to say southeast, with a slight inclination to the southward) Passyunk avenue (so-called because the Indians gave the title of Passyunk to the creek that erst meandered through that region). It was about (we are not positive as to the very minute) half-past twelve o'clock (high noon), the glorious sun was looming through the celestial vault of azure at the rate of millions a mile a second (that is, apparently looming, for the astronomers tell us that the earth moves and not the sun), and shining meantime upon a scene of more than loveliness. A mule (an animal well known to the early Egyptians, and traces of which are found upon Babylonian bricks) stood at the corner of Clinton street calmly (the mule is always calm. Where, where on earth is there a spirit more imperturbed and less excitable than his?) eating (with apparent relish, too) some (perhaps a dozen pounds of hay (timothty, we were informed) from the tail-end of a wagon. (It was a Jersey wagon, without springs, and with yellow wheels.) Mr. Wilson, casting his eye (figuratively casting it, of course—not literally) over the frame of the patient animal, observed a burr (such as is produced in the Jersey swamps in rich profusion) upon the tail of the mule. He felt a philanthropic impulse (known only to the hearts of the truly humane) to remove the tantalizing (the word is derived from 'Tantalus,' for which see any classical dictionary) substance, so as to make the mule more comfortable. He seized the tail with his left hand (if we are correctly informed), and took hold of the burr. It stuck, and it is supposed that in pulling it he must have hurt the mule, for the mule suddenly let drive with both feet (hind feet), and struck Mr. Wilson somewhere in the vicinity of the fifth rib. (Reference to a good picture of a skeleton will enable the reader to locate the exact spot.) While the mule resumed with an appearance of indifference its frugal repast, Mr. Wilson was doubled all up, and his spirit wandered in the realms of unconsciousness. He (that is, Mr. Wilson, not the mule) was—"

At this point Mr. Peters concluded to show the item to the editor, to see if it would suit.

"If you like it," said Peters, "I'm going right along with a column or so more, giving a full account of Wilson's misery, an algebraic formula for the calculation of the velocity of a mule's hoofs, and a picturesque description of the magnificent vista which would have met Wilson's view if the muscular force of the mule had been sufficient to have sent him to an elevation as high as the snow-line, how do you thing that will do?"

Then the editor called the cashier, and instructed him to pay Peters to date and discharge him, and to call a policeman to put him out if force should be necessary.

Peters has given up journalism. He is writing up advertisements for a new kind of hair dye.

### Her Bright Idea.

The daughter of a Providence clergyman was reading in her ecclesiastical paper an account of a religious ceremony in a western diocese: "The solemn eucharist was sung by Bishop Weller, with Bishop Grafton pontificating from the throne." "What does pontificating mean?" she asked her father. "Have you studied Latin and don't know the meaning of a very simple word?" was the reply. "Oh, yes, I see, it means he bridged it."—Boston Transcript.


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3.98 for Dresses that were 7.98
5.98 for Dresses that were 11 98
7.98 for Dresses that were 15.98
9.98 for Dresses that were 18.98
14.98 for Dresses that were 28.98
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### British Innocence.

"Over in London," drawled the British tourist, "some of the hotels have hops every evening, 'pon me word they do."

"Well," laughed the clerk in the American hostelry, "over here we have bellhops."

"Ha, bellhops? And is that a dawnce with bells?"

## Proof Positive

By Jane Church Rosenberg

"I can give you Tom's address now," Mrs. McAllister said, addressing Joe Bailey, who had stopped at his friend's house on his way down town. "Oh, dear!" she added, under her breath, tearing open a letter the postman had just handed to her. "I wonder if he has missed it."

"Anything wrong with Tom?" asked the man, anxiously, as he saw the letter fall, half-read, from her hand.

"Joe," she said, "Tom has written as if he had my picture with him, but he left it at home. Here it is"—she added, picking up a heavy brown envelope—"all ready to send to him."

Taking out the photograph she looked earnestly at the pictured face, which bore no trace of doubt or sorrow.

"Joe," Mrs. McAllister said, turning suddenly to the man, "I shall not send it to him now; I can't even write to him—how miserable I shall be!"

"Don't feel so badly—don't doubt Tom," Joe Bailey pleaded, "he may have another picture of you."

"No, he hasn't," she returned, quickly, "I gave the last one I had of any kind away last week."

"Let me see it, Mrs. Tom? Oh, yes," he said, as she handed the picture to him, "Graves made it, didn't he?"

Mrs. McAllister had not heard him. She had given up to her misery and sat on the couch, her face buried in the pillows.

Joe Bailey arose, and looking at his watch, said:

"An engagement at ten—five minutes past now. Good-by, little woman, don't cry any more."

No answer came from the woman who had received her first jolt upon the highway of life.

It was Tuesday of the same week, and Joe Bailey had spent a few hours playing golf at the Country club links. Upon entering the smoking compartment of the belated traction car he found Tom McAllister occupying one of the wicker chairs.

"Hello, Mac!" he exclaimed, dropping into the adjacent seat, "I thought you were off on a two weeks' trip."

"Your letter, Joe, spoiled me for business, and I am going home on Sunday with Alice.

"I was sure, Joe," he added quickly, "that I left that picture at the office. I wrote as I did because it pleased Alice to think that I am comforted by looking at it when I am away. It was good of you to send me another photograph, but I'll tell her all about it when I get home. The little girl is pretty level-headed, and will take it all right, I know."

Joe Bailey's reply did not carry the emphasis of conviction:

"Of course you know best, Mac."

Mrs. McAllister sat at her desk, endeavoring to compose a dignified yet sufficiently resentful letter to her husband, but found it a difficult task.

A step on the porch and the sound of a key in the lock made her rush into the hall, every nerve quivering in glad surprise. The next minute she was in her husband's arms and his voice was saying:

"You did not write, Alice, and I had to come home."

She released herself, but all the studied words she had intended to say were forgotten.

"How could you do it, Tom; how could you?" Her voice was low and full of tears.

"Do what, little girl?" he asked.

"Write as you did about the picture when you had left it here."

Tom McAllister gave one quick look at his wife's pale, sad face, and, stooping, he quickly opened his suitcase.

"Alice, dear," he said, "I have another picture of you—here it is."

Her body relaxed, the rose that came to her cheeks again, and a deep-fetched sigh escaped her lips.

"I am so glad!" she cried rapturously, as she grasped the piece of cardboard in her outstretched hand. Then, with sudden decision, she added:

"Joe is a very loyal friend, Tom. He said you might have another picture, and you did."

### University on a Novel Plan.

The American university at Washington is beginning the erection of buildings to cost $2,000,000. The Methodists hope to crown their educational system with this post-graduate institution.

In two respects the American university will be unique, says the Educational Review, in that it will be the only educational institution in the United States which will confine its instruction to post-graduate studies and will not have any undergraduate schools attached to its scheme of education, and that the university will not enroll any students until every building is erected and the total assets, property and endowment, amount to at least $10,000,000. The buildings now being constructed are for the law department, the colleges of medicine, technology, art and a great museum.

### Waistcoats for Dogs.

Fancy cold weather waistcoats for pet dogs, made by experienced tailors, is the announcement that meets the eye in a London west-end shop. These waistcoats are made in all the latest colors and of the finest materials. They are braided and beautifully finished, and must take hours to manufacture. Charms in the shape of mirrors, tiny brushes with the dog's monogram on the back, and silver beads are other novelties advertised for dog wear.

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ASSETS.

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| R. R. and other bonds (book value) [Market value $593,730.50] | $ 580,475.36 |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 |
| Overdrafts, None | |
| Cash | 454,592.95 |
| | $3,121,954.67 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital Stock | | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | | 202,501.58 |
| Accrued Interest | | 4,249.15 |
| Deposits— | | |
| Time | $1,015,641.78 | |
| Demand | 1,799,562.16 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
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| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |


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There is nothing new or **particularly startling** in that statement, but it is a matter of **great surprise** and wonderment why so many will buy poor furniture—something that **will not** and **cannot** wear, or even **appear well** for any length of time.

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## FRATERNAL LEAGUE TOURNEY STANDING

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The team standing is as follows:

| | W. | L. | Ave. | H.S. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Red Men | 9 | 0 | 877.7 | 950 |
| Raritan | 4 | 2 | 898.1 | 967 |
| K. of C. | 6 | 3 | 897.4 | 983 |
| Ponies | 4 | 5 | 849.6 | 916 |
| Elks | 2 | 4 | 847.1 | 930 |
| Woodmen | 2 | 4 | 819.2 | 877 |
| Public Service | 0 | 9 | 794.1 | 839 |

The schedule for this week is: Tuesday, Elks vs. Raritan; Wednesday, Woodmen vs. Public Service; Thursday, Plainfield vs. Jersey City Elks' League; Friday, Red Men vs. Ponies.

## GOVERNORS TO MEET IN CAPITAL JAN. 18

Washington, D. C., Jan. 4.—Arrangements have been practically completed for the two great conventions which are to be held in Washington during the latter part of this month—the conference of governors and the National Civic Federation. President Taft has promised to speak at each convention.

Business men representing nearly every industry of importance and legislators from all parts of the country have agreed to participate in one or both of the conventions. If the programs are adhered to, the two conventions, which plan to work in harmony, will discuss every subject which could possibly be of interest to the American people.

The governors' conference will be held January 18, 19 and 20, and the Civic Federation will be in session January 17, 18 and 19. The delegates to the Civic Federation conference are appointed by the governors and the presidents of commercial, agricultural, manufacturing, labor, financial, professional and other organizations national in extent. The National Association of Uniform State Law Commissioners is included in all State delegations, and will take a prominent part in the conference.

The purpose of the Civic Federation in holding this conference is to develop uniform State legislation. The uniform State law commissioners have agreed upon a number of bills which will be recommended by the conference.

Among the subjects which will be considered are: Conservation of national resources, taxation, regulation of interstate railways and quasi-public utilities, control of corporations, life insurance, fire insurance, automobile regulations, road building, vital statistics, public health, safeguarding dangerous machinery, factory and mine inspection, compensation for accidents, convict-made products, pure food regulations and discrimination against married women as to the control of their children and the holding of property.

### EAST END CHURCH TO BE ORGANIZED.

The organization of the Netherwood Reformed church will take place tomorrow night under the direction of the Newark Classis of the Reformed church. Rev. Dr. James R. Vance, pastor of the North Reformed church, Newark, will preach the sermon, which will follow a short devotional service in which members of the Classis will take part.

After this service, those who wish to unite with the church will remain when deacons and elders will be chosen and the names of the members enrolled. While the east end congregation will form an independent church for a time, at least, financial support will be received from the Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed church. Royal A. Stout, who has been in charge of the work, will continue his services. He will be graduated from the New Brunswick Seminary in May.

At the service tomorrow night, Miss S. Etta Raybert will sing and Arthur L. Titsworth will preside at the organ.

### DRAMATIC FORMS.

**Monday Afternoon Club's Subject for Study.**

The first paper on the English Drama, the subject of study for the Monday Afternoon Club during the rest of the year, was presented yesterday at the meeting in the Hartridge School auditorium. The paper on "Dramatic Forms" was carefully prepared by Miss Marguerite Wallbridge, now in the south, and was read by Miss Edith Leonard. An interesting discussion followed.

"Significant Events of 1909," presented by a number of members, preceded the paper.

At the week of prayer services at Trinity Reformed church tonight, Rev. Dr. G. E. Read, of this city, will make the address.

Jack Maclay, of Summit, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hudson, of Somerset street.


A&P Pure Food Bulletin for Week Commencing Monday, Jan. 3.

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10 with 2 bottles Gold Leaf Syrup, each .....10c
15 with 1 bottle Gold Leaf Syrup .....25c
80 with 1 can A. & P. Baking Powder .....50c
25 with 1 bot. A. & P. Extracts (lemon, vanilla, etc.) .....25c
15 with ½-lb A. & P. Cocoa .....20c

10 STAMPS with any of the following articles:
1 bottle A. & P. Ammonia .....10c
1 jar Jelly .....10c
2 cakes Sweetheart Soap, each ..... 5c
1 can Skipper Sardines .....15c
1 bottle A. & P. Ketchup .....18c
1 bottle Stuffed Olives .....10c
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### LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The coming production of "In the Bishop's Carriage," at the Plainfield theatre January 10, under the direction of Messrs. Baker & Castle, who have given this great play the same elaborate scenic investure and superior cast that made their "Grausstark," companies the sensational success of two seasons. They have entrusted the part of Nance Olden to Miss Stephaine Longfellow, whose wonderful triumph in this difficult and complex role has proven their wisdom in promoting her to stardom. The story is that of a pretty young girl—a waif, who has grown up into a clever thief, under the tutelage of Tom Dorgan, a professional burglar. She thinks she loves him until she meets a good man who points the way to the higher life, and as one critic wrote, "Then is depicted one of the prettiest three-cornered love games that has ever been staged."

"The Bishop's Carriage," at Plainfield Theatre Next Monday Night.

### FINED FOR SNOW ON WALKS.

Summit, Jan. 4.—About thirty of the 120 property owners and tenants against whom complaints were made by the police for violation of the ordinance requiring the cleaning of snow from sidewalks, were fined $1 each by Police Justice Hicks yesterday morning. Among those fined were Hamilton W. Mabie and Rev Walker W. Gwynne, rector of Calvary Episcopal church.

The complaints against former Police Justice Walter P. Sampson and former Health Commissioner Franklin D. Peale were dismissed, as were those against a few others, who convinced the court that the snow found on their walks by the police had drifted there after the walks had been cleaned. In nearly every case the property owners contended that their walks had been cleaned. Practically all of those against whom complaints were made are New York business and professional men and they complained bitterly about being detained here this morning. Today and tomorrow morning the remain cases will be tried.

**Active, Though Blind and Old.**

Washington, N. J., Jan. 4.—Mrs. Elizabeth Stout, mother of Councilman Samuel L. Stout, attended the watch meeting at the Methodist church Friday night in spite of the fact that she is eighty-eight years old and has been totally blind for nineteen years. She was the most enthusiastic of those present in her expressions of well wishes for 1910. Mrs. Stout has been a resident of Washington for twelve years, making her home with her son, and in spite of her affliction has been a regular attendant at the watch meetinsg, not having missed a meeting in eleven years. She lost her eyesight as a result of a sunstroke.

**Would Be Next Postmaster.**

Newton, Jan. 4.—Freeholder James E. Baldwin, of this place, is an aspirant for the office of postmaster of Newton, to succeed Richard F. Goodman, who has held the office three terms. Mr. Baldwin made this announcement Saturday. He is endorsed by the Sussex County Republican Committee, and in addition to this is a petition in his favor being circulated signed by a number of patrons of the office. Mr. Goodman's term expires on January 30. He has not yet publicly announced that he wishes to retire or continue in office. Mr. Baldwin is the only person who has announced himself.

**New Mayor Wants to Know.**

Matawan, Jan. 4.—S. B. Eggleston was sworn in as Mayor of this borough Saturday at noon. Much friction developed between the majority of the Council and the Mayor. The Mayor is for improvements, and says that the amount of money which has been expended for a number of years past should have given better results if properly looked after in its disbursement. The Mayor has called for a full and complete statement from the collector and finance committee as to the financial condition of the borough upon his assuming office. John P. Lloyd was selected as borough attorney.


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## FUNERAL OF MRS. FORCE

**Hundreds of Friends Attend the Obsequies of Wife of Publisher.**

**TWO MINISTERS OFFICIATE.**

**Many Beautiful Floral Tributes—Rev. Dr. Johnson Pronounces the Eulogy.**

The funeral services of Mrs. Clarissa M. Bradshaw Force, wife of A. L. Force, took place yesterday afternoon at her late home, on Duer street, North Plainfield. The services were conducted by Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, and Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick, a former pastor and intimate friend of the family.

The spacious home of the family was filled to its utmost limits by friends of the woman who had endeared herself to so many of Plainfield's people and when the beautiful words of the twenty-third psalm were uttered by Pastor Broek,, at the opening of the service, there were few dry eyes in the rooms.

Mr. Broek's opening and closing sentences were scriptural and were parts of the Bible best loved by Mrs. Force, and words which she loved to quote. The prayer which followed was equally simple and showed the feeling uppermost in the mind of the pastor, who had learned to esteem in the highest terms, one of his most faithful flock.

Rev. Dr. Johnson's eulogy which followed Pastor Broek's prayer was a beautiful epitome of the splendid life and high character of Mrs. Force; her love and devotion to her home and church and to the many Christian qualities for which she will long be remembered

At the conclusion of Dr. Johnson's address the assemblage were permitted to take a last view of the remains and pased out, silently considering the beauty of the change from the earthly life to thie heavenly repose.

Many and beautiful were the floral tributes received and placed about the bier, and they came from the friends, associates and societies of which Mrs. Force was a member.

Following is an original poem recited by Dr. Johnson at the conclusion of his address:

Why do we moan
For loss that doth enrich us yet
With upward yearnings of regret?
Bleaker than unmossed stone
Our lives were but for this immortal gain
Of unstilled longing and inspiring pain!
As thrills of long-hushed tone
Live in the viol, so our souls grow fine
With keen vbrations from the touch divine
Of noble natures gone!

Gentlest of spirits; not for thee
Our tears are shed, our sighs are given;
Why mourn to know that thou are free
Partaker of the joys of Heaven?
Finished thy work, and kept thy faith
In Christian firmness unto death;
And beautiful as sky and earth
When autumn's sun is downward going,
Thy blessed memory of thy worth
Around thy place of slumber glowing!

Mother—made for motherhood,
Wife most fit, most true, most rare—
Busy after others' good,
For herself the last to care;
Like the chosen Mary pure,
Like her, true and strong of heart,
Bright to enjoy, brave to endure,
As is wife's and mother's part.

She was true woman; one in whom
The springtime of her youthful years
Had never lost its fresh perfume,
Though knowing well that life hath room
For many blights and many tears.
Blessing she was; God made her so;
And deeds of week-day holiness
Fell from her noiseless as the snow,
Nor did she ever chance to know
That aught were easier than to bless.
No simplest duty was forgot;
Life had no dim and lowly spot
That did not in her sunshine share.

She joyed in little kindnesses,
Which most leave undone, or despise;
For naught that sets one's heart at ease,
And giveth happiness or peace,
Was low-esteemed in her eyes.

A full, rich nature, free to trust,
Truthful, yet never sternly just,
Impulsive, earnest, prompt to act,

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## LOYAL TEMPERANCE LEGION CELEBRATION

The Loyal Temperance Legion held its annual Christmas entertainment in the W. C. T. U. rooms, last night, under the direction of Mrs. Henry Thomas, superintendent, assisted by Mrs. George B. Staats, and Henry Thomas. The rooms were attractively decorated for the occasion. The program comprised the singing of Christmas carols, recitations, exercises and dialogues, and a feature was an interesting address by Mrs. M. D. Tomlinson, president of the W. C. T. U.

During the evening prizes were awarded to the members for faithful attendance. Miss Theodosia Vail received a gift for not missing a meeting during the past year, while a number of other children were remembered for not missing more than a few days or a week.

After the entertainment there was a distribution of gifts to the children, including candy and oranges. This was in charge of Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Stats. The latter provided the oranges. Mrs. C. W. Griffn presided at the piano during the exercises and Mr. Thomas led in the singing of the carols.

## HELD XMAS EXERCISES AT MONROE AVE. CHURCH

The Christmas exercises of the Sunday-school of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church were held last night in the church. Walter McGee, the superintendent, was in charge. Rev. Charles S. Kemble, the pastor, made the opening prayer.

The members of the school gave a cantata entitled "Santa Claus Surprised." There was a cast of forty-two and the affair was greatly enjoyed and enthusiastically received by the large audience.

The cantata was filled with catchy music and the performers filled their parts to perfection. The songs were well sung, the costumes were pretty and the marching and countermarching on the stage was cleverly executed.

The decorations were in chage of John McCormack. He transformed the church into a canopy of green, with innumerable Christmas bells, suspended in all parts of the room. The stage illuminations were by George Henry Fisher, Jr. Two small Christmas trees were on the stage, and in the general decorative scheme the figures 1909 and 1910 were displayed by electricity. In the work of decoration and stage work, John J. Praed and Lewis Mulford assisted.

Miss Charlotte Aldrich was the pianist and trained the children and had general supervision of the cantata, for which she deserves much credit. The cast:

"Mother Goose," Louise McCormack; "Santa Claus," Herbert Hillman; "Jack Frost," Robert Lee; "Evergreen Girls," Sophia LePoidevin, Stella Rink, Lillian Harris, Ethel Runk, Viola Stewart, Mrs. Gilbert and Mrs. Shreve; "icicles," Arthur VanPelt, Clarence Drake, Charles Goodwin, Walter Walters, "snow flakes," Eleanor Manning, Madeline Davis, Mabel Peck, Evelyn Peck; "holly girls," Alice Williver, Bessie Gunzelman, Jennie Gray and Louise Praed; "mistletoe girls," Annie Lee, Elsie Organ, Clara Lee and Christian Lude.

Robert Lee, as "Jack Frost" in his song, "Way Off in Christmas Land," made a decided hit. Herbert Hillman, as "Santa Claus," in his song, "I'm a Busy Man," received several rounds of applause. After the performance boxes of candy and oranges were distributed, under the direction of Blanchard E. Randolph, John Grey and Fred Jacobs.

### CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH HOLDS SPECIAL SERVICES.

Calvary Baptist church did its share toward helping the poor colored people of the city on New Year's day, contributing no less than sixty-three dinners to poor people who enjoyed their repasts in the church and sending out twelve good dinners to those who were unable to be present in the church. G. W. Bailey, the pastor, was assisted in the philanthropic work by a committee composed of Mrs. Robert Stiff, Mrs. Fernanda Brown, Mrs. Daniel Robson and Mrs. Twyne.

The week of prayer in the church will be continued until and including Friday night, services beginning at 8 o'clock each evening. Sentence prayers and hymns make up the program and the atendance is growing at each meeting.

### THE WEATHER.

Snow tonight and Thursday; rising temperature; increasing east winds.

Max., 36; Min., 2.

## MORE SNOW AND COLDER

**Such is the Weather Forecast for Tonight and Tomorrow.**

**ICE CUTTERS ARE VERY BUSY.**

**Another Cold Wave Coming From the West—Thermometer Two Above This Morning.**

According to "Weather Prophet" John Neagle, there will be snow tonight and Thursday; rising temperature; increasing east winds. The maximum temperature reported was 36 degrees above zero, while the minimum temperature was two above zero at 8 o'clock this morning.

While many believed that this morning was the coldest of the winter, the official record shows that this was not so. On New Year's morning Sergeant Neagle's thermometer registered one degree below zero. The majority of householders found it exceedingly difficult to keep warm last night and it was a question of stoking the furnaces and stoves to the limit to keep comfortable. There were numerous reports this morning of frozen water pipes and other troubles, incident to winter weather.

The local ice dealers have been "making ice while the cold lasts" and large forces of men have been engaged in cutting ice during the past few days. It is the general belief that the dealers will obtain a full supply of ice this winter and there should not be a shortage next summer. Tier's ice-houses have been filled, while rapid progress in filling the ice-houses in the valley is being made.

The worst is yet to come, according to the weather man, for he announces a blizzard for tonight. The storm was central last night over Missouri, with exceedingly heavy snows in the upper Mississippi Valley and snow and high winds over the lake region and Ohio Valley. If it maintains schedule time it will reach here this evening, having increased in intensity, the Washington bureau says:

But with the snow today a rising temperature is promised and tomorrow, to add to the mess, it may rain. In eleven hours following midnight on Monday the temperature dropped 22 degrees or 2 degrees an hour. It was 5 degrees higher at 5 o'clock yesterday morning than at 9 o'clock and one degree lower at noon than at 9 o'clock. A bright sun shining in a sky without a blemish had no effect at all, apparently, on the downward progress.

## HACQUER TO JOIN IN HUNT FOR SOUTH POLE

Archibald Hacquer, formerly a local newspaperman, but now connected with the city news department of the Philadelphia Evening Bulletin, is contemplating a trip to the South Pole next spring.

While doing newspaper work in the Quaker City, Hacquer gained the friendship of Prof. Wetherill, the noted navigator, who was a warm supporter of Dr. Cook in the latter's contentions that he discovered the North Pole.

Prof. Wetherill recently received a proposition from the American Philanthropic Society to lead an expedition to the Antartic in quest of the South Pole, which is now under consideration. If the proper amount of funds is forthcoming the trip will be made.

Prof. Wetherill proffered "Colonel" Hacquer a position as one of his secretaries, which the latter has decided to accept, if the plans for the trip materialize.

### Firemen Nipped by Cold.

With the thermometer registering three degrees above zero at 1:57 o'clock this morning, the fire department responded to a telephone call from the home of Mrs. Sallie Robinson, at 62 Sanford avenue. A small fire was discovered in one of the rooms, but the blaze was extinguished before the arrival of the firemen.

### Hope Chapel Services.

At Hope chapel, the week of prayer will be continued tonight at 8. Albert M. Brodst, teacher of the Y. M. C. A. Bible class, will be the leader and the topic will be "Love, the True Spiritual Life." Tomorrow night's service will be preparatory to the communion and will be led by the pastor, Rev. L. R. Howard.

### Small Yard Fire.

A fire in a pile of debris in the yard of Henry C. Irons, on West West Seventh street, called the fire department out yesterday morning. There was no damage.

## MISS JEANETTE KRAFFERT WEDS GEORGE M. HENNE

Miss Jeanette C. Kraffert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin F. Kraffert, of 530 Woodland avenue, and George M. Henne, of Titusville, Pa., were quietly married at 12:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents. Only the immediate members of the bride's family were present. Rev. Morgan Ashley, rector of St. Stephen's church, performed the ceremony.

After a wedding trip the couple will reside at Titusville, where the groom is in business. The bride is a communicant of St. Stephen's church, where she has been a regular attendant. Owing to the fact that her mother is an invalid, no one outside the family witnessed the ceremony.

## "JACK TAR" WEARREN OFF ON LAST TRIP

"Jack" Wearren, of the U. S. Battleship Connecticut, returned to duty today after spending a ten day furlough with his parents at 211 Rock avenue. The Connecticut sails today for Cuban water for a six months' cruise. Wearren's term of enlistment will expire in four months and at its completion he will return to this city and engage himself with civic affairs.

During his absence Wearren has been around the world. He started his see-going on the Battleship Kansas when she entered the commission. It was on that sea-lion that Wearren encircled the globe. On November 15 he was transferred to the Connecticut, a sister ship of the Kansas, and flag ship of the squadron.

During his travels Mr. Wearren said he was greatly impressed with the hot pace being set by Americans in Australia and Japan. In the former country,. he declared, that hundreds of Yankees are getting rich in sheep raising.

## TROLLEYMEN MAY STRIKE; CONFERENCES COMING

That a strike is imminent among the motormen and conductors of the Public Service Railway is the opinion of those who have watched the developments of the past few days immediately following the announced voluntary increase in the pay of the men. Many of the officers of the unions with which the men of this coporation are affiliated are openly declaring that they want certain concessions or there will be a tie-up which will affect the entire service in this State and which may extend into others.

It is reported that Revin Orr, international treasurer of the union, is decidedly against a strike of the men, but says that it will amount to that unless President McCarter does not recede from the antagonistic position he has taken in regard to the claims of the men. These latter want a ten hour day with consecutive hours and a uniform wage of twenty-five cents an hour. The control exercised by the officers of the unions has been the only esstopal in the radical action recommended by the men two months ago. W. D. Mahon, the national president of the trolleymen's union, is expected here shortly and will hold conferences with the men in various places looking toward a settlement of the questions at issue.

### Salvation Army Meeting.

There will be a special meeting at The Salvation Army hall tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, conducted by Adjutant and Mrs. Jackson and four members of their family. Owing to illness, Mrs. Jackson was not able to be present at the meeting on Sunday night. Therefore this will be in the nature of a welcome meeting to Mrs. Jackson. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

### Bolton Hall Acquires Farm Land.

Bolton Hall has purchased nineteen acres of land opposite the Murphy farm at Stony Hill, New Providence township, from Robert G. Rogers and Charles Burgmiller, and forty acres from William Henry Rogers and brothers. The latter property adjoins the nineteen acre tract.

### Sesame Club to Meet.

The Sesame club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. H. E. Chase, of 916 Putnam avenue.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

—Tickets for the McIntyre concert next Monday evening, now selling at Armstrong's. *** 1 5 4

## TRADE BOARD'S TICKETS

**Two Factions Striving for Supremacy at Annual Election.**

**MEETING IS TOMORROW NIGHT.**

**One Ticket Is Rushmore and Crane—Jeffrey Leads the Other—Herr Candidate For Re-election.**

Not for years has there been so much interest taken in a meeting of the Board of Trade than that scheduled for tomorrow night, when officers will be elected for the coming year. There are two tickets in the field and the opposing factions each claim victory in advance.

Edmund Rushmore, now vice president, is the candidate of the present administration to succeed the president, H. W. Marshall. This faction calls itself the "conservatives" and in addition to Mr. Rushmore for president, its ticket contains the name of J. Henry Crane for secretary. Mr. Rushmore is a real estate broker and Mr. Crane a lawyer.

The other faction's ticket is headed by Williar Jeffrey, "the bungalow man," who is a candidate for Mr. Marshall's position. The present secretary, A. S. Herr, is a candidate for re-election. Mr. Herr wishes it understood that he is a candidate of no faction; that he rests his case with the members on his record and that he is as ever pledged only to the best interests of the community. He says that his vote for the presidency will be cast for Mr. Jeffrey, but that he desires his friends to know that he has not solicited any votes and will abide by their impartial decision.

"I have consented," said Mr. Crane today, "to become a candidate for the secretaryship. If elected, I will work hard to advance the interests of the board. I deplore factionalism, but at the suggestion of Mr. Rushmore, I have consented to become his running-mate. There is real work for the board to do in a conservative and non-sensational way this coming year and if I can help I will gladly do so, either as an officer or a private in the ranks."

The report is current that Mr. Marshall may consent to become a candidate for re-election and that in that event Mr. Rushmore's friends will vote for him.

William Jeffrey said today that he was not a factional candidate. He added that he had been requested by his friends to run for the office and that he had not neither would he solicit any member's vote.

## MRS. DOBBINS TELLS OF CENTRAL AMERICA

A paper full of interest on Central America was presented by Mrs. Walter C. Dobbins at the meeting of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held yesterday afternoon in the lecture room. Mrs. Dobbins pointed out at the opening of her paper the ease with which the republics of Central America can be reached, only three days from New Orleans, the variety of soil and climate, their fruitfulness and geographical importance, as they include the isthmus of Tehuantepec in Mexico and Panama in South America, the short commercial route between the Pacific and Atlantic oceans.

Mrs. Dobbins described the population made up of pure blooded Indians, pure whites, negroes, Spanish and Indian and Creole half breeds, most of whom are superstitious, ignorant and slothful. Education, she said, was free, but very few children were enrolled except in Salvador, where attendance at school was obligatory. Roman Catholicism, she alleged, was the prevailing faith but mixed with remnants of African heathenism.

The lack of mission work among a people so sadly needing the benefits of the gospel was one of the features of Mrs. Dobbins' story. In Gautemala, with her two millions of people, she said, were two missionaries from the Presbyterian Board who had labored in Gautemala City since 1882. She concluded her paper with showing how broad a field for mission work was offered by the four millions of people living in the Central American Republics, especially pleading for the medical missionaries who could accomplish the best results.

A devotional service, led by Miss Mary Thickstun, preceded the paper.

### Buys the Palmer Tract.

William Jeffrey has purchased the Palmer property, about twenty-three acres, located on Sherman avenue, near the property recently sold by Charles Lyman.

## NORTH PLAINFIELD TO BE WELL POLICED

North Plainfield is sure to be properly policed during the administration of Mayor Smalley as twenty-nine regular and special guardians of the peace have been appointed. A number have already taken the oath of office and Borough Clerk Martin is sending out notices to the remainder to present themselves to be sworn in. The police appointments are as follows:

Regular marshals—Lemuel Pope, Charles Keller, Frank Culver.

Special Marshals—William Kiernan, John Johnson, Peter Bowers, Dr. D. C. Adams, Herman K. Linsman, William Gaub, J. H. Smalley, Theodore Martin, George Giddes, Gustav Anderson, James L. Ollif, Charles Ammerman, George B. Stewart, Richard McDonald, Henry Johnson, F. M. Whitley, William McCullough, John Barrett, H. Myers, John Reinman, Erich Sohl, Frank Webster, Frank Shuck, Clark Mundy, G. W. Giddes, Theodore Smith.

The call men appointed in the fire department follow: Walter Chandler, Frank Keller, James C. Walker, Clinton Conover, Albert DeCamp, Harry Shuck, Percy Culver.

## M'INTYRE'S CONCERT NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

With a piano quartet and an assisting artist of international reputation assured, the fourth and last of the McIntyre Chamber Music Evenings, to be given next Monday evening, at the High School Auditorium, promises to be the most successful and charming of the series.

Contrary to the precedent long established by Joseph McIntyre, Plainfield's well known pianist, his trio will be augmented by a viola and this makes it possible for the artists to present Beethoven's op. 16 for four instruments, piano, violin, viola and 'cello. Another announcement of equal moment and one which will doubtless create a pleasureable thrill among all devotees of music living here, has to do with the reappearance in Plainfield of Miss Christine Miller, the contralto whose exquisitely rich and resonant voice has been heard in all the principal cities of this country.

Miss Miller is a resident of Pittsburg, educated abroad and her voice cultivated by the most finished masters. Hers has been one uninterrupted series of successes since she first made her appearance upon the concert stage. It will be recalled that Miss Miller's first appearance occurred at the song recitals held under Mr. McIntyre's auspices at the home of Mrs. Stephen A. Ginna last March. Recently she sang before the Author's Club in Chicago, an organization which claims to be the most discriminating and critical in the New World. Miss Miller, also, has appeared for three successive years as one of the soloists of the great Bach Mass in B minor, which is given every year in Chicago.

The personnel of the quartet for Monday evening's concert is: Joseph McIntyre, piano; Arthur Lichstein, violin; Otto K. Schill, viola, and Vladimir Dubinsky, cello. Mr. Lichstein, it will be remembered, was to have appeared at the concert at which Signor Campanari, of the Metropolitan Opera House forces, created such a furore here, but, due to illness, cancelled his engagement at the eleventh hour. Mr. Lichstein will participate in the quartet and later he will be heard as soloist. Mr. Schill is from Newark and he is regarded as one of the foremost masters of the viola in this country. Altogether the concert promises to be a memorable one and already many demands have been made for extra seats by the patrons.

### Trolley Kills Horse.

A hore valued at $300 and belonging to the Hand Storage and Express Company, was struck by an Arlington avenue trolley on Randolph road last night and died later as a result of its injuries. The accident occurred at 10 o'clock, the team being on its way to this city from Matawan. After being hurt the horse continued its journey, but when the Park avenue railroad bridge was reached, the animal dropped dead.

### Will Hold Union Services.

Union services of the three M. E. churches will be held tonight in Vincent chapel, when Rev. C. S. Kemble, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, will speak. Tomorrow night the service will be held at the Monroe avenue church, and Rev. Ora J. Shoop will speak, while on Friday night Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson will speak at the meeting at Grace M. E. church.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## MATCHES FOR AMUSEMENT

**Children's Love for Pyro-display Leads to $4,000 Loss on Park Avenue.**

**STUBBORN FIGHT OF FIREMEN.**

**Elmer E. Gulick's House Gutted By Flames, But Furnishings Are Saved.**

Fire, which originated by children playing with matches, almost totally destroyed the home of Elmer C. Gulick at 1146 Park avenue yesterday afternoon. It was one of the most stubborn blazes to fight in the history of the local fire department. Practically all of the furnishings of the house were saved, but the damage to the building is fixed at about $4,000 by Fire Chief Doane. The flames executed most of the damage to the upper portion of the dwelling. The house is owned by a Mr. Voorhees, of New Brunswick, and the loss is covered by insurance.

The firemen received a setback in checking the flames because of a delay in sending in an alarm from the box. Fire headquarters reecived its first news of the fire in a telephone message from Mrs. W. E. MacClymont, who resides on Woodbine avenue, or opposite the Gulick house.

The fire got its start in a room on the southwest side of the second story, where Mr. Gulick's children were playing. It is evident that the children started the fire, became frightened, and went down stairs without giving an alarm, thus giving the flames an excellent opportunity of making a headway.

When the apparatus reached the scene nearly all of the second floor was at the mercy of the fire. Flames were shooting up and down and through the studding and weatherboards on all sides and also through the roof. Being hard to get at they spread with rapidky despite the efforts of the fire fighters.

The firemen, however, labored persistently with three streams of water, and assistance from the chemical apparatus, and in one hour the flames were under control. The alarm was sounded at 3:45 o'clock and the recall was made at 5:40 o'clock.

All of the furniture was removed from the house across the street to the MacClymont home before the arrival of the firemen by a carpenter, who was engaged at work at the latter place. Mr. Gulick's children and housekeeper were also taken care of there.

A striking feature of the fire was that repairs to the fire whistle had just been completed when the alarm was turned in.

### INDEPENDENT SOCIAL CLUB IS ORGANIZED.

At the regular monthly meeting in the Babcock building last night the Independent Social Club closed its charter list with a membership of twenty-two. Considerable business was transacted. The committee appointed to prepare a list of names from which one was to be selected for the club, made its report, but the changing of the club's name was deferred until a special meeting Tuesday night.

The charter member list follows: George H. Cole, F. C. Denton, William Dorman, Harry Doty, Arthur J. Dow, James Downing, George Dunavan, William J. Hartpence, H. Hoffman, Edward Koechlein, E. R. Honeyman, William Hoffman, James Kenny, Roy Lee, Gustav Meisner, Wallace Morton, Archibald Niles, James Niles, D. Rogers, George Slorah, Albert Trotter, N. J. Wiley, G. Wilson, R. Bird.

### Judge Rebuked Jury.

Judge Lloyd, in the Middlesex County Court, issued a scathing rebuke to the jury which failed to agree in the suit of Nora Gilliland vs. William E. Burns, yesterday. Serving on the jury were Peter C. Staats, of Dunellen, and George Schenck, of New Market.

### Foresters Install Officers.

Addison R. Jones, of Newark, high court officer, installed the officers of Court Watchung, No. 3871, Independent Order Foresters, last night. There was a good attendance of the members and after the business there was a smoker and a general good time.

### Henry Bittle Dead.

Henry Bittle, one of the oldest residents of Dewey Park, died on Monday in his eighty-fourth year. The funeral will be held tomorrow from the residence of Mrs. John Kingley, Dewey Park, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Charles Smith, of John street, is visiting relatives at Freehold.

D. F. Stewart, of John street, is entertaining friends from Greenville.

**Important**

Beginning Today and until further notice. This store will be open at 8:30 A. M. and close at 5.30 P. M. Saturdays excepted.

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## ANNUAL SALE OF DOMESTICS, WHITE GOODS AND LINENS

We bought these goods several months ago for this Special Sale, long before the sharp advance went into effect, which enables us to sell them from 10 to 25 per cent. less than we could if we bought them now. Lay in a supply now, the saving is worth while.

## THE ANNUAL SALE OF LADIES' MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

which we started last Tuesday has proven the most successful we have ever had. Ladies who had heretofore gone out of the city for their undermuslins marveled when they come to view our beautiful stock of snow-white, dainty made, high class garments, at prices way below regular value – Because we bought before the advance in cotton.

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Regular value 12c; sale price ..... .09

BLEACHED AND UNBLEACHED SHAKER FLANNEL, value 10c; sale price ..... .08

18 INCH BLEACHED TOWELING, CRASH; regular value 10c; sale price ..... .07

NAPKINS. 18x18 Hemmed Napkins, regular value $1.00, sale price, dozen ..... .79

TABLE DAMASK. Bleached, 60 inches wide, all linen; value 59c; sale price ..... .49

TABLE DAMASK. 72 inches, bleached, all linen; value $1.00, sale price ..... .79

NAPKINS. To match the above, regular value $2.98, sale price, dozen ..... $2.25

BLEACHED TOWELS. Huck, with red borders; 10c value, sale price ..... .08

BLEACHED TOWELS. Fine Turkish; size 18x36; 12½c value, for ..... .08

PILLOW CASES. Extra fine muslin, 42x36 and 45x36; value 20c, for ..... .15

SHEETS. Extra fine muslin, 72x90 and 81x90; value 89c, for ..... .69

COTTON DIAPER. 18 and 20 inch absorbant, fine finish; 80c value, for ..... .59

BED SPREADS. Full size, hemmed, Marsailles patterns; value $1.25, sale price ..... .98

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WASH CLOTHS. Heavy Turkish Wash Cloths; regular 5c quality, sale price, 3 for ..... .10

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### White Goods and Embroideries

5,000 YARDS of Embroideries, Narrow edging and flouncings, with insertions, from 1 inch to 7 inches wide, values 15c to 22c yard, sale price, yard ..... .10

2,000 YARDS Flouncing Corset Covering and Insertions, 4 to 18-inches wide; value 25c to 49c yard; sale price, yard ..... .15

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1,000 YARDS of All-over Embroideries, also fronting and dress flouncings; values up to $1.25 yard, for ..... .50

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2,500 YARDS Cotton Cluny Edgings and Insertions, also Platt, Val. and Point De Paris Edging and Insertions; value 15c to 20c, sale price ..... .10

30 INCH Fine Sheer India Linon; regular value 15c for ..... .10

45 INCH Fine Persian Lawn; regular value 25c for ..... .15

LONG CLOTH. 36 inch, close weave, 12 yard pieces; regular value $1.25, sale price ..... .98

CROSSBAR MUSLIN. 40 inches wide, assorted size checks; 25c value for ..... .20

INDIA LINON. Fine and sheer; reg. value 18c, for ..... .12½

DOTTED SWISSES. Several size dotts; values up to 20c, for ..... .12½

NAINSOOK. 27 and 36 inch, specially for underwear; 18c value for ..... .12½

NAINSOOK. Fine quality, 46 inches, 10 yard pieces; value $2.25, for ..... $1.75

### Beautiful Skirts for 75c

Of fine Cambric, with deep flounce of fine tucks and hemstitched value 98c.

SKIRTS AT 98c—Of fine Cambric, with deep flounce of wide embroidery, regular value $1.50.

SKIRTS AT $1.39—Extra full width, with deep flounce of several rows fine lace insertion; value $1.79.

SKIRTS AT $1.79—Extra fine Cambric, deep flounce and two rows of Cluny Lace Insertion and Edge to match; regular value $2.49.

CORSET COVERS FOR 25c—Of fine Long Cloth, with yoke of lace insertion or embroidery; value 39c.

CORSET COVERS AT 39c—Made of fine long cloth, with embroidery yoke back and front, beading and ribbon; value 50c.

CORSET COVERS AT 49c—Made of extra long cloth, deep lace yoke and embroidery trimming; value 75c.

COMBINATIONS AT 49c—Corset Cover and Drawers of fine long cloth, yoke of lace insertion and beading; value 75c.

COMBINATIONS AT 75c—Corset Cover and drawers of extra quality long cloth, yoke of embroidery, drawers lace trimmed; value 98c.

COMBINATIONS AT 98c—Corset Cover and drawers and corset cover and skirt, yoke of lace or embroidery; value $1.50.

COMBINATIONS AT $1.39—Drawers and Corset Cover, cover with medallions, drawers of nainsook, lace trimmed; value $1.98.

THE NEW NEMO CORSET 1910 SPECIAL.

A regular $2.00 Corset for $1.00. Made of fine English Coutille, has the new "Suspender" hose supporter which produce the ultra-slender figure, modish long hips, straight flat back; positively the greatest corset value of the season.

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GOWNS AT 75c—Of fine long cloth, low neck, ¾ sleeve, trimmed with yoke of wide embroidery; several styles; value 98c.

GOWNS AT 98c—Of fine long cloth, empire styles, with waist of dotted swiss and lace insertion, butterfly or ¾ sleeve; value $1.50.

SEVERAL STYLES DRAWERS AT 25c—Good quality cambric, hemstitched ruffle and fine tucks; value 39c.

DRAWERS AT 39c—Of good Masonville muslin, with ruffles of fine cluster tucks and hemstitched hem; value 50c.

DRAWERS AT 49c—Fine quality cambric with ruffle of fine embroidery or lace insertion and lace trimming; value 75c.

DRAWERS AT 75c—Made of good quality long cloth, with extra wide ruffle of lace or embroidery or lace insertion; regular value 98c.

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$1.00 WAISTS FOR ..... .79c
$1.25 WAISTS FOR ..... $1.00
$1.50 WAISTS FOR ..... $1.25



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## BOUND BROOK AND VICINITY.

Guests over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ulmer in Main street, South Bound Brook, were John Morecraft, of Bayonne; Miss Belle Larmour, of Plainfield; Miss Mae Casey, of New Brunswick; Captain William Garey, of Phillipsburg, and Frederick Ulmer, of Pottersville.

After spending a week with friends at Sayreville and vicinity, Miss Margaret Donohue returned to her home in Franklin street, South Bound Brook, Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Gummersback, of Scranton, Pa., is being entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Van Ness, at East Union and Mountain avenue, Bound Brook.

B. Teeter, of New York, was entertained over Sunday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Teeter, in Cedar street, South Bound Brook.

Miss Helen Bartow, of Somerville, was entertained over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Miller in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. J. W. Morgan, of Bernardsville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Walters, in High street, South Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. John Merlatt are entertaining Miss Marion Linbarger, of Brooklyn, at their home in East Union avenue, Bound Brook.

Percey Bincliff, of Beverly, was entertained over Sunday by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Staats, of South Bound Brook.

John McGarragle, Jr., of Lincoln, spent the week-end with relatives in Philadelphia.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Christmas music at Holy Innocents P. E. church on Sunday, was greatly enjoyed by all who heard it. The regular choir was ably assisted by Miss Jessie Haynes, contralto; Charles Western, bass and B. S. Hall, tenor. In addition to the hymns the choir rendered two anthems in which the solos were rendered by Master John Richards, Charles Western, B. S. Hall and Miss Bella L. Kelly. The quartet part in the second anthem was sung by the Misses Zella Kelley, soprano; and Jessie Haynes, contralto; B. S. Hall, tenor, and Charles Western, bass. Great credit is due Miss Rita G. Brokaw, the organist for her success in training the choir.

While practically all of the borough citizens appear satisfied over the start made by Mayor Sanford, some of the disgruntled Republicans are a bit exercised over the appointment of Goldson Smalley, a Democrat, as street commissioner. The only objection to Smalley is solely because he is a Democrat, but the universal opinion among boroughites is that Smalley is well fitted for the position and that he will make good.

The Piscataway Township Committee held its first regular session of the year last night. With the exception of passing on a batch of miscellaneous bills no important business was transacted. An informal discussion was held on contemplated road improvements in the spring. It is understood that considerable money will be expended for this purpose in the South Plainfield district.

Two well-known residents of New Market celebrated their birthdays during the holiday week. On Christmas Day Frederick Holden, passed the eighty-second mile post in his career, while on the following day Peter Benwood entered upon his seventy-eighth year. Both men are hale and hearty and enjoying life and hope to reach the century mark.

The Feast of the Epiphany will be observed in Holy Innocents church by a special service which will be held in the Guild room tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. After the service the Altar Society will hold a meeting.

The Junior Auxiliary of Holy Innocents church will meet in the Guild room of the church Friday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock.

Friends who have been visiting Alexander Stillwagon and family have returned to their home at Perth Amboy.

Rev. and Mrs. H. N. Jordan have been entertaining friends from out of town during the holidays.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hour, who have been visiting Mrs. Hour's mother, Mrs. F. M. Westcott, of the borough, have returned to their home at Troy, N. Y.

The new addition to the public school was opened to the several classes yesterday. The additional room will give the school its assembly room again.

Invitations are out for the fourth of the series of winter dances being held by the Bachelors' Club, the date being Tuesday night, January 11.

The trolley schedule was upset during the early morning hours yesterday, owing to the cars being held up by a fire at Elizabeth.

The weekly prayer and praise meeting of the Baptist church will be held tonight in the parlors of the church.

Frederick Hetrick's license which was applied for at court yesterday, was laid over until Friday.

Fanwood B. & E. Co. holds its regular monthly meeting tonight in the company's room.

Miss Caroline Lent has returned from a two weeks' visit at her home at Palmyra, N. Y.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Birds from the Sunswick poultry farm here are now on exhibition at the Baltimore Poultry Show. The birds are in charge of the new manager, John Arnot. They were on exhibition at the Madison Square Garden Show last week, where they took nine prizes.

Herbert Ball, seven years old, of Storage road, was severely injured Monday, while playing. He fell striking his head against a bed. He is under the care of Dr. Hayes.

Samuel Manning is spending a short time with friends in New Brunswick.

Miss Mary Gallagher, of Metuchen, is visiting friends in town.

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Stephanie Longfellow, Hudson Liston and Harry L. Minturn are the celebrities that head the splendid cast which Messrs. Baker and Castle are offering in Channing Pollock's dramatization of "In the Bishop's Carriage," coming to the Plainfield theatre on January 10. Miss Longfellow portrays "Nance Olden," one of the most novel and difficult roles known to contemporary drama. She impersonates a thief and makes the character not only attractive, but exceedingly fascinating. There was no particular reason why "Nance" should steal, yet she did so constantly and in a very skillful manner, and what is worse, she seemed to like it.

The motive of the play is to prove that love can overcome even such gross lapses of conduct (not to say defects of character) as those existing in "Nance Olden." She falls under the influence of a good man, "Latimer," and he, despite his wealth and social position, takes at first a casual and then a deeper interest in the girl, and in the end winning her back to good behavior and the prospect of a happy life.

There is not a dull moment in the performance given by Mildred and Rouclere, after the curtain rises at 8:15 p. m. until its downfall at 11 p. m. Its one continuous, fast and furious rush of mirth, magic and music seasoned with delightful comedy. Every detail of scenic and stage investiture, electrical and color effect, costuming, beauty and all other little but important items that go to make up a perfect and exquisite entirety are in the hands of skilled and high salaried artists who are used to catering to audiences that demand the best in theatrical endeavor. As a special feature of the program Marshall P. Wilder the world's renowned entertainer will appear. Mr. Wilder has appeared sixteen times before Queen Victoria and seven times before King Edward the present ruler of England, and has entertained all the crowned heads of Europe. The late President Grover Cleveland rightly named him "The Prince of Entertainers and the Entertainer of Princes." Marshall P. Wilder will positively appear here with Mildred and Rouclere Company on January 12 at Plainfield theatre.

## NEGROES AND THE CENSUS.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Census Director Durand yesterday predicted the coming count will show approximately 10,000,000 negroes in the United States. He ordered that negroes be selected to count their race in those enumeration districts where the blacks muster two-fifths or more of the population, and in many Southern districts will prevent negroes from enumerating whites.

The instructions, approved by Secretary Nagel, subject all applicants to the efficiency tests.

Miss Josephine Bruggeman, of New York; Miss Elizabeth Augustin, of Philadelphia, and Miss Emma Wersing, of this city, have gone to Daytona, Fla., where they will remain with friends until spring.

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What we buy to sell this season **must** be sold this season. Thus every article of Winter merchandise now in this store is marked down to a point where its speedy Sale is assured. Women's ready to wear garments suffer decisive price cutting, with winter weather, as some say, just beginning, the need for warm clothes is being felt more every day.

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## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Cheap, 17 acres, connected with great improvements at Graceland; some of the new macadamized streets come up to this tract; tax one-half Westfield total; 95 per cent. mortgage. W. G. Peckham, Westfield. 12 22 3-w

80 CORDS of excellent fire wood, oak, hickory and beech, for sale cheap. 924 Field Ave. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—Building lot on Norwood avenue, 80-179 feet; will sell all or part. Call 60 Norwood. 1 3 6

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments Address Elston M. French 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Wanted—Miscellaneous.

WANTED—A HOUSE WITH IMPROVEMENTS, NICE LOCATION, 8 OR 9 ROOMS. H. A. C., DAILY PRESS. 1 3 3

WANTED—Broody hens. Address Sunswick Poultry Farm, South Plainfield, N. J. 1 3 3

LOST—Sunday afternoon, on Central or Madison avenue, between Stelle avenue and Eighth street, large silver buckle, attached to black belt. Finder will please notify Mrs. H. W Roebe, 429 Stelle avenue. 12 27 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons 197 North avenue. tf

### Employment Agencies.

MURRAY'S Registry, reliable help, good situations, very moderate fees, fair dealings to all. 226 East Front street, near Young Woman's Christian Association. 'Phone 666. 11 20 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

NOW is the time to buy Rugs. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 12 15 1m

LOWEST prices and easiest terms on pianos at the New Jersey Piano Co., 315 West Front street. Christmas bargains. 12 11 tf

THE New Jersey Piano Company now located in Plainfield, 315 West Front street. Watch for big piano sale. 12 11 tf

NAGLE'S Pharmacy is the place to buy Christmas presents, perfumes, manicure and toilet sets, hot water bags, soaps, Apollo chocolates, cigars by the box. Call early and get the pick. 12 7 1m

HAVE your solid carriage tires applied at Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 12 15 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

MANICURE sets, comb and brush sets, toilet articles, for Christmas presents, at lowest prices, at Nagel's Pharmacy. 12 7 1m

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street 2 10 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Chas. J. McNabb, 209 North avenue. Telephone 49. 12 11 1m

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 3 6

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. J.T.Vail tf

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## Classified Advertisements

### For Rent.

HOUSE to let, January 1, West End avenue, Plainfield; improvements. C. Egel, Bound Brook. 12 29 6

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Sleighs For Sale.

FOR SALE—SLEIGH, DOUBLE SEATED, LATEST DESIGN, WITH BOB RUNNERS, ALMOST NEW, AT HALF PRICE. APPLY 996 CENTRAL AVE. 12 27 tf

SLEIGH FOR SALE—Two-seated sleigh, with pole, in good order; $25 Coachman, 105 Rockview Ave. 12 31 tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—One-seated cutter; almost new. Nagle's pharmacy. 12 29 6

### Rooms and Board.

LARGE, pleasant room to let; first-class table board. The Plainfield, 515 Park avenue. 9 24 tf

NICELY furnished rooms to let; well heated; gentlemen preferred. 122 East Fifth St. 12 31 6

COMFORTABLE furnished rooms to let; central location; terms reasonable. 7 Grove street 12 11 1m

FOR RENT—Suite of rooms, with private bath; handsomely furnished; at 138 Crescent avenue. Inquire Mrs. Waldorf, 134 Crescent avenue. 12 6 1m

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath; also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 3 tf

LARGE and small front rooms, well heated, with or without board; all conveniences; telephone. 62 Sandford avenue. 12 16 1m

ATTRACTIVE large and small rooms; superior table; well appointed house. 333 East Front street 4 20 tf

NEWLY papered; newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf


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### ACCUSE DETECTIVE OF ILLEGAL LIQUOR SALES.

Roselle Park, Jan. 5.—Policemen Birmingham and Ratchford, of Roselle Park, went to Kenilworth Monday night and arrested Detective Thomas L. Carey, of the Union County Private Detective Agency, on a charge of selling liquor without a license. Cary, with companions was in possession of the Kenilworth Inn, under an execution taken from the Sheriff's office on judgment obtained against Herman O. O. Schmidt, proprietor of the hotel, by his brother-in-law, Valentine Vonderlin, in the District Court last week. Carey was taken before Judge Woodruff, in Roselle Park, and released on his own recognizance to appear when wanted, Edward Kenney, another detective, was arraigned before the judge yesterday, and also bailed. The detectives were employed by Leavitt & Atwater, attorneys, of Elizabeth, to make a continuous levy. Vonderlin's judgment amounted to $500, and as there was not enough in the place to satisfy the levy, the detectives have been in possession since last Friday collecting every nickel that comes over the bar, putting it to credit of the judgment against Schmidt. The detectives are still in possession of the place.

Schmidt has become deeply involved in legal complications in Union county during past months. He was arrested for beating his wife. Soon afterward she started suit for divorce in the Court of Chancery. This suit is still pending and Schmidt is paying alimony. Yesterday judgment was obtained against Schmidt for $500 and possession of the hotel by the Kenilworth Realty Corporation. He owed for thirty-three months' rent. If the judgments are not paid he will be evicted from the hotel.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

### GOVERNOR SATISFIED WITH TAFT CONFERENCE.

Trenton, Jan. 5.—Governor Fort expresed himself yesterday as entirely satisfied with results of his conference with President Taft at the White House Monday. The Governor called upon the President by invitation, for the primary purpose of discussing the program for the forthcoming conference of Governors at the White House, Governor Fort having been selected as chairman of the Committee of Arrangements. Governor Fort was extremely busy yesterday and said that if he were inclined to do so he could not discuss the details of his visit.

He said, however, that there was nothing in his conversation with the President which could be made public at this time.

### 183 Doctors Licensed.

Trenton, Jan. 5.—During the past year medical license of the State has been granted to 183 physicians, about nineteen per cent. of whom held scientific or literary degrees. About eleven per cent. of those who presented themselves before the State Board of Medical Examiners were rejected. Under the law of 1908 providing for the licensing of chiropodists by the same board, twenty applicants were examined and eighteen were licensed. These facts are shown in the annual report of the medical examiners.

### Disputes Right to Clerkship.

Bayonne, Jan. 5.—Michael Vrobel, clerk of the recorder's court, has refused to yield his seat as clerk to Joseph P. Heraty, recently appointed by Council. Vrobel kept the seals, and his removal of them has made much trouble for the recorder. Yesterday a compromise was effected, and both men are acting as clerk pending judgment on the case by a higher court.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The official board of the First M. E. church will meet tonight in Vincent chapel, following the prayer service.

Preparatory services will be held at Hope chapel Thursday night and communion services will be held Sunday night.

"The Church of God on Earth" will be the topic of the week of prayer service at the Crecent Avenue Presbyterian church, tonight.

The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will hold a sewing meeting this afternoon in the church parlors.

The Junior Epworth League meeting at the First M. E. church will be omitted this week Friday, but will be held as usual on Friday, January 14.

The Women's Association of the Congregational church held a sewing and business meeting in the church parlors yesterday afternoon. Only routine business was transacted.

The first mid-week prayer meeting of the year will be held this evening at the First Baptist church. The service will be of special interest and will be in charge of the officers of the church, the pastor being away for several days.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold its quarterly meeting Friday afternoon. Rev. Dr. Halliday will make an address and letters will be read acknowledging the receipt of boxes.

Mrs. A. G. Curley, of Atlantic City, is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. F. Mangan, of 317 Netherwood avenue.

Dr. William H. Anthony, of Park avenue, has recovered from a recent illness, which prevented him from spending the holidays at the home of his relatives in Pennsylvania.

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## Jan. 5 In American History.

1179—Zebulon Montgomery Pike, soldier and explorer of the Rocky mountains, born; killed in battle 1813. Stephen Decatur, commodore U. S. N., born in Maryland; killed in a duel 1820.

1801—Emma Abbott, prima donna, died; born 1849.

1807—General Francis A. Walker, veteran of the Federal army and a well known economist, died; born 1841.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:43, rises 7:21; moon rises 2:47 a. m.

Plainfield, N. J., January 5, 1910.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. FORCE

(Continued from page 1.)

And make her generous thought a fact,
Keeping with many a light disguise
The secret of self-sacrifice.

Hand in hand with angels
Through the world we go:
Brighter eyes are on us
Than we blind ones know;
Tenderer voices cheer us
Than we deaf will owa;
Never, walking Heavenward,
Can we walk alone.
Hand in hand with angels,
Some are out of sight,
Leading us unknowing
Into paths of light;
Some dear hands are loosened
From our earthly clasp,
Soul in soul to hold us,
With a firmer grasp.

They whose hearts are whole and strong,
Loving holiness,
Living clean from stain of wrong,
Wearing Truth's white dress,—
They unto no far-off hight
Wearily need climb;
Heaven to them is close in sight
From these shores of Time.

It lies around us like a cloud
That world we do not see;
Yet the soft closing of an eye
May bring us there to be.
Its gentle breezes fan our cheeks;
Amid our worldy cares
Its gentle voices whisper love,
And mingle with our prayers.
Dear hearts around us throb and beat,
Dear helping hands are stirred,
And palpitates the veil between
With breathings almost heard.
That silence, solemn, sweet and calm,
They have no power to break;
For mortal words are not for them
To utter or partake.
So light, so soft, so sweet they glide,
So near to tuch they seem,
They lull us gently to our rest,
And melt into our dream.
And in the hush of rest they bring
'Tis easy now to see
How lovely and how sweet a change
The hour of death may be.
Dear souls around us! watch us still;
Press nearer to our side;
Into our thoughts, into our prayers,
Wth gentle promptings glide!
Let death between us be as nought,
A dried and vanished stream;
Your joy be the reality,
Our suffering life the dream.

Among the many floral tributes received were those from the Consistory of Trinity church, Thimble Circle, Rose Villa Musical Club, Young Women's Mission Band, of Trinity church; Home Department of Trinity church, Plainfield Typographical Union, No. 399, Business and editorial staff of the Courier-News, men of The Daily Press, the Thimble club, Ladies Christian Work Society, of Trinity church, and numerous pieces from friends in Poughkeepsie, New York city, Philadelphia, Newark, Elizabeth, Washington, D. C., Morristown, Cranford and this city.

The interment will be deferred until spring and will be at the convenience of the family. Following were the pall bearers: A. J. Leader, H. E. Gayle, Robert Clark, Jr., Theodore Hardy, F. S. Cutter and F. E. Smith.

The following is a contribution from a friend:

"Days, hours, minutes come
And pass, as time;
Love, character, hope and faith,
Do all entwine
As units in the universe,
Christ's love and thine."


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## REV. FOREST E. DAGER TO GIVE SERIES OF TALKS.

Rev. Dr. Forest E. Dager, of Philadelphia, who is well-known as a Sunday-school evangelist, spoke before the members of the Plainfield Sunday School Union, at the First Baptist church last night. Arrangements have been made with Dr. Dager to have him speak at the same place every Tuesday night this month under the same auspices. He will teach the lesson and give practical thoughts along the line of teacher-training work in the Sunday school.

Miss Nettie Beeching was in charge of the meeting, and introduced Dr. Dager. At first he taught the lesson for next Sunday on the subject of "The Temptation of Jesus," after which he gave an interesting talk on normal work, giving many helpful suggestions to teachers on the preparation of the lesson for teaching in the class. There were nearly one hundred active Sunday school workers present to enjoy the talk. All persons interested in this work are invited to attend the lectures to be given by Dr. Dager on succeeding Tuesday nights this month.

## BERKELEY'S LYCEUM WILL BE IMPROVED.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Berkeley Realty Company, which owns the Lyceum, of Berkeley Heights, the condition of the company was found to be excellent. Several improvements have been made to the building during the year and an addition to cost $2,000 was ordered. The whole building is to be equipped with steam heat and up-to-date partitions, patent ventilators and a gymnasium with baths.

These are the officers of the company for the coming year: Joseph Kuntz, president; Rudolph A. Shaffer, treasurer, and George Heber, secretary; the old officers, William Jeffrey and Frank C. Shaffer, having disposed of their interests in the company in order to accept election to the school board in March. The law is very explicit concerning members of the Board of Education having any interest either direct or indirect in anything for which the board pays.

The Lyceum free library will be opened shortly. It contains almost 1,000 volumes of interesting books and will be under the management of the people of the township.

The W. C. T. U. will hold its monthly business meeting in the rooms tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.


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# JANUARY FURNITURE SALE

As usual, we start the New Year with a big Sale of Furniture. The Sale this year will be of the greatest importance as far as money saving opportunities are concerned. For the past two months nearly every mail has brought us word from Furniture manufacturers all over the country that, owing to the great increase in cost of labor and materials, their Prices would advance from 10 to 25 Per Cent. on January 1st. We took advantage of the situation and bought everything we thought we could use for six months to come, so that we are in a position to offer you Furniture at about what it would cost us to buy today.

In order that all may share in this great money-saving event, we offer the following inducement: If you don't need the goods till later on, come in and make your selection, pay a small deposit on them, and we will store them free of charge and deliver at your convenience; or if you need them at once and are not prepared to pay all the cash, take advantage of our "Club Plan" system of Easy Payments. We extend every convenience to responsible persons. This sale should appeal very strongly to prospective housekeepers.

OUTFIT NO. 1—$6.98

Includes a White Enameled Brass Trimmed Bed with an all iron woven wire spring and soft top mattress, worth $9.00, for ..... $6.98

OUTFIT NO. 2—$8.50

Includes an all White Enameled Bed, with continuous posts, an all iron woven wire spring and best soft top mattress, worth $10.50, for ..... $8.50

OUTFIT NO. 3—$10 98

Includes a White Enameled Bed with heavy brass top and bottom rail; an all iron woven wire spring and a combination mattress, soft on top and bottom, worth $14. $10.98

OUTFIT NO. 4—$13.50

Includes a splendid White Enameled Brass Trimmed Bed with an iron woven wire spring and elastic felt mattress in two parts, worth $19, for ..... $13.50

## Three Big Mattress Bargains

COMBINATION MATTRESSES—Full size, excelsior in the middle and cotton top, bottom and sides, covered with good quality ticking and made in two parts, regular $5.00 mattress ... $3.98

SPECIAL FELT MATTRESSES. made of good grade felt, full 45 lbs., in two parts, excellent grade of ticking, made with round corners, the sanitary inseam, no binding kind, regular $9.50 mattresses for ..... $6.98

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Folding Cots, with woven wire tops, regular price $1.50; sale ..... $1.29
Folding Cots, with woven wire tops, regular price $2.00; sale ..... $1.69
Folding Cots, all iron, well braced, regular price $2.50; sale ..... $1.98
Adjustable Couches—the drop side kind, with national spring and denim covered mattress and bolster, reg. price $6.98, sale..$4.98
Sliding Adjustable Couches—all complete, with denim covered mattress and bolster and National spring, regular price $7.50, sale ..... $5.98
Best Adjustable Couches—the telescope kind, with National spring and denim covered mattress and bolster, reg. $9.50, sale..$6.98
Auto Couches—If you see them you'll surely want one, the slickest couch ever put on the market; during this sale we'll sell the $12.50 kind for $10.98; the $14.50 kind for $11.98 and the $16.50 kind for ..... $12.98



# The Plainfield Trust Company

Report (condensed) as rendered to the Department of Banking, State of New Jersey

December the thirty-first nineteen hundred nine.

| ASSETS. | | LIABILITIES. | |
|---|---|---|---|
| R. R. and other bonds (book value) ..... | $ 580,475.36 | Capital Stock.... | $ 100,000.00 |
| [Market value $593,730.50] | | Surplus and Undivided Profits. | 202,501.58 |
| Bonds and Mortgages ..... | 438,800.00 | Accrued Interest.. | 4,249.15 |
| Demand and Time Loans ..... | 488,935.00 | Deposits— Time $1,015,641.78 Demand 1,799,562.16 | 2,815,203.94 |
| Bills Purchased... | 1,061,830.89 | | |
| Banking House.... | 85,000.00 | | |
| Accrued Interest.. | 12,320.47 | | |
| Overdrafts, None | | | |
| Cash ..... | 454,592.95 | | |
| | $3,121,954.67 | | $3,121,954.67 |

Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
|---|---|---|
| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |


AMUSEMENTS.


**Plainfield Theatre**
Proctor & Sanderson, Managers.

MONDAY, JANUARY 10.
IN THE
**Bishop's Carriage**
with
Miss Stephanie Longfellow
as Nance Olden
Prices—First Five Rows, 1.50. Balance of House, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12,
Mildred & Rouclere with
**Marshall P. Wilder**
In their spectacular fantastic illusion entitled
THE FLIGHT OF PRINCESS IRIS
Prices.....25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

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"THE BIJOU DREAM."
Proctor & Sanderson—Managers.
Films D'Art and Comedy.
Entire Change Monday & Thursday.
FOR TODAY & NEW PICTURES.
Geo. W. Gothold & Co., in "Cousins."
Usher & Whitcliff in the "Ranch Girl."
John Mayon & Co. in a comedy sketch.
Smith Brothers, Comedy Acrobats.


### Announce Engagement.

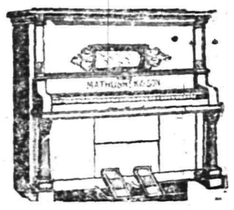
Councilman and Mrs. Ralph I Tolles, of Westervelt avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Juna Ethel, to Franklin Glazier Chapin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Chapin, of Greenwich, Connecticut.

### Millard W. Bellis Surprised.

Millard W. Bellis, of 15 Park place, was given a surprise party by a number of his friends, last night, in honor of the eighteenth anniversary of his birthday. A social time with refreshments was enjoyed.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.


# A FEAST FOR THE EAR



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|---|---|
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| Gold Crowns, 22-k - | 5.00 |
| Gold Fillings - - - | 1.50 |
| Platina Fillings - - | 75c |
| Painless Extracting - | 50c |

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### THE PLAINFIELD TRUST COMPANY

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of this Company for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its banking house, 202 Park Avenue, Plainfield, New Jersey, on Tuesday, January 11, 1910, at three o'clock P. M. The polls will be open one hour.

J. HERBERT CASE, Secretary.
Plainfield, N. J., December 30, 1909.
12-10 17 16 1-3 5 10

# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## RARITAN PIN KNIGHTS HUMBLES LOCAL ELKS

Raritan won three straight games from the Plainfield Elks in the Fraternal League, last night, by close margins. The first and second games were lost by the locals by respective margins of 25 and 35 pins, while the last game was easier for the Somerset County pinners, who won with 76 pins to spare. The scores:

| Raritan. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brown | 149 | 170 | 182 |
| Burscher | 113 | 182 | 172 |
| Vliet | 177 | 180 | 188 |
| Schaub | 185 | 160 | 157 |
| Matthews | 246 | 155 | 178 |
| | 870 | 847 | 877 |
| **Elks.** | | | |
| Van Emburgh | 153 | 163 | 146 |
| Teel | 160 | 151 | 149 |
| Cose | 185 | 136 | 159 |
| Stout | 173 | 179 | 137 |
| Laing | 174 | 179 | 210 |
| | 845 | 808 | 801 |

### GOLF.

In the opinion of a well known Boston scribe the year 1909 has had more than its share of odd competitions, but the most foolish of all was the Tom Morris memorial tropay. The "Hub" writer also takes occasion to hand a "jolt" to the much overdone bogie competition. Part of the criticism reads as follows:

The competition for the Morris trophy was played against the par of the home course of any club in the association that cared to enter by a team of eight of the club members, their aggregate showing to count. In the play were forty-six clubs, found in California, in Colorado, in Ohio, in Illinois, in Tennessee, in Pennsylvania and in Hawaii—the Oahu club, of Honolulu. It was won by the Denver C. C. by a team only one of whom has the least claim to national fame as a golfer, with an aggregate of 16 down to par.

No criticism is intended of that competition. An association, of course, is entitled to hold any kind of competition, however foolish it may be. And its effect has done a good deal for the game of golf by exploding the worship of the part of a links or of the bogie of a links, about which so much has been said and written.

Leaving this travesty on golf competitions to its fate, the question comes whether it would not be well to dump the whole par business overboard and to send Colonel Bogie after it to drown forevermore.

At the annual meeting of the Baltusrol Golf Club held recently practically the old board of governors was re-elected, with only one change. Later the governors will meet and select their officers. The meeting was held in the new clubhouse, now nearing completion, and the opinion expressed by those present was that it would be possible to have the formal opening some time next month. The board of directors follows:

L. P. Bayard, Jr., C. B. Beckwith, J. E. Bull, S. P. Davidge, A. De Bary, T. C. Ennever, H. W. Hack, Louis Kellar, William Fellowes Morgan, P. W. Page, A. F. Riach, T. T. Reid, G. W. Rogers, W. P. Smith, C. J. Sullivan, E. G. Thompson and F. E. Walker.

### BASKETBALL.

The junior girls will play the senior girls a game of basketball at the P. H. S. gymnasium this afternoon. This will be the first time that the classes have been represented by the girls in basketball.

The P. H. S. basketball team will play the Adelphia Academy team at Brooklyn, Friday afternoon.

The first and second boys' basketball teams will play a practice game between the girls' game this afternoon.

**P. H. S. Baseball.**

Manager Runyon, of the P. H. S. baseball team, is arranging a fine schedule for the coming season and predicts some fine games. Captain VanZandt will start practice in the gym during the middle of February. He says that there is plenty of good material for a fast team.

### THE CHURCH PRESS AGENT.

Chicago, Jan. 5.—A press agent for every church and constant advertising in newspapers, as a means of creating interest in religious affairs, were parts of a plan advocated Monday night in a lecture at the Doremus Congregational Church by E. G. Packard, of Boston, who calls himself a "publicity evangelist."

The lecture was illustrated by lantern slides, showing just how the advertisements should be worded and the illustrations used.

"It is a fact, which many ministers are beginning to understand, that commercial methods can be applied to religious work," he said.

# 'PLAINS FIREMEN HAVE A RED-HOT ELECTION

The annual election of the Scotch Plains Volunteer fire department as a rule is creative of more genuine excitement in that village, than a general election, because of the keen rivalry for honors between the two companies, the Bucket and Engine Company and the Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, which comprise the department, and the contest of last night, in which the Bucket and Engine Company's ticket, headed by Charles Meyer for chief, emerged victorious, was in keeping with the hotly contested elections of past years.

Both companies had tickets in the field and the scramble for voters was on for weeks past. The contending companies had almost their total membership out to vote, there being only four members who failed to appear to exercise their privilege to vote. Many of the voters journeyed from this city and other out of town places to vote. The polls were open from 8 until 9 o'clock, and the electioneering between the rival companies was continued at a brisk gait until the last ballot was cast.

The result showed that the Bucket and Engine Company's candidate for chief, Charles Meyer, squeezed through a winner by a majority of two votes over William Reynolds, Excelsior's candidate. Meyer received 28 votes to 26 for Reynolds; for first assistant chief, Wiliam Jamison, on the B. & E. ticket received 28 votes to 24 cast for Philip Bland, on the Excelsior ticket; Harry Goodwin was elected second chief over Charles French by the same vote.

The members of the Bucket and Engine Company were highly elated over their success and Chief Meyer "blew" the victors and vanquished to a chicken supper after the battle.

### PREPARING CELEBRATION FOR BISHOP SCARBOROUGH.

Plans are under way for the celebration of the thirty-fifth anniversary of the consecration of the Right Rev. John Scarborough as Episcopal bishop of the diocese of New Jersey, the date of which falls on February 4, next. The exercises will take place in Christ Episcopal church, in Trenton, and invitations will be issued to the clergy throughout the diocese, numbering about 150.

There are now only two Episcopal clergymen actively engaged in the ministry in the diocese who were so engaged when Bishop Scarborough came to the diocese. They are Rev. Alfred B. Baker, of Princeton, and Rev. Charles M. Perkins, of Vineland, both of whom are deans. In the list of bishops of the American church Bishop Scarborough now stands sixth in the length of service among a total of 100.

### SERVICES FOR MRS. DOANE TO BE HELD TOMORROW NIGHT.

Mrs. Benjamin H. Doane, of Sandford avenue, who died at Liberty, N. Y., Monday night, will be buried at the convenience of the family on Friday. The funeral services will be held tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the home of J. Hervey Doane, on East Seventh street.

Mrs. Doane had been ill for several months and had gone to Liberty in hopes of regaining her health. She is survived, besides her husband, by a son and a daughter. She was Miss Mary Davis, of Marion, S. C., and married Mr. Doane seventeen years ago and lived in New York for a number of years, having come to Plainfield in search of better health. It was not possible to state this afternoon by whom the services will be conducted, but a former pastor of New York is expected.

**Babies In Peril.**

A fire which broke out in St. Vincent's Foundling Asylum at Montclair, last night, nearly destroyed that institution, and it was only by the prompt action of the firemen and some neighbors that its occupants, two nurses and thirty-three babies, were rescued. The asylum is a large two story frame structure, erected nearly sixty years ago. It was the original edifice of the Church of the Immaculate Conception, which is carrying on the work of the asylum. A nurse discovered smoke and called up the home of the Sisters of Charity, in Elm street, near by.

**Firemen Had a Feast.**

Members of Hose Company No. 3 departed from the regular routine last night and had a social session. A chicken supper, which was prepared by Yens Claassan, was hugely enjoyed. Entertainment of the occasion was provided by Captain George Mehl, Jr., and Charles Pearson.

**Will Re-erect Smoke Stack.**

The Hand Express Company will have charge of the re-erection of the huge steel smoke stack recently blown down at the factory of the National Fireproofing Company's plant at Lorillard. This smoke stack is one of the largest in the country.

**Real Estate Item.**

A. D. Thompson has purchased the property, No. 945 Central avenue, from the estate of Rebecca Ladew. Joseph T. Vail was the broker.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Phoebe Herman, of East Fifth street, is spending a few days with friends at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Margaret and J. Allen Wilson, of Grove street, have returned from an extended visit to Atlantic City.

Miss K. M. Rutledge has returned to Brooklyn, after spending the holidays with Mrs. Oscar Harrison, of this city.

Mrs. Wilbur Schaffer and daughter Katherine, have returned from a holiday visit with Mrs. Schaffer's mother at Annandale.

Among the guests recently entertained by Mrs. E. D. Noe, of East Fifth street, were her daughter, Miss Eva, from New Yor kcity, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mason, of Brooklyn.

Miss Josephine Kissam will leave this city for the south on Monday, January 10. She will visit relatives in North Carolina, going from there to Florida for a stay before returning north in the spring.

Miss Mamie McCarthy, of Stamford, Conn., free hand artist in the employ of the great Yale Lock works, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Messler, has returned home. Miss McCarthy is a leader in her profession in the Nutmeg State.

### OUTWITTING THE BOLL WEEVIL.

The problem of the South at the present time is, first to raise cotton at all; and, next, to develop an early-maturing seed that will produce cotton of not less than one inch to one and one-sixteenth inch, on hill land, writes Harris Dickson in Success Magazine. If this problem cannot be successfully met, then the spinners of the world must go elsewhere for cotton to make their finest fabrics.

Earliness in cotton depends upon the structure of the stalk. This is the cotton that has short joints and begins to throw out fruit limbs near the ground. Always select a cotton that begins at once to throw out fruit limbs on which the fruit forms quickly, close to the stalk. The planter should go to the field himself, choose his stalks and keep those seed separate at the gin. The production of any plantation may be increased from 25 to 30 per cent. without increasing the acreage, simply by paying close attention to the planting of better seed.

Cotton must be planted in wide rows, running east and west, so that the sun shines in. Hot sun is the best friend the farmer has in fighting the weevil. When the weevil lays her eggs in the square, the square turns yellow and falls off. If it falls in the hot dust, that square will parch up and die.

There can be no such thing as "laying by" the crop and putting aside the plow. The plow and the picker must be running at the same time.

When the young cotton comes out in the spring, it grows very rapidly. If the weevil is there, already, some of them may be poisoned with Paris green or arsenate of lead. This question has aroused much discussion, pro and con. If the punctured squares are picked off, that generation of weevil will be set back from two to thirty days—which often makes a difference of crop or no crop.

It may sound like a joke, but a swarm of children with a tomato can apiece, will pick off enough weevil, one by one, to save a crop. On a certain tract of seventy-five acres, at cost of $225, these little workers increased the production something like eighteen hundred dollars.

### EXPLORATION OF CHINA'S WALL

It was in the year 1901 that I first undertook to explore certain regions of China which were practically unknown to the civilized world, writes Prof. W. E. Geil in Harper's Magazine. Months were spent in this expedition, studying the natives, learning their habits and customs, becoming familiar with conditions; all of which was necessary preparation for the second visit, which was made for the purpose of traversing the entire length of the great wall—a feat never before accomplished by white men, so far as history records.

I started in May, 1908, from Shanhaikwan, my party consisting of Americans and Chinese. With pack mules heavily laden we crawled along the wall, forded rivers and streams and tramped steadily onward, until in September, 1908, we arrived in Tibet, having covered a distance of perhaps 1,800 miles. We followed numberless curves and loops, although as the crow flies the eastern and western ends of this great rampart are but 1,145 miles apart.

During seven months of exploration I discovered evidence of the existence of at least ten other walls, built at various times, and some of them probably erected before the great wall was conceived in the marvelously active, highly imaginative brain of that truly great ruler, Chin Shi Hwang.

**Funeral of Christen Jensen.**

The funeral of Christen Jensen, who died at Tulsa, Oklahoma, on December 26, was held from 200 West Second street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock and was largely attended by friends and members of the local trades unions.


**Seasonable Specialties at Neuman Bros.**

Fancy Indian River Oranges and Grape Fruit, Tangerine Oranges, Fancy Table Apples and Pears, Pineapples, English Hot House Grapes, Malaga Grapes; Pull and Layer Raisins, Nuts of all Kinds, Crystalized Fruits. . . . . .

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### A NOSE FOR NEWS.

*The Genuine Newspaper Reporter is Born, Not Made.*

"Poet are born, not made," said the retired newspaper man to the New Orleans Times-Democrat, "and I might add that reporters come into this world in much the same way. For instance, the 'born' reporter will get a story if there is one in sight, while he who only has what I would call a mechanical sort of training will skim over the same ground without ever discovering that anything out of the ordinary has happened. Not many years ago I was holding an important position on one of the principal journals of Chicago. I was one day put on the city editor's desk, and, wanting to test the ability of two new men on the staff, I assigned both of them to the same story. Of course neither knew the other was in the neighborhood, and you ought to have seen their respective reports. One of them had a two column story that created a sensation from one end of the city to the other, while the other turned in about two 'sticks' of the driest stuff I ever remember to have read. I am satisfied that both the men covered the story to the best of their respective abilities. One of them simply had a 'nose for news' and the other didn't. As I said, reporters are born, not made by studying 'journalism' in the abstract. The natural born reporter is at home in a newspaper office, he can live on ink and can sleep soundly on the imposing stone. He sees little news in a dog biting a man, but he is quick to grasp the importance of an item telling about a man biting a dog."

**A Treat for the Doctor.**

A Philadelphian, who has since then fortunately regain his health, was last year the subject of an extended examination by specialists, according to Lippincott's.

"The examination seems to have delighted Dr. Blank," said the patient to one of the doctors, when they were alone for a moment, "for I have noticed that his eyes are positively beaming. I assume, then, that my case is not a grave one."

"Well," hesitated the physician addressed, "I hardly feel justified in saying that. But I understand from Dr. Blank that he is going to perform a number of interesting operations on you."

**Just to Show the Dog.**

"Tell me when we get to Blank street," said the woman with the dog.

"Blank street!' called the conductor, stopping his car.

"Here's Blank street, lady."

But the woman held the dog up to the window and pointed to a nearby house.

"Does 'oo see it, Pinkie?" she cooed. "That's where we used to live, Pinkie."

The conductor started the car.

"I didn't want to get off," she explained, "I only wanted to show Pinkie our old home."—Detroit News.

Six new members united with the First M. E. church at the communion service on Sunday morning.


**A. M. RUNYON & SON, UNDERTAKERS.**

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### DIED

OVERLAND—In this city, Monday, January 3, 1910, Elizabeth Overland, aged 79 years, 1 month, 22 days.

Funeral services Thursday, January 6, from the residence of her son, Herman Overland, 815 West Fourth street, at 11 a. m., and at Coontown church 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

BITTLE—At Dewey Park, January 3, 1910, Henry Bittle, aged eighty-three years, six months and seventeen days.

Funeral from the residence of Mrs. John Kingley, Dewey Park, Thursday, January 6, at 2 p. m.

## Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

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**Automobiles.**

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

**For Exchange.**

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

**Help Wanted—Female.**

WANTED—Two girls; one for cooking, washing and ironing; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 5 tf

WANTED—A neat young white girl to assist with care of child; good reference. 90 Myrtle Ave. 1 3 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. Apply 600 Franklin place, corner of Sixth St. 1 5 2

WANTED—Young girl to take charge of child three years old. Apply 600 Franklin place, corner of Sixth St. 1 5 2

WANTED—Girl for laundry and upstairs work. Apply 725 Hobart avenue. 1 3 3

WANTED — Young girl to make herself generally useful; no washing or cooking; must sleep at home; wages $10 per month. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 3 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

WANTED—White girl as waitress and chambermaid; reference required. 718 Madison Ave. 12 21 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general housemaids in small families. Call at once Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-w. 12 29 6

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

**Help Wanted Male.**

AGENT wanted, Plainfield district. Apply Colonial Life Insurance Co., 89 Broad St., Elizabeth. 1 5 3

WANTED—Mechanical draughtsman. Apply Ransome Concrete Machinery Co., Dunellen, N. J. 1 4 2

EXTRA salespeople wanted at Weinberger's, West Front street. Inquire at once. 1 4 3

MEN WANTED TO CUT ICE. INQUIRE 222 MADISON AVE. 1 4 2

WANTED—A janitor, must have experience with furnaces. Call with references, 107 West Seventh St. 1 3 3

BOYS wanted; must be over 16. Apply at Baird Co., Fourth and Washington streets. 12 7 tf

**Employment Agency.**

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S REGISTRY OFFICE—226 East Front street, has decided to award three prizes to the maids who obtained their situations through his office, and up to January 1, 1910, and can show the longest reference in one situation. Girls are invited to send in their applications, stating length of service with present employer. 'Phone 666. 1 3 3

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

**Situations Wanted—Female.**

WANTED—Employment by dressmaker, at once. 75 Summit avenue, answer by letter. 1 3 3

COLORED woman wants position at general housework. 602 East Third street. 1 5 3

FRENCH dressmaker, competent, perfect fitter and fine worker, wishes more work, home or out. Mme. Beys, 41 Laramie road, city. 1 3 1m

COLORED woman wants place as cook in private family; good reference. 423 West Fourth St. 1 4 3

PLACES wanted for two cooks with first class references; white Apply Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue; 'Phone 1347-L. 1 4 2

**Travel.**

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

**Situations Wanted—Male.**

GENTLEMAN wants position as nurse or attendant; references. Address J. E. G., care Press. 1 4 3

GENTLEMAN wants position as watchman or janitor; handy with tools. Address M. L., care Press. 1 4 3

**For Sale.**

FOR SALE—4½ acres, recommended for park; heart of Westfield; $600 per acre; 90 per cent. mortgage; very desirable for nursery man, florist, truck gardener, water plant, etc. W. G. Peckham, Westfield. 12 22 3-w

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock hens. Apply 145 Manning Ave. 1 5 3

FOR SALE—Good two-seated sleigh. Apply 402 East Fifth St. 1 5 2

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

**Lost and Found.**

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 1 tf

LOST—Silver brooch, with Scotch pebbles, large stone in center, white belt attached. Reward if returned to this office. 1 3 3

**Rooms and Board.**

PLEASANT room, nicely furnished, man and wife preferred; stationary wash stand, good table. 'Phone. Address A. S., care Press. 1 5 5

ROOM and board. 440 West Front street. 'Phone 418-L. 12 28 9

**For Rent.**

SMALL house to let, 132 Johnston avenue. Apply 409 East Fifth street or 122 Johnston Ave. 1 5 6

FOR RENT—Five rooms, $13, with improvements. Inquire 87 Somerset street, Mrs. Bender. 1 5 3

TO LET—Cheap, basement, large stores, Westfield Hotel; suitable for fruits, flowers, cobbler, storage, etc.; tenement, 203 Broad, $9. W. G. Peckham, Westfield. 12 22 3-w

LARGE loft; 3,000 square feet; with offices, suitable for manufactory, situation North and Park avenues. Apply C. H. Lyman, North avenue, Plainfield. 12 29 tf w s

TO LET—4 nice light unfurnished rooms, heat and all improvements, for housekeeping; good location. Address G., Daily Press. 1 3 3

**Miscellaneous.**

TO RESPONSIBLE party, fine horse for its keep or for sale; also cutter. 19 Craig place. 1 4 2

AUCTION SALE—At Murray's corner Park avenue and Fourth street, Thursday and Friday of this week, commencing at 2 p. m.; come and bid for a big bargain in bedding, carpets, rugs, stoves, housefurnishings, novelties and everything. R. Murray, auctioneer. 1 5 2

**Wanted to Rent.**

WANTED—MODERATE 12 TO 14 ROOM HOUSE TO RENT FROM MAY 1; GOOD ADDRESS. G. D., CARE PRESS. 1 5 6


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Large Bread Fruit, 6 for ..... 25c
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Fancy Lemons, 15 for ..... 25c
Baldwin Apples, pony basket .. 25c
Fine White Grapes, per lb ..... 15c
Choice Cranberries, 4 quarts .. 25c
Brussels Sprouts, 1 quart ..... 12c
Field Lettuce, 1 quart ..... 6c
Fine Mixed Nuts, 1 pound ..... 15c

Fancy Large Washington Apples, extra fine large Cabbage, red and white; yellow and green Squash, choice White and Sweet Potatoes.

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1 5 2 R. MURRAY, Auctioneer.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

I desire to express my sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy in the loss of my beloved husband.

MRS. WARD WATKINS.


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THE ENTIRE STOCK OF

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Plainfield's Greatest Clothiers and Outfitters for Men and Boys

## To Be Sold in 15 Days

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AND CONTINUING FOR FIFTEEN CONSECUTIVE SELLING DAYS SUCH HAS NEVER BEFORE BEEN WITNESSED BY PEOPLE OF THIS CITY. WE WILL DISPOSE OF OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS. EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD, NOTHING RESERVED, POSITIVELY IN FIFTEEN DAYS FOR CASH, AT PRICES THAT WILL APPEAL TO THE MOST ECONOMICAL BUYER. IT IS SUFFICIENT TO SAY THAT WE WILL MAKE THIS SALE A GREATER SUCCESS THAN ANY SALE WE HAVE EVER HAD. PRICES WILL BE SO LOW THAT IT WILL PAY YOU TO BORROW MONEY TO PUT IN A GOOD SUPPLY OF CLOTHING FOR FUTURE USE. WE HAVE HAD SALES BEFORE AND PEOPLE OF THIS CITY AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES KNOW THAT WE DO AS WE ADVERTISE. THIS IS YOUR GREATEST OPPORTUNITY TO LAY IN A SUPPLY OF HIGH-CLASS CLOTHING AND GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS AT ONE-THIRD TO ONE-HALF OFF THEIR REAL VALUE WE WILL HAVE A GREAT RUSH AND ARE PREPARED FOR IT, AS WE HAVE ENGAGED TWENTY-FIVE EXTRA SALESPEOPLE TO WAIT ON YOU, AND EXTEND TO YOU EVERY ACCOMMODATION. BRING YOUR CHILDREN WITH YOU AND HAVE THEM FITTED AT THIS GREAT SALE. OUR GOODS ARE SO ARRANGED SO THAT YOU CAN MAKE AN EASY AND QUICK SELECTION. EVERY ARTICLE MARKED IN PLAIN RED FIGURES.

**The Store Will Open THURSDAY, Jan. 6th at 9 A.M., When the Great Sale Will Begin at WEINBERGER'S, 202 W. FRONT ST.**

## Our Guarantee!

Knowing that there will be readers of this add who will be credulous about securing the items at Prices as stated in this add, to them we wish to state that every item and price herein stated is backed by solid Merchandise in our Store, and can be secured if you will come in time.

We assure each and every purchaser that every item here stated is guaranteed as represented and can be had at the prices, and if you are not satisfied with the goods and prices you paid for same, you may return your purchase during this sale, and we will cheerfully refund you the Money without question.

## Sensational Price Reductions in Suits

All cut in the very newest styles, suitable for the young man who likes a lot of snap to his dressing to the substantial dignified Business Men's Suit, Fabrics in a very exceptional assortment and all the newest gray, tans, olives, blue and black All Wool Worsteds. Every garment hand finished, which insures a proper fitting coat, with collar that hugs the neck closely, and shoulder broad and shapely, all sizes 33 to 50.

Men's $10.00 Business Suits, Worsted, Cassimeres and Cheviots; sale price

**3.90**

Men's $10.00 and $12.00 Dress Suits, in fine Worsteds and Black Thibets; sale price

**4.95**

Men's $12.50 Pure Worsted Suits, in plain and fancy stripes; sale price

**6.90**

Men's $15.00 and $16.50 Pure All Wool Worsted Suits, in all the latest colors, all hand tailored throughout; sale price

**9.90**

Men's $18.00 and $20.00 Custom Tailored Suits, all the newest shade of blue, tan, olive, gray and brown; equal in every detail to $35.00 Custom Made Suits; sale price

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All the best materials, such as: Oxford, Cheviot, Meltons, Kerseys and Fancy Mixtures. Great assortment of plain self-striped black and browns, grays, olives and mixtures, at these prices we also show a leading assortment of the Famous Auto Coats so much in demand now; long or medium lengths in both Auto and Regulation Overcoats. The best of linings, Chamois pockets and every coat journeymen tailored, collars that set close to the neck and broad shoulder effects; all sizes 34 to 50

Men's $10.00 Black and Gray Overcoats, cut in the latest style; sale price

**4.90**

Men's and Young Men's Fine Kersey, Melton and Fancy Mixture Overcoats, all up-to-date styles; sale price

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1,000 Extra Fine All Wool High Grade Overcoats, in all the very latest shades and styles; in light and dark colors, including the very finest all wool black English Kersey. These Coats are hand tailored and are good value from $16.50 to $30.00, all must be sold; sale price

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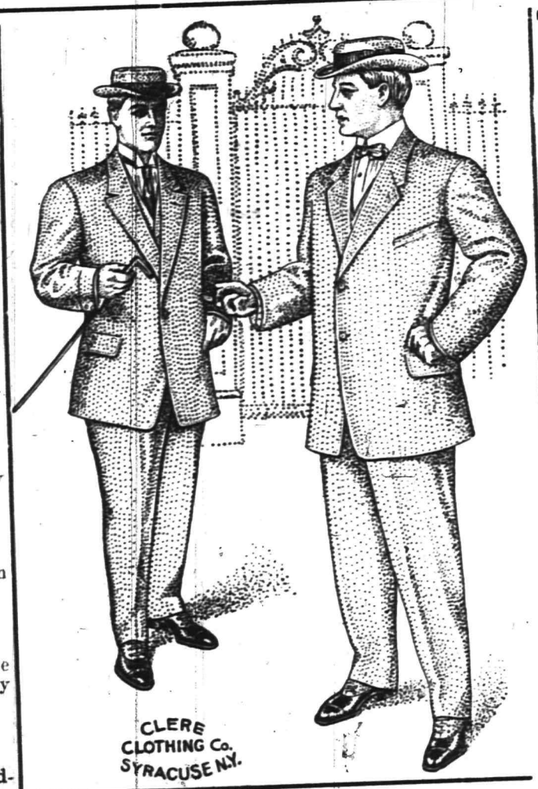


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**BOYS' $6.00 SUITS $1.98**

Boys' Russian and Sailor Blouse Suits, in neat mixtures and plain colors, sizes 3 to 5 years, values up to $6.00; sale price

**1.98**

200 Boys' Plain Pants Suits, worth from $3.00 to $6.00, all to go at this sale

**1.25**

Boys' Finest All-Wool Worsted Serge and Cassimere Suits, with knickerbocker pants, worth up to $7.50; sale price

**3.90**

**BOYS' $4.00 AUTO OVERCOATS AT $1.98**

The very latest styles and colors, in fancy stripes and mixtures; sale price

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**BOYS' $5.00 OVERCOATS $2.98**

Warranted all wool and made in all the new styles, both plain and military style, some lined with all wool flannel; sale price

**2.98**

**BOYS' $3.00 LONG OVERCOATS AT $1.75**

In blue and fancy mixtures, all must go; sale price

**1.75**

**BOYS' $7.50 OVERCOATS $4.50**

All the latest styles, in blue chinchilla and smooth cloth; sale price

**4.50**

**You know the date, you know the hour.**

**Thursday, January 6th, at 9 a. m.**

Owing to the fact that

**Weinberger & Co.**

will continue in business in Plainfield and on the same honorable lines that have marked our previous career. the public may rest assured of the same courteous treatment and to be supplied with the

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| Men's 75c Overalls | 39c |
| Men's $1.00 Sweaters at | 48c |
| Men's $1.00 Dress Shirts | 65c |
| 50 dozen 50c Neckwear | 19c |
| 50c and 75c Silk Suspenders | 38c |
| Men's 25c Fancy Hose | 11c |
| Men's 10c Black Hose | 3c |
| Men's Heavy Fleeced Underwear | 31c |
| Men's 50c Derby Rib Underwear | 31c |
| Men's 75c Dress Gloves | 38c |
| Men's 25c and 50c Auto Caps | 19c |
| Men's $1.50 and $2.00 Hats at | 98c |
| Men's $1.00 Working Pants | 69c |
| Men's $3.00 Dress Pants | $1.98 |
| Men's $4.00 and $5.00 Worsted Pants | $2.50 |
| Men's $3.00 Fur Caps | 98c |

**NOTICE!**

Every article in the Store will be placed on sale. Every Garment and every Statement made herein is positively guaranteed or your money back for the asking.

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THE SUPREME OPPORTUNITY OF THE YEAR.

The Men who have waited for this Sale will have many reasons for congratulating themselves. Read and come to the Greatest Sale Ever Held in Plainfield.

## LEGISLATURE TO OPEN NOON HOUR, TUESDAY.

Trenton, Jan. 5.—Governor Fort yesterday requested the secretary of State to send out notices to the members of the Legislature that the 134th session would be called together at noon next Tuesday. The experiment of changing the time from 3 o'clock in the afternoon to midday was made last year with satisfactory results to all concerned. The change in time had been advocated by newspapers and newspapermen all over the State, the earlier hour giving them an opportunity to give to the public a comprehensive account of legislative happenings on the opening day.

Charles A. Doane and his two children, Irene and Burnet, have returned from a visit over New Year's Day with relatives in Brooklyn.


### HAPPY RESULTS.

**Have Made Many Plainfield Residents Enthusiastic.**

No wonder scores of Plainfield citizens grow enthusiastic. It is enough to make anyone happy to find relief after years of suffering. Public statements like the following are but truthful representations of the daily work done in Plainfield by Doan's Kidney Pills.

Mrs. J. C. Manchester, 120 Lafayette place, Plainfield, N. J., says: "I was a sufferer from kidney and bladder trouble for a long time. I doctored a great deal but failed to find a cure until I saw Doan's Kidney Pills advertised and made up my mind to give them a trial. Good results followed their use and my kidneys were soon restored to a normal condition. I believe my cure is a permanent one and I will always give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement when an opportunity occurs."

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## REVERENCE IN CHURCH IS SORELY NEEDED

Taking as his subject "The Needs of the Church Today," Bishop John H. Vincent, at the reception given in his honor at the new Vincent M. E. church in Elm street, Nutley, said Monday night that in his opinion the church today needed more ideals, more pronounced social life, more strengh of purpose, a sharper line between indulgence and recreation, more art and good literature, more intelligence, more reverence and a more positive and aggressive religion. Particular reference was made to the need for reverence for the church and the church building. He said he hoped the time would soon come when people would not enter the church on Sundays and chatter and talk until the first hymn is announced.

"It is not appropriate," said the bishop, "and, in my estimation is inelegant, impolite and irreverant, and distracts the mind from the serious work of worship, which is the avowed purpose of coming to church. This reform is, above all, needed in the Methodist Episcopal Church. I don't mention the conditions in any other churches, but I do think that, if for nothing but the example we set for our children, we should maintain obsolute silence when in the house of God, except as we raise our voices in his worship.

"You may say this is a small matter, but it is not. It would mean an immeasurable broadening and deepening of our spiritual life if we spent the time from our entrance into the church, until the service started, in silent prayer for our children and friends.

"I hope that in four weeks I may receive a letter from your pastor saying that my words on this subject have had good effect and that the church is absolutely silent before each service."

Speaking on ideals, the bishop said he believed in every one having an ideal of his own. He never knew a person to make much of a success in life who did not have a high ideal and strive for it relentlessly. Death would be a relief, he thought, to some old people he knew who had no ideals and did not believe in everlasting possibilities and had nothing to live for.

On the social life of the church the bishop's opinion was that the social relations of the church could be made so pleasant and ideal that worldly society would fall in behind it, its people being attracted to the better and more charming life of the followers of God. He urged especially the cultivation of the good and beautiful in conversation, literature and art in the church, the Sunday-school and the home. He gave Dwight L. Moody as an example of a crude man who became a cultured and fluent speaker through the study of good literature and constant reading of the Bible.

After the regular program of the evening a reception was given the bishop, and many in the congregation were introduced to him. A supper was served in the supper-room in the basement.


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### TO WAR ON CIGARETTE HABIT IN MORRISTOWN.

Morristown, Jan. 5.—Cigarette smoking among boys ranging from eight to fourteen years old has attained alarming proportions in Morristown, Physicial Director Staff, of the local Y. M. C. A., declares. He has appealed to Police Chief Holloway to take some action. Mr. Staff says that he has made an investigation and finds that a large percentage of small boys are smoking cheap cigarettes and inhaling like veterans. Little shavers hardly big enough to be away from their mothers' apron strings, he says, can be seen on the streets puffing away on a cigarette or sucking on pipes.

Many of these boys, the physical director states, are purchasing the cigeratees from local stores, and he believes the police not only should get after the tobacco dealers, but should take into custody several youngsters caught smoking and give them a lecture and notify their parents. Mr. Staff says that he is willing to assist the police as much as he can in informing the parents of the tobacco habit of their boys whenever he learns of it.

"It's a shame that the habit has grown so on the boys here," said Mr. Staff. "It's killing many of them, for I have noticed several boys who belong to the gymnasium classes of the asociation coming to the building simply doped full of nicotine. They have dull eyes, haven't any ambition to do gymnastic work and just lie around on the sofas or cushion chairs in the association. I'm much interested in the boys and I don't want to see any of them get the cigarette habit. I am going to do everything I can to stopt it.

"I have appealed to the police and I am appealing to the parents of boys. Of course it isn't necessary for me to state the harmful effects of cigarette smoking on boys of tender age. Every father or mother who reads the newspapers knows what cigarettes have done toward dragging down young boys and young men."

Chief Holloway said he was interested in the crusade and would cooperate in checking the growing habit among youths. The trouble, he declared, was that boys got men to go into the stores and purchase cigarettes for them.

### STATE AGRICULTURISTS TO HOLD THEIR SESSION.

Trenton, Jan. 5.—The thirty-seventh annual meeting of the New Jersey State Board of Agriculture will be held at the State house here January 19, 20 and 21. The session will open with a roll call of the delegates and will consist of morning, afternoon and evening meetings, at each of which subjects of particular interest to farmers and others will be discussed by prominent officials in the agricultural field.

The first day the reports of the various officers and committees of the board will be read. In the afternoon Governor Fort will deliver an address. There will be addresses also by Professor F. C. Minkler, of the State Agricultural College of New Brunswick; Dr. Edward B. Voorhees, president of the board, and W. D. Zinn, of West Virginia.

The evening session of the first day will be featured by a discussion of the game laws by Benjamin C. Kuser, president of the Fish and Game Commission.

At the second day's meeting Professor F. C. Sears, of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, and E. M. Tousley, secretary of the Right Relationship League of Minneapolis; H. E. Cook, of St. Lawrence University of Canton, N. Y.; James E. Rice, of Cornell University; Carey W. Montgomery, of Newark, O., and State Entomologist John B. Smith will be the speakers.

The business of the meeting and election of officers will take place on the last day.

### GOVERNOR CALLS FALSE ALLEGED LAKEWOOD TALE.

Trenton, Jan. 5.—Governor Fort expressed his displeasure yesterday at the publication of a supposed dispatch from Lakewood bearing upon the luncheon he is to give to members of the Legislature at the Laurel House next Thursday. The published account of the affair coupled the Governor's name with the efforts which have been made against the tuberculosis preventorium, giving the impression that the Governor instead of being the host was to be the guest of honor of the Laurel House in recognition of his stand against the preventorium.

Every line in the publication was false and malicious, said the Governor yesterday. He added that so far as he was aware not a person at Lakewood nor anywhere else had suggested entertaining him in any way, that the luncheon he was giving was in accordance with his usual custom and that neither the Laurel House nor any one else had anything to do with it excepting himself.

The Governor concluded that the purpose of the story was on its face contemptible and he was satisfied that it was from an inspired source.

**Edward Hewitt May Recover.**

Edward Hewitt, the fifteen-year-old lad from 55 Elm road, Newark, who is at Muhlenberg Hospital with a fractured skull, the result of falling off a coal train at South Plainfield, which he was trying to "jump" remains about the same. The physicians in charge believe that the lad's chances for recovery are good, provided there are no complications.

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There is a scientific reason for drinking milk slowly and in small quantities. Milk curdles as soon as it comes into contact with the juice of the stomach. If a whole glass of milk is taken at one draught into the stomach the result is a large curd through which the gastric juices cannot readily penetrate and act with the necessary solvent power.

Milk, without question, is one of the most valuable of foods. It contains all the elements necessary for maintaining the physical health of those who know how to use it properly. Indeed, most people would be better off physically if milk and entire wheat bread formed their ordinary diet. Especially is this true of delicate persons whose powers of digestion have become enfeebled. Persons suffering from nervous prostration are not able to digest meat, and will find a purely milk diet of the greatest benefit, provided they imbibe it properly.

Horace Fletcher says that each mouthful of milk should be held in the mouth long enough to enjoy the chemical action of the saliva before swallowing.

## TRULY A MAN OF SIMPLICITY

**Inexpensive Costume and Household Furnishings of Burgher One Hundred Years Ago.**

We are accustomed to think of masculine dress as to-day much simpler and much less costly than a hundred years ago. This may be true, but there were exceptions. In "The Taverns and Turnpikes of Blandford" S. G. Wood prints an inventory of the *clothing and household goods of Col.* Samuel Sloper, who had served his town in the war as well as in political matters.

Samuel Sloper was not arrayed in king's garments. His inventory, made in 1803, contained no mention of sword, not even a gun, nor buckles, nor any silver ornaments of any kind, nor silken stockings; only a hat valued at 36 cents, one linen shirt at 40, "one pair old velvet breeches," worth 50 cents, "one fancy cotton vest," $1; "one striped nankin vest," 33 cents; "one pair of buff breeches," $1.50, and one pair of woolen hose. That was all. He must have been a man of simplicity.

His household goods were plain affairs, too, and seem to indicate that he had given up the business of public host before his demise, since he died possessed of but two bedsteads and four dining chairs, although his kitchen boasted of nine chairs. The neighbors used to come in and occupy them and chat together, perhaps. There were only a half dozen knives and forks, and other paraphernalia of dining room and kitchen to correspond. —Sunday Magazine of the Pittsburg Dispatch.

### A Spoiled Climax.

Actors and actresses sometimes meet with strange interruptions in their most thrilling scenes.

Richard Mansfield used to tell grimly of a performance of "A Parisian Romance," in San Francisco. He was at his best, he would say, that night. He carried the entire audience with him. And when his great climax came, when he lifted the last glass of champagne to his lips, and his face twitched, and his hand and arm shook convulsively, splashing the wine in all directions, there was a profound silence, a thrilling horror in the house.

In this tense, breathless moment, a man in the gallery was heard to cry out in fierce indignation:

"'Holy Moses! Who was that spit in me eye?'"

### Magnificent Copy of Bach's Piano.

The Museum of Munich has just had built a magnificent copy of the grand piano of J. S. Bach, of which the original figures in the collection of ancient instruments at Berlin. The piano of Bach, which had been built according to his directions for his personal use, is a veritable masterpiece of keyboard technique. It is a piano with a double keyboard, in which there is for each touch four strings, which can, at the will of the executant, play or be silent, as in the organ. The replica of the Munich museum reproduces faithfully the sonorous effects of the original, and it is to be regretted that it had not been placed where the public could hear Bach's music just as he played it.

### Buncoed.

"No, me good woman, I didn't come fur nut'n' ter eat; I knowed me job better'n dat."

"What did you come for, then?"

"Jest ter tip you off ter w'at de woman down de road is sayin' about you."

"Well, what does she say?"

"She says dat your cookin' is so plum bad dat even de hoboes can't eat it."

"She's just right, they can't; move along!"

### The Late Crop.

Hank Stubbs—Chestnuts are awful wormy this year, ain't they?

Bige Miller—You be'n readin' them funny papers, too?

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He is silent and noiseless, salaams whenever you speak to him, and never enters your presence with his shoes on or his turban off.

And, finally, his multifarious day ended, he wraps himself in his shawl and sleeps across your threshold.

### Here's a Tongue-Twister.

Grenville Kleiser, instructor of the Public Speaking Club of America, whose headquarters is at the West side Y. M. C. A. in New York, defies anybody to repeat accurately from memory the following tongue-twister:

Esau Wod sawed wood. Esau Wood would saw wood. All the wood Esau Wood saw Esau Wood would saw. In other words, all the wood Esau saw to saw Esau sought to saw. Oh, the wood Wood would saw! And, Oh, the wood saw with which Wood would saw wood! But one day Wood's wood saw would saw no wood and thus the wood Wood sawed was not the wood Wood would saw if Wood's saw would saw wood. Now, Wood would saw wood with a wood saw that would saw wood, so Esau sought a saw that would saw wood. One day Esau saw a saw saw wood as no other wood-saw Wood saw. In fact, of all the wood-saws Wood ever saw saw wood, Wood never saw a wood-saw that would saw wood as the wood-saw Wood saw saw wood, and I never saw a wood-saw that would saw as the wood-saw Wood saw would saw until I saw Esau Wood saw wood with the wood-saw Wood saw saw wood. Now Wood saws wood with the wood-saw Wood saw saw wood.

Mr. Kleiser was formerly a member of the Yale faculty.

### Jay Gould and the Physician.

A case of resemblance that bothered New Yorkers for years was that of Jay Gould, the millionaire railroad magnate, and his innocent double, a New York physician. The physician was taking a stroll one morning at an American winter resort, when he was confronted in the path by a dwarfish, swarthy, wizen-faced man wearing a brown check suit.

"Mr. Gould, I believe?" the physician murmured.

Gould stared at his "counterfeit presentment." "I am not quite sure that I am," he exclaimed. "I wish you wouldn't wear clothes like mine."

"Shave off your beard, and I won't!" snapped the physician.

These men were for years constantly mistaken for each other, and if the physician had not been honest Gould might well have feared for his millions, for the physician might have presented himself almost anywhere as Gould and raised "on his face" almost any sum of money.—Sunday Magazine of the Pittsburg Dispatch.

### The Number Thirteen.

Does the number 13 influence a career in the army? is a question asked by a Paris contemporary, impelled by the fact that M. Oudin appears thirteenth in the navy list at St. Cyr. He has just been gazetted as a sublieutenant in a cavalry regiment, declares the London Globe. Thirteen is not looked upon as an unlucky number at St. Cyr, for among those who have stood thirteenth in the list are Marshal MacMahon in 1825. Gen. Bourbaki held the same place nine years later. Gen. Lavcaucouret, one of the heroes at Metz in 1870, was another 13. Among the living generals is Gen. Balloud, who left in 1868, and has since had a brilliant career.

### No Match for Her.

"Ah!" he lightly cried, "I cannot give you the key to my mind."

She smiled till the tips of her pearly teeth fretted her ripe, red lip.

"Why should there be any key to your mind?" she gently asked. "Do men put locks on empty storerooms?"

Seeing that he was no match for her in trenchant badinage he strolled languidly away.

## ON NOT BEING INDEPENDENT

"Do you know," broke out the girl who likes to talk, "I've just been considering the most interesting ideal! Suppose nobody had to fuss over trying to be what he felt he was expected to be, and could just accept himself as he was—think of the time one would have really to enjoy life!

"The reason this great thought dawned on me," explained the girl who likes to talk, "is that when I got up this morning I felt lazy and mortally yearned to skip my gymnastics that I sternly writhe through twice a day. You see, I'm getting stout and I realize that nothing but stern, heroic, regular slaving will help me.

"I had to argue with myself. I said firmly: 'Now, you know perfectly well that those reducing exercises won't do you ten cents' worth of good if you are haphazard about them—it's the steady plugging away that counts!'

"It's dreadful to think that all my life I'll have to struggle that way! Why, I just long for a real legitimate excuse to escape my duties. Talk about inheriting a fortune! If I could wake up some morning and know I had a day's freedom from those gymnastics that I loathe I'd go mad with joy. Think how lovely it would be if I could just comfortably grow fat and nobody would be shocked, and I was just as goodlooking as though I were thin and I knew it didn't matter! Simply because I realize the world will think me a sight if I don't attain sylphlikeness I'm doomed to struggle on!

"Then look at Daisy Greene! She has such a desperately pretty face that everybody says, 'Gracious! I expect people are just crazy over that girl! She probably is the most popular person in her crowd and has a dozen proposals a season!' What's the result? Why, poor Daisy, who is perfectly simple and unassuming and would far rather stay at home and read novels or embroider centerpieces, is wearing out her young days being a belle because the world thinks she should be! You needn't tell me that girl isn't a slave! Look at the way she races about to theaters and luncheons and dinners! She smiles, smiles perpetually, and is always keyed up to be charming and attractive—when she doesn't give a picayune for the fact that her dance program is filled first and the papers call her a social favorite.

"She's bored to pieces by it all. She's just as much tied to a treadmill as I am with my gymnastics, and there's no escape for her, either. Everybody has decided that she'll make a brilliant marriage and be a social leader, and she wouldn't dare for her life marry a man who wanted to stay at home and read the paper evenings and wear a smoking jacket, for such a howl would arise about her throwing herself away with all her beauty and genius for the whirl of society! All because she knows what's expected of her and bows to public opinion!

"Consider the way Mrs. Updike wears herself out endeavoring to make her daughter grow up into what she thinks Hazel ought to be instead of what Hazel naturally is! Hazel is a lumpy, ordinary young person of 14, who has no taste for the artistic and no gift or charm. She'd be perfectly content to be left in a corner and not bothered all the rest of her life—in fact, that's the only role she'd make a success of. Yet her mother is miserable and makes Hazel miserable by eternally goading her on to shine, putting her in an exclusive school to make proper friends when she can't make friends any more than she can pick Mars out of the sky to trim a hat, chasing her to her French lessons, standing over her like a monument while she tortures the piano, insisting on her painting dreadful things, making her do clumsy antics at dancing school, keeping at her grimly.

"It would be pathetic if it wasn't so ridiculous! Why can't she accept Hazel for what Hazel naturally is and let it go at that? She'd have lots more time to enjoy life and Hazel would have some peace. But she is haunted by the knowledge of what people think a daughter ought to be, and she'll keep at it till they both die of exhaustion or till Hazel elopes with a grocery clerk and lives happily ever after.

"I feel sorry for George Edwards. He'd be such an ideal, ladylike proprietor of a dry goods store in a small town—and here he is trying to be a clubman, a cotillon leader and a sad dog generally! Just because his father has money and he's been to college and something is expected of him! If he belonged to 50 clubs and had a new dress suit every ten minutes I should always see, hunting George's footsteps, like a second self or a familiar ghost, a nice, bowing, retiring little man, with a yardstick handy and an eager desire to display the last bargain in silks!

"Think how much simpler it would be for George! He wouldn't have to work nearly so hard as he does now, and maybe his countenance would lose that pained, anxious expression which comes from wondering if he's doing the right thing and whether the right person has noticed it at the right minute! Why can't people be independent?"

"Well, why don't you start it and quit your hated gymnastics?" demanded a listener.

"Oh," hopelessly said the girl who likes to talk, "that's different!"

# ERRORS COST MONEY

## LARGE SUMS WASTED BY VARIOUS GOVERNMENTS.

### For One Misspelled Word 4,000,000 United States Telegraph Blanks Were Destroyed—Kaiser Wilhelm's Editorial Work.

Enormous sums of money are frequently expended by various governments to rectify errors, often apparently trivial, in government printing.

The United States, some years ago, destroyed 4,000,000 telegraph forms owing to the misspelling of a single word.

In 1883 several hundred thousand greenbacks were canceled before issue owing to the same cause. An employe was convicted for attempting to steal some of these worthless notes, with the intention of selling them to collectors.

The Austrian government is so intolerant of mistakes that it cancels documents, not only on the ground of serious mistakes or misspelling, but even as the result of a misshapen letter. The use of a small instead of a capital "B" in the word "Briefe" led a short time ago to the destruction of 25,000 forms issued to the various post offices.

In 1850 an Austrian designer of bank notes signed his name in tiny letters at the foot of a drawing. The engraver copied the name, and before the mistake was discovered 10,000 notes were printed, all of which had to be burned.

Before the union of Italy, more than one attempt was secretly made to turn official papers and notes to propagandist uses. A custom house regulation form so spaced by the compositor that the initial words in every line, if read consecutively, were a declaration against the papal claim to govern Rome.

In another case the spacing of words in certain bank notes was so arranged that by drawing a pencil line in a particular way a rude outline of the arms of Savoy resulted. These notes, of course, never saw the light, the device being too obvious to escape detection.

In 1901 a Spanish engraver was heard boasting that he had "signed his name" on every one of the 10,000 bank notes just about to be issued. When called on and asked for an explanation, he declared that he had been joking.

But an examination of the notes showed that certain letters in one line were raised a microscopical distance above those next to them.

These raised letters spelled the employe's name. Seven hundred and fifty dollars was the price paid by the authorities for their engravers' joke.

The kaiser's persistent interference in all matters of art has cost the fatherland heavy losses in canceled printed matter. One of his first acts as sovereign was to show his subordinates how the imperial arms should be printed.

After many thousand forms and documents had been impressed with these arms an antiquary of high authority proved to his majesty that the new design was not only wrong, but also humiliating to himself. Seven thousand five hundred dollars' worth of papers were promptly reduced to ashes.

In another case the kaiser "subedited" the German money order form in such a way that the public could not make head or tail of it. Finally the new form had to be called in and thousands of unissued copies destroyed.

Fifteen thousand pounds' worth of postal orders had to be destroyed by the British general post office some time ago owing to the poundage stamped on the face having been 1d stead of 1½d, as it should have been. The estimated loss to the country was $500.

France has been a bad sufferer. In 1898 more than twenty thousand hundred-franc credit notes were printed with a word badly misspelled, the error not being noticed until some of the notes had been issued to banks.—New York Herald.

### Kind Man from the Country.

An amusing incident occurred in a hotel a few nights ago. It appears that a farmer from South Jersey, who was unusually ignorant of city ways, went to the hotel with his son. The father retired early, but the son went out to "see the town."

At 12:30 o'clock the farmer went downstairs and inquired of the night clerk if the boy had returned yet. He was told that he had not. The father went back to his room. An hour later he again appeared before the clerk and said:

"Hain't Jack in yet?"

Again he was informed that the lad was out. The old man made several subsequent trips, and still his boy was among the missing. Finally, at 3:30 o'clock, the farmer trudged wearily down the stairs and asked again if his boy had returned.

"No, he's not in yet," replied the night clerk.

"Waal, I guess he won't come in, then. Guess you needn't wait up any longer."—Philadelphia Times.

### Doing Fairly Well.

"How is your courtship coming along?"

"Oh, fairly well."

"Are you getting any nearer her father?"

"A little since fall began. We've moved in from the front veranda to the parlor and he's moved in from the back porch to the kitchen."

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# RECLUSE A PROBLEM

## ABNORMAL LOVE OF SOLITUDE HARD TO UNDERSTAND.

### All Classes of Society Included Among Those Peculiar Individuals Who Have Shut Themselves from Their Fellow Men.

The recluse is a human problem which has defied doctors and scientists alike. They can give no satisfactory reason why an otherwise sane person should shut himself up and refuse to mingle with his fellow men.

Only a few days ago an extraordinary story of self-banishment was revealed at an inquest held at Chatham. The central figure might have stepped out of the pages of Dickens for he was known by the curiously romantic nickname of "Walter All-Alone."

Twenty years ago Walter Tibball—to give him his real name—was a prosperous butcher. Then one morning he disappeared from his usual haunts, the business was sold and the streets of Chatham knew Walter Tibball no more.

For the rest of his life he lived in a miserable shanty on the outskirts of the town—alone and silent. The little food he ate was delivered by a man who seldom saw Walter All-Alone and never conversed with him.

The cottage fell into a very bad state and Tibball's health broke down but he strenuously refused medical aid and resolutely declined to enter the infirmary.

At the inquest it was stated that Walter All-Alone had condemned himself to this wretched existence by way of expiating some purely imaginary fault.

Henry Cavendish, the famous natural philosopher and chemist, was a recluse who astonished England.

A son of Lord Charles Cavendish and a nephew of the third duke of Devonshire, possessed of enormous wealth, the subject of universal admiration because of his scientific attainments, he preferred the solitude of his study and the company of his books to the pleasures society could offer him.

For many years he lived at Hampstead, in a large, roomy house, attended by a number of female servants, who, however, were strictly enjoined to keep out of his sight. If a domestic by the merest chance came into the presence of Cavendish, she was instantly dismissed.

Every morning the philosopher would leave a note on the hall table naming what he wanted for dinner. No one saw him place the note there, but, accustomed to the strange customs of the establishment, the meal would be prepared, and only the remains of the repast signified the presence of the master of the house.

When Cavendish died, in 1810, he left behind him nearly $5,000,000, beside a lasting reputation as a scientist and writer on natural philosophy.

The case of Capt. Wilson contains every element of tragedy and pathos. Educated at a great public school, he entered a crack cavalry regiment when only 20 years of age. Then followed a decade of popularity in London society.

But everything changed with the death of his supposed father. It was then revealed that Capt. Wilson was not the son of the man to whom he owed his splendid position; he was only a foundling. Though his foster-parent had left him his entire fortune, he resigned at once from the army and from his clubs, said farewell to all his friends and retired to an obscure village in the south of England. By his will he disposed of $750,000.—London Telegraph.

### Why He Ended Friend's Nap.

Speaking of the Friend who sat in the jury box of the United States court with his hat on the other day, Attorney Francis B. Lee of Trenton told of a little incident that happened in connection with a good Quaker acquaintance of his who lives near Moorestown. One day the Quaker in question went to sleep in meeting and started to snore. For awhile the nasal notes were soft and smooth and did not disturb the worshipers, but finally the sleeper let out a few extra links and kicked up such a commotion that a kindly disposed friend thought it the part of wisdom to awaken him.

"Friend Nathaniel," he whispered, poking the sleeper in the ribs, "I think thee had better arouse thyself."

"What did thee say? What did thee say?" exclaimed Nathaniel, suddenly starting out of his slumber. "What is the matter?"

"Nothing, Nathaniel," replied the other, without even breaking into a smile, "only thee was snoring a little, and I was afraid that outsiders would think that the spirit had moved thee to a trombone solo instead of an expression of thy convictions."

### Not What He Expected.

"Had a great surprise to-day."

"How was that?"

"My son pointed out the famous football coach to me."

"What surprised you in him?"

"Why, it was a man. I always thought it was an ambulance."

### Truly Novel.

"I have tried to write something out of the ordinary in this novel."

"Well, my boy, I think you have succeeded."

"In what particular?"

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## JEFFERY'S LAST WORD

### "Bungalow Man" Scents Enemies in "the Powers That Be" Here.

ANNOUNCES THE PLATFORM.

He Declares that "Certain Gentlemen Do Not Want Innovations Introduced" By Man Who Knows How.

William Jeffery today formally announced his candidacy for the presidency of the Board of Trade, whose annual election takes place tonight. He is of the opinion that political powers are at work to bring about his defeat and hence had issued a formal statement. Mr. Jeffery has as his running mate A. S. Herr for the secretaryship, but it should be understood that both assert that neither one is allied with any faction and each will stand on his record. Mr. Herr is at present secretary of the board. Edmund Rushmore, now vice-president, is a candidate for the presidency. It is reported that he is in sympathy with the present administration and will throw his strength to H. W. Marshall for another re-election to the presidency although the latter does not want the job. On the Rushmore ticket for the vice presidency is J. Henry Crane, a lawyer.

Here is Mr. Jeffery's letter issued today:

Editor, The Daily Press:

My judgment is that the fight for the presidency of the board has narrowed itself down to Harry Marshall and myself. "The powers that be" as I am informed do not want Jeffery because he is too active and Rushmore is not active enough. Certain gentlemen do not want innovations introduced in the Board of Trade, nor too many questions asked by men who know how to ask them. I believe that the members of the Board of Trade feel that the time has come when the opportunity presents itself to the Board to secure an executive officer who is free from factions, cliques and one who has made good and can make good for the Board of Trade.

I desire to announce my candidacy for the presidency and send herewith the plyatform upon which I stand.

Yours,
WILLIAM JEFFERY.

January 6, 1910.

This is Mr. Jeffery's platform:

"The accumulated brain and force of the board, in harmonious and united effort should be a tremendous power for good. Increase the Board's sphere of usefulness. Publicity. Let the outside world through news and properly placed newspaper advertising, know what Plainfield offers. Welcome suggestions from the people. Cooperation.

More commodious and suitable quarters. Membership should equal five per cent. of the population. Visit other civic organizations. Invite them to visit us. Welfare of the Board's territory and the people's interests.

Secure recognition outside of Plainfield. All meeting should be interesting recreation. Commend the right—condemn the wrong. Close and harmonious relation of the officers and executive committee."

## HERE'S A WORTHY OBJECT FOR HELP

"Ordered South." Many a man has had to face the prescription "complete rest for two or three months, or——" When the doctor pauses like that it means, oh, so much to the waiting wife. It suggests, somehow, a widow and a few more orphans. And if leaving work means starvation, too, then what is to be done?

The Charity Organization Society is confronted with just such a problem now and it feels that in the case, which they know to be deserving, there is an opportunity for some one or more charitably inclined people to assume a small burden of fifty dollars in order that the bread winner for one family who is ill may be sent away for the rest which has been prescribed.

The wife, while it is hard for her to contemplate the change, is quite willing to undertake service somewhere while the children will be placed with those who will care for them during the forced separation of the family.

Further particulars of this case may be had by calling at the rooms of the Charity Organization Society, 544 West Front street, or call up 'Phone No. 103.

State Vice-Councilor William B. LaRue will install the officers of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., tonight.

## FORM A CONGREGATION

### Netherwood Reformed Church Formally Organized by Classis.

REV. DR. VANCE PREACHES.

Representatives of Classis Conduct Service and Organization Meeting—Church Is Free of Debt.

The Netherwood Reformed church was formally organized last night and Rev. Royal A. Stout appointed the minister in charge. The Newark Classis consisting of Rev. Charles B. Condiet, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, Newark; Rev. William W. Conner, of the Bellville Reformed church; Rev. Stuart N. Hutchinson, First Reformed, of Newark; Rev. Dr. J. I. Vance, North Reformed, of Newark; Rev. John Y. Broek, Trinity Reformed, of this city; Elder Mitchell, of the First Reformed church, of Newark; and elders F. E. Smith and H. J. Martin, of Trinity Reformed, Plainfield. Rev. Royal A. Stout was elected a corresponding member of the classis.

The services opened with devotional exercises at which Rev. Mr. Condict presided. The invocation was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Stout responsive reading led by Rev. Mr. Condict and the Scripture by Rev. Stuart Nye Hutchinson, and prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Conner. Miss S. Etta Raybert sang a solo accompanied on the organ by A. L. Titsworth. Rev. James I. Vance, pastor of the North Reformed church, of Newark, and president of the Board of Domestic Missions delivered the sermon taking for his text from Philippians, 1:27, and spoke as follows:

Dr. Vance took for his text Philippians 1:27; "Only let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ: that whether I come and see you, or else be absent, I may hear of your affairs, that ye stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel."

Dr. Vance said in part:

"The lives we live as Christians must give credit to what we teach. Members of a church must live worthy of the gospel. We must rebuke skepticism and shame sin. This will make a conquering church. Let this newly organized church be made of people whose lives are worthy of the gospel.

"Paul pleads for a united church. In order that we may have such a church, we must fight shoulder to shoulder, and stand foursquare to all winds that blow. If the church of Christ would only stand together, she could conquer almost everything. The apostle wants a united church that it may be a permanent church. Christians should stand shoulder to shoulder for certain things. Paul does not speak so much about corporate union, as Christian personal union. Christians must be brotherly and kind toward each other. If this occurs, the organization will take care of itself.

"We must get together for the sake of the gospel and for sake of Calvary. If w ecan get together for the sake of trade, can we not get together for Christ. We must not stand in estrangement of each other, for the sake of sectarianism.

"We need people in the church who are dead in earnest. The power is not in our earnestness, but in our message. The gospel is power of God unto salvation and must become our companion in arms. Whether this church grow rapidly or slowly, become self-supporting or aided financially for a length, the important thing is to live lives worthy of the gospel."

After the sermon the call from the classis for the special meeting was read by Rev. Royal A. Stout. The petition contained thirty-two signatures of residents of the vicinity asking the classis to organize the new church. The classis went into executive session and the petition was granted. Seventeen members were received into membership by letters other churhes while fifteen were from other churches while fifteen were admitted upon confession of faith. These latter candidates were examined by Rev. Dr. Vance and upon their admission the church was declared duly organized.

Rev. John Y. Broek pronounced the benediction.

The church begins its work free from debt and is founded on sound principles which practically guarantees its continued existence. No small congregation ever started under more favorable circumstances. The history of the movement toward establishing the little church is interesting. The matter was presented to the classis on April 29, 1909, at the spring session. Money was raised by the classis to undertake the work and by persistent endeavor and

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## NO, THEY WERE NOT DRUNK

### It was Nature's Skating Rink That Caused Pedestrians' Antics.

MANY MISSED THEIR TRAINS.

Icy Pavements Caused Trouble—That Snow Forecast Fooled All—Some More Weather Predictions.

Those whose business compelled them to be out late last night will remember the experience longer than they would if old Jupiter Pluvius and Jack Frost had not made a big combine to waylay the unwary and incidentally make things uncomfortable for the pedestrian.

Lots of folks who would under no circumstances whatever stagger had a hard time preserving an equilibrium and many of them did not succeed. One man was noticed crawling on his hands and knees up a flight of front steps at his residence and he was making poor weather of it until his wife extended the handle of an umbrella to him and helped along in the process of getting home.

When they woke up to the fact the people realized that this was the slipperiest evening that has thrust itself upon a too confiding public in a long time and some of them didn't realize it at all until they had measured their lengths upon the glassy sidewalk. It was a thin veneer of the kind which deceives and many a man was brought low, but fortunately falls were not accompanied by injuries. Skates were popular with the school children this morning and the business man who has forgotten how to skate envied the little fellows as they skimmed along the glassy walks happy in the opportunity to use their Christmas presents.

Scores of New York commuters missed their trains this morning because the sidewalks would not permit of running and the middle of road enthusiasts had an opportunity to jibe their less nimble friends. All the early morning express trains left without the "regulars" and the conductors were chuckling to themselves over the snap they were enjoying.

The weather sharps are all tied up in their opinions as to whether the icy part of the storm has passed. The weather bureau at Washington looks for clearing weather tonight, but the New York forecaster does not agree with the prognostigation. He says snow will follow the present disturbance which practically covers all the States east of the Mississippi river.

## MOTHERS, CAN YOUR BABIES BEAT THIS?

Irene, the ten months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fitzgerald, of West Fourth street, can always be able to count Wednesday, January 5, 1910, as one of the unlucky days of her career.

Little Miss Fitzgerald encountered three thrilling experiences yesterday, but she passed through all unscathed. At 9 o'clock in the morning Irene rolled out of bed for a starter; two hours later she nearly swallowed an open safety pin which she picked up while creeping on the floor. The little one was probably saved from choking to death by prompt attention from her mother who succeeded in extricating the pin from Irene's throat.

Before being put in her cradle for the night, Irene succeeded in scalding her hands and arms by upsetting a cup of hot tea while occupying a seat on her father's lap at the supper table.

**Will Study Foreign Missions.**

The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, during January and February will devote its time to the study of Korea, Immigration and South America, for which purpose the association will be divided into sections as follows: A class of young girls led by Miss Edna Brown, subject, Korea; one for boys, leader to be announced, subject, Immigration; one for adults, led by Miss Harriet Halloway, subject, South America. The classes are open to all interested.

**Dr. Stanley White to Speak.**

Rev. Dr. Stanley White, one of the secretaries of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions, will give an address on South America and Korea before the Young People's Association at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, tomorrow night. As Robert E. Speer has recently returned from a seven-months' visit to South America and Dr. Brown has just arived from Korea, Dr. White will have the latest and most interesting news.

## ASKS FOR MAIL CARRIER

### Postmaster Garretson, of Dunellen, Hopes to Establish Delivery Service.

MERCHANTS URGING SCHEME.

Recommendations Will Be Made to Postoffice Department in Report Which is Now Being Prepared.

Postmaster Henry C. Garretson, of Dunellen, in his report which he is preparing for the postoffice department at Washington, will recommend the appointment of one letter carrier for that office. Mr. Garretson in his efforts to give the residents of that place carrier service will have the united support of the merchants as well as all citizens. While no movement to prepare a petition on the part of citizens to the postoffice authorities it is likely that such a step will be taken.

Under the existing postal rules towns in the third class, as Dunellen is classified, are not entitled to carriers, but since the introduction and successful operation of the rural delivery system, exceptions have been made to the general rule.

The rules state that offices to be designated in the second class must transact an annual business of not less than $10,000. As the business of the Dunellen office approximated a little over half that amount last year, and has shown a steady growth, the postoffice department, it is thought, will coincide with Postmaster Garretson's suggestions.

Several years ago the hopes of Dunellen's citizens for better postal service were elevated by an agitation calling for the consolidation of that office, New Market, South Plainfield, Fanwood and Scotch Plains, with the Plainfield office, the local office, being the central receiving and distributing point, but the scheme failed to materialize.

## MR. GILMORE QUIETLY WED TO MISS YAEGER

Mrs. Charles Yaeger, of Webster place, today announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Emma Yaeger, to Harry J. Gilmore, of Westfield. The announcement came as a great surprise to the many friends of the couple as well as the bride's family, who did not know of the marriage until today. The couple tried to keep it quiet, but in some mysterious way it became known.

The couple was married at Jersey City on November 30, by Rev. Gotlieb Andreae, pastor of a Presbyterian church in that city. Since that time the groom has been living at his home in Westfield and the bride has been living at her home. Their plans for the future are not made as yet.

The bride was formerly a member of Grace church choir, and has been active in the work of the parish. The groom is employed at the City National Bank, and is also an athlete of some note. He was a member of last year's Y. M. C. A. baseball team, being the star second baseman. Both the bride and groom have a host of friends.

**Mr. and Mrs. McKeon Entertain.**

Mr. and Mrs. John A. McKeon, of East Second street, entertained about thirty-five guests at a euchre party on New Year's night. The house was decorated in green and red. Refreshments were served during the evening. Honors were awarded to Mrs. John McKeon, Jr., Mrs. Dorgan, Miss Anna Doyle, Mr. Rippley, Mr. Moran and John Doyle.

**Foreign Mission Meeting.**

The meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tonight will be in the interest of foreign missions. Prof. C. H. Robertson, of Tientsin, China, and William D. Murray will tell about the convention of the Student Volunteer Movement for foreign missions, recently held at Rochester, N. Y., and about the work in China.

**Mrs. G. H. Babcock Gives $1,000.**

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Plainfield Public Library, last night, the president reported the gift of $1,000 from Mrs. George H. Babcock, the interest from which to be used for certain definite purposes in connection with the Babcock Scientific Library.

**Arranging Birthday Party.**

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Duncan, of West Third street, have invitations for a party in honor of the seventeenth birthday of their daughter, Miss Jessie Duncan, on Thursday night, January 13.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

## MYSTERY PLAY TOMORROW

### Junior Auxiliary of Church of Holy Cross Will Present Christmas Story.

INCIDENTAL MUSIC A FEATURE.

Play in Blank Verse Said to Be of Unusual Interest—English Cycles Recalled.

An old English mystery play, the action of which deals with the incidents attending the nativity of Our Saviour, is to be presented by members of the Junior Auxiliary of Holy Cross church at the parish house tomorrow night, when nineteen of the young people of the organization will take the parts of the characters of the Bible story. The proceeds of the affair will be devoted to the furtherance of the work of the auxiliary in the field of domestic missions.

Written in blank verse, the play develops in an impressive way the theme of the Nativity, incidents of which are depicted in its four scenes. As the first production of its kind in this city the play is arousing considerable interest among church people, and the sale of tickets has been gratifying. It is a typical Christmas drama, written in the style of the mystery plays given long ago by wandering players in the various English cycles.

A feature of its presentation is the incidental music, including carols and solos of religious music. Six of the auxiliary girls will form an angel choir, and there will be additional soloists. Special scenery and costumes have been prepared, and the action of the play has all the charm of the Bible story and the old English presentations.

The parts of Mary and Joseph will be taken by Marjory Heaton and Grace Wakefield, and these are the other characters: Tobias, landlord of the Inn at Bethlehem, Selina Cornwall; David, his servant, Helen Lee; Zachary, Ezra and Ben-Ezra, three shepherds, Kate Elliot, Gussie Bremmer, and Violet Murray; Eliphaz, Nadab and Uzziel, three merchants, Charlotte Wadhams, Alma Carver and Ida Hummel; Martha, a child, Florence Cornwall; Abel, her brother, Grace Cornwall; Angels, Ruth Douglas, Pauline Mauray, Elizabeth Voorhees, Dorothy Keller, Annabel Schneegas and Nettie Rilling; Herald, Ethel Rilling.

The incidental music will be rendered by Holy Cross choir, accompanied on the piano by Organist Will O'Brien. Miss Laura Bristol will be the soloist.

## GOLDEN EAGLES INSTALL NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS

Freedom Castle, No. 43, Golden Eagles, installed these officers last night: Past chief, Frank Neiding; noble chief, Lewis A. Martin; vice chief, Nelson Wiley; high priest, John Bolsterli; sir herald, David Weiss; venerable hermit, Walter Busts; clerk of exchequer, R. V. Kinney; keeper of exchequer, W. W. F. Randolph; master of records, R. V. Vail; worthy chamberlain, George Church; esquire, William Alling; ensign, Walter Randall; first guard, Lewis Stites; second guard, Harry Josephs; trustees, Caspar Waglow, Joseph Randall, Frank Runyon; representative to grand lodge, Peter Bennett.

The installation ceremony was admirably executed by members of Somerville Castle and was followed by a collation. Frank Neidig, the retiring noble chief, made a few remarks in which he thanked the members and officers for their cooperation during his term, and urged that they lend their support to L. A. Martin, his successor, in the same manner.

**Funeral of John T. Odam.**

The funeral of John T. Odam, who died in Trenton last Saturday, was held yesterday afternoon at the home of his brother, Eli M. Odam, of Arlington avenue. The services were conducted by Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor of Hope chapel. The interment was in Hillside cemetery. A previous service was held at Mr. Odam's late home in Philadelphia, before the body was sent to this city. Mr. Odam is survived by a widow and several children who live in Philadelphia.

**Young Friends to Meet.**

The Young Friends Association will meet at the meeting-house on Watchung avenue, tomorrow night. The subject will be "Has the Government Benefitted the Indians?"

Miss Helen Lynch, of East Fifth street, has been entertaining Miss Helen Griffin, of Newrak, during the holidays.

## CITY BAKERIES INSPECTED

### Board of Health Report Shows There is Room for Improvement Here.

THE MILK SUPPLY IS BETTER.

Tuberculosis Cases Increased By Nine Over Last Month—Various Licenses Granted.

The regular monthly meeting and also the annual meeting of the Board of Health was held last evening in the offices of the board, with all the members present.

Dr. B. Van D. Hedges was re-elected president, Dr. T. S. Davis, secretary, and Fred W. Dunn, treasurer, for the ensuing year.

Reports were read, showing the sanitary condition of the city for the past month. The number of communicable diseases reported in December, is as follows:

Scarlet fever, 8; typhoid fever, 2; tuberculosis, 11; diphtheria, 6; chicken pox, 3; measles, 14; total, 44.

Sixty-five dairies, creameries and milk bottling places were inspected during the past month. The results were favorable in the majority of cases. One dairy was, however, prohibited from sending milk to a creamery supplying milk in Plainfield.

Sixty-four samples of milk were collected and analyzed during the month and the quality was found to be better than for the previous month.

Twenty-two houses and seventy-one rooms were disinfected during the past month, on account of communicable disease.

An inspection was made of a number of barber shops and they were found to be in a first class condition.

"An inspection of the bakeries of Plainfield and North Plainfield was made during the past month, in connection with the Borough Board of Health," says the report. "These inspections made at night in order to observe the methods used in baking. The results showed that there is plenty of room for improvement and it is the intention to inspect these bakeries once each month in an effort to bring them up to the standard prescribed by the Pure Food law."

W. R. Way was granted a permit to sell milk from his store. B. C. Firstbrook was also granted a permit to sell milk in the city.

The following plumbing bonds were ordered filed: George F. Giles & Company, Charles M. Raybert and James Whalen.

The total number of plumbing inspections made during the past month was ninety-four. Total number of general inspections made was 262. Total inspections made in December 356.

The following returns were made to this office during December: Marriages, 15; births, 28; deaths, 33; still births, 1.

The annual report of the board for 1909 was presented at this meeting and will be submitted to the Common Council at its meeting on Monday night.

**MR. MORCOM'S FUNERAL TO BE ON SATURDAY.**

The funeral service of Thomas Morcom, of Plainfield avenue, who died yesterday afternoon, will be held at his late home on Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. It will be private and will be in charge of the Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church, of which the deceased was a member.

Mr. Morcom resided in this city for about a quarter of a century and was a native of England. He had been ill for several months with a a complication of troubles. He is survived by a wife, two daughters and one son. He was engaged as caretaker of the Evergreen cemetery.

**Judgment Against Putnam.**

A suit brought by William H. Fletcher, of Ithaca, N. Y., against Edmund H. Putnam, a Watchung avenue tailor, was decided against Mr. Putnam in the District Court this morning and judgment rendered by Judge Newcorn for the plaintiff for $20.57 with costs and interest added. The suit was on a promissory note on which the defendant filed a set off. Martin H. Stutsman appeared for Mr. Fletcher and Winfield S. Angleman for Mr. Putnam.

**One Broken Wire.**

The main line trolley wire was discovered broken at the corner of East Fifth street and Franklin place last night by Chief of Police Kiely, who notified the P. S. Railway. The wire was repaired at once.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

—Tickets for the McIntyre concert next Monday evening, now selling at Armstrong's. ••• 1 5 4

## STORK OUTWITS FLAMES

### Fire Visits Rubin's Domicile While Messenger of Love Tarried.

BUT THE STORK WON OUT.

Daughter Born In Hospital This Morning—Girl Nearly Suffocated—Damage to House and Furniture $1,000.

While Mr. and Mrs. Samuel L. Rubin were awaiting a visit from the stork at their home, at 47 Pearl street, in the borough last night, a fire occurred at the house and drove the inmates outdoors in a sleet storm that was raging at the time. The messenger of love, however, refused to be balked in its mission by the invasion of the flames, as Dr. J. H. Carman, who was in attendance, had Mrs. Rubin removed to Muhlenberg Hospital, where she gave birth to a bouncing seven-pound daughter early this morning. Despite the excitement mother and daughter are reported as doing well.

The house is also occupied by Henry Levine, the owner, and family, the former being responsible for the fire. Mr. Levine at 8 o'clock in the evening was preparing to leave the house. While looking for a pair of rubbers, under a couch in a room on the second floor, he lighted a match, the fire from which ignited the sofa. The blaze brought the search for the rubbers to an abrupt termination and Levine hurled the burning couch out of a window into the yard.

In the excitement Levine did not notice that the window curtains had caught fire and had forgotten that his four-year-old daughter, Etta, was in the room. He rushed downstairs, and into the yard and devoted his attention in trying to save the couch.

In the meantime, Mrs. Taub, his motherin-law, remembered that the little girl was left in the room. She summoned Levine, who hurried up stairs and rescued his daughter, who was suffocating in a smoke filled room. Prompt treatment by Dr. Carman, however, resusticated the little girl.

The flames spread rapidly from the curtains and found their way into the partitions and rapidly journeyed to the attic. Prompt work of the firemen, however, checked the flames and the damage was confined to the attic and a part of the second floor. Owing to the snow, sleet and ice the firemen experienced a difficult task in checking the flames and they remained on duty for three hours.

While performing their duties on the roof of the porch, Lieutenant William Gaub and William Hogan slipped on the ice and fell into the snow, a distance of twenty feet. Both escaped injury.

Levine was badly burned about his hands in removing the burning couch from the hous .

The damage to the building and furniture will total about $1,000. The loss on the house is covered by insurance but the furniture was uncovered. The lower and s cond floors of the house were completely gutted and the furniture was practically all rendered usel ss.

## NEWARK CONFERENCE M.E. CHURCH, IN MARCH

The annual session of the Newark Conference of the M. E. church will be held in the Central M. E. church, Newark, of which Rev. Dr. W. H. Morgan is the pastor, for one week beginning March 31, and promises to be one of the most interesting gatherings of the conference held in several years. Several matters of great importance, it is said, will be considered. Bishop W. F. Anderson, of Chattanooga, Tenn., will preside over the session and direct the deliberations of the ministers. The work of the approaching conference is of interest now as the churches have entered upon the fourth quarter's business, although the quarterly conferences have not yet been held.

Although no official announcements have been made, that usually being done at the fourth quarterly conference, it is said that the local M. E. church pastors have been invited to return another year. Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson has made a host of friends since coming here and has done good work. The same is true of Rev. C. S. Kemble, of the Monroe Avenue church and Rev. Ora J. Shoop, of Grace church, it is said, and there is no desire on the part of the members to make a change.

**Fell on Icy Sidewalk.**

Simon Braider, of Putnam avenue, this city, slipped and fell on an ice-covered pavement on Fairview avenue. Mr. Braider fell backward, inflicting a deep gash in his head.

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**Ladies' Coats for $12.98**
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20. Moon Bird.


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### BOUND BROOK AND VICINITY.

The following newly elected officers of Pioneer Council, Junior Order of United American Mechanics, of Bound Brook, were installed last night: Councilor, George Kline; vice councilor, Allison C. Hall; assistant recording secretary, Harry S. Johnson; conductor, George O. Smalley; warden, A. F. Winberg; inner sentinel, Frederick W. Miller; outside sentinel, Benjamin T. Clark; trustee for eighteen months, Eugene Duryee; representatives to Essex Funeral Benefit Association, John M. Rowland and James R. Bonney; representative to New Jersey Funeral Benefit Association, Harry S. Johnson.

Mrs. W. R. Page and daughter, Miss Mary Page, of West Union avenue, Bound Brook, are spending several days with friends at Stamford, Conn.

Miss Evelyn Foreman, of Church street, Bound Brook, returned Monday from a week's visit to relatives at Englishtown.

G. V. Van Doren, Jr., of East Franklin street, Bound Brook, is spending several week with friends at Wyoming, O.

Mrs. Jonathan Warman, of Bayonne, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Karsner Larue, in South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Frank Leise is confined to her home in Cedar street, South Bound Brook, with rheumatism.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, district superintendent, will preach in the Methodist church Sunday evening, January 23.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank will be held next Tuesday afternoon at the bank.

The Patriotic Order Sons of America, will install officers tonight. A social session will follow the lodge session.

Friendship Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph E. Meeker in Plainfield, on the afternoon of January 13.

Tax Collector Stites has collected about $15,000 taxes to date; leaving about $2,500 unpaid.

Constable Bob Pierce is attending to his duties again after a struggle with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. John Manning are now residing with Miss Catherine Manning.

The W. C. T. U. is holding its annual meeting in Jr. O. U. A. M. hall this afternoon.

A child of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Apgar is ill with a mild attack of scarlet fever.

George T. Schenck has recovered from an attack of rheumatism.

### DETECTIVES MAKE LEVY DESPITE DIFFICULTIES.

Roselle Park, Jan. 6.—Detectives who have been in possession of the Kenilworth Inn since last Friday, making a continuous levy on property of the proprietor, Herman O. O. Schmidt, as a result of an excution made on a judgment found against him in the District Court, Elizabeth, by his brother-in-law, Valentine Vonderlin, are still in possession.

It is expected that he will be evicted under another judgment obtained in the same court by the Kenilworth Realty Corporation, some time today. Schmidt has tried in many ways to make the detectives' stay uncomfortable. He first allowed the firs in the hotel to go out, and later discontinued the serving of meals, the detectives say. Though almost frozen and nearly starved, according to their story, the detectives, under orders from Vonderlin's attorneys, continued to stay at the hotel. Monday night Schmidt had two of the detectives arrested for selling liquor without a license at the hotel. They were Thomas L. Carey and Edward S. Kenney. They gave bail to appear when wanted.

Tuesday Schmidt threatened to shut off the power for lights in the hotel and James A. Dowd, chief of Union County private detective agency, ordered the detectives making the levy to have lanterns with them over night. Dowd was at the hotel during the night. He says he will stay at the hotel if the roof is taken off until he completes the levy.

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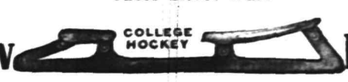
**Winslow**  **Ice Skates**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# CENSUS ENUMERATORS WANTED BY UNCLE SAM

Washington, D. C., Jan. 6.—Census Director Durand stated yesterday that, as a result of his conferences with the supervisors of census throughout the country he finds that in many sections, especially in the larger cities, there have not been as yet sufficient applications for the positions of enumerators. It looks, he thinks, as if the country is so prosperous that people are not as anxious to get these responsible places as had been expected.

The scarcity is giving the director some concern, as only a few weeks remain before the date for closing the consideration of applications.

The director, therefore, urges all persons desiring places as enumerators to make application as promptly as possible, and he hopes that in order to help get a perfect census public-spirited and energetic people throughout the country will offer themselves for these positions, even though they may not care for them from the standpoint of the pay involved. The director says:

"Although the actual work of taking the census will not begin until April 15, it is essential that those who wish to act as enumerators should apply immediately. Except under unusual circumstances, no application received after January 25 will be considered. About 65,000 enumerators will be required. Each will work in his own locality. Any competent person is entitled to apply for this position, and will be fairly considered for appointment.

"Political recommendations are not necessary. The supervisors to whom application must be made, have been instructed to consider all candidates and to select solely on the basis of efficiency.

"The test will be of a strictly practical character, substantially the same as was used in 1900. It will consist of filling out a sample schedule of population, and, in the case of rural district, filling out also a sample schedule of agriculture, these schedules being precisely the same as will actually be used by the enumerators in their work later on. In order to assist candidates in preparing for the test, copies of the blank schedules and general instructions regarding the manner of filling them will be furnished to each candidate in advance. Any person of ordinary common school education and good judgment should have no difficulty in passing.

"This test is not a civil service examination. It will be conducted under the direction of the supervisors of the census, and the papers will be examined only by the supervisors and by the census bureau. In order that convenient examination places may be provided for all candidates, local civil service examining boards and postmasters will be called upon to preside at the actual taking of the test in certain cases, but in this respect they will act merely as the representatives of the supervisors of the census."

The enumerators will earn about $60 each. Those in the rural districts must complete their work within 30 days and those in cities of 5,000 or more population at the preceding census within two weeks, from April 15, 1910.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Preparatory services will be held at Hope chapel tonight and on Sunday evening there will be communion with reception of new members by the pastor, Rev. L. R. Howard.

The subject of the week of prayer service at the Congregational church tonight will be "Praise: That Missions are possible as an expression of Christian devotion." Tomorrow night the subject will be "For the Sunday school and all work for the young."

The union week of prayer service will be held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, tonight, when Rev. Ora J. Shoop, of Grace church, will speak. Tomorrow night the meeting will be held at Grace church and Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson will speak.

Rev. Bryant Gray Harman, who was a member of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church during his boyhood and college days, has accepted a call to the rectorship of Calvary church, Cairo, New York, in the foothills of the Catskill mountains.

### PERSONAL.

Charles Smith, of Jersey City, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Mrs. Fred Bird has taken to her residence with Mrs. Daniel Shalley at Duer street and Craig place, the borough.

Mrs. George Young, of Brooklyn, has returned home after spending the past two weeks with relatives in this city.

Mrs. Gilbert Lovell, in a letter written November 13, states that Mr. Lovell is slowly recovering from a severe illness, and their son, Leander, has recovered from his illness. They are located in China as missionaries.

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## Previous Prices Now Deeply Reduced to Clear All Departments of Winter Goods

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# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Nearly all of the Camden county officials Tuesday attended a hog killing at the county almshouse, Blackwood.

Leslie M. Shaw, former secretary of the treasury, will address the union men's meeting next Sunday afternoon in Kemble M. E. church, Woodbury.

Hugging her pet cat too tightly, Mrs. John I. Emery, of West Hanover street, Trenton, was scratched on the eye, and she will probably lose that member. The animal never showed any other unfriendliness to her.

Sheriff and Mrs. John Rancier, of Paterson, had as their guests at dinner Tuesday night the court constables and their wives in addition to a few personal friends, in the sheriff's living apartments adjoining the county jail.

Former Freeholder Abram G. Hopper, of the firm of Steele & Hopper, building contractors, is seriously ill at his home, 77 Twelfth avenue, Paterson, suffering from pernicious anemia, and litte hope of his recovery is entertained.

Residents of Seaside Park were overjoyed Tuesday to learn that the Ocean County Board of Freeholders had finally voted to advertise for bids for the construction of the beach road to connect the resort with the mainland.

No changes were made in the officers of the Camden County Republican executive committee for the new year, when Harry Reeves was re-elected chairman; Alfred L. Sayers, secretary, and Harry C. Sharp, treasurer, Tuesday afternoon.

Work on the $48,000 grammar school building at Millville, a considerable portion of the wall of which fell some time ago, has been held up until spring. The opinions of the school authorities differ greatly as to what caused the collapse.

Governor Fort Tuesday signed a requisition on Governor Stuart, of Pennsylvania, for the return to Camden of Edward F. Breier, wanted on charges of embezzling some $700 from The Courier Publishing Company, for which he was an agent.

A testimonial dinner is to be given to Joseph M. Thompson, chairman of the Ocean County Republican committee, January 12 by political friends. Among the guests will be Judge Berry, Senator Mathis, County Clerk George H. Holman, Sheriff Cox and Assemblyman Crosby.

Pending suit for divorce, Mrs. Caroline Kurth, of Seventh and Walnut streets Camden, was Tuesday allowed $4 a week alimony and $25 counsel fee by Vice Chancellor Learning. Mrs. Kurth alleged cruel treatment in her bill of complaint, and in his answer Kurth made many accusations.

John F. Small, eighty-nine years old, of Beverly, who enjoyed the distinction of having been elected justice of the peace both as a Democrat and a Republican and who served for a number of years, was stricken with sudden blindness as he came out of the postoffice Monday. Friends assisted him home. Tuesday he had partly recovered his sight.

Former Secretary of the Treasury Leslie M. Shaw is announced as one of the speakers at the annual banquet of St. Mary's Brotherhood at Burlington on January 13. W. E. Schermerhorn will be toastmaster and other speakers will include former Governor E. C. Stokes, Frank C. Katzenbach, Jr., former Mayor of Trenton, and Rev. John Fearnley, of St. Mary's Hall.

The officers-elect of Jerusalem Lodge, No. 26, F. & A. M., were installed Tuesday night, after which there was a banquet.

Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight, when the officers-elect will be in the chair for the first time this year.

Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tomorrow night and the good and welfare committee will provide a god time for the members.

# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## GOLF.

Quite a curiosity in the playing of a stroke competition is provided by another Scotch club. A tournament was being held at Cambuslang early in October, when three couples of competitors drove off together from the last tee. This was about 5:30 o'clock in the evening and darkness was approaching. It was pointed out also that these three pairs were not the last competitors on the course, and the local committee asked the information whether the six players were disqualified. The rules committee answers in the affirmative and points out that Rule 1 for stroke plays does not permit more than two players to play together.

A good yarn is told of the final round for the Irish golf championship at Newcastle, County Down. In the course of the day Mr. Mitchell, the title holder, and his opponent were caught in one of those heavy showers for which Newcastle is notorious. The champion turned up the collar of his jacket, but finding he had no pin with which to fasten it about his throat he asked his caddie if he could oblige him. The caddie fumbled at the foot of his waistcoat, failed to find what he wanted, and then, taking off his cap hesitatingly and looking at it silently for a second or two, he replied: "Well, sor, I have a pin; but, sure, it fastens a little bit av white heather in me cap, and that's for good luck for you, sor."

"Ah, you are the right sort," said Mr. Mitchell; "on no account remove your white heather." A pin was secured from another quarter, and the white heather remained in that caddie's cap until the championship was safe in his master's keeping.

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# Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock hens. Apply 145 Manning Ave. 1 5 3

FOR SALE—Good two-seated sleigh. Apply 402 East Fifth St. 1 5 2

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

80 CORDS of excellent fire wood, oak, hickory and beech, for sale cheap. 924 Field Ave. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—Building lot on Norwood avenue, 80-179 feet; will sell all or part. Call 60 Norwood. 1 3 6

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash balance on easily monthly payments Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Wanted—Miscellaneous.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, on Central or Madison avenue, between Stelle avenue and Eighth street, large silver buckle, attached to black belt. Finder will please notify Mrs. H. W. Beebe, 429 Stelle avenue. 12 27 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons 197 North avenue tf

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

# Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

NOW is the time to buy Rugs. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 12 15 1m

LOWEST prices and easiest terms on pianos at the New Jersey Piano Co., 315 West Front street. Christmas bargains. 12 11 tf

THE New Jersey Piano Company now located in Plainfield, 315 West Front street. Watch for big piano sale. 12 11 tf

NAGLE'S Pharmacy is the place to buy Christmas presents, perfumes, manicure and toilet sets, hot water bags, soaps, Apollo chocolates, cigars by the box. Call early and get the pick. 12 7 1m

HAVE your solid carriage tires applied at Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 12 15 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

MANICURE sets, comb and brush sets, toilet articles, for Christmas presents, at lowest prices, at Nagel's Pharmacy. 12 7 1m

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer, sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 7 10 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Chas. J. McNabb, 209 North avenue. Telephone 49. 12 11 1m

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 3 6

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated J T Vail tf

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# Classified Advertisements

### For Lent.

SMALL house to let, 132 Johnston avenue. Apply 409 East Fifth street or 122 Johnston Ave. 1 5 6

FOR RENT—Five rooms, $13, with improvements. Inquire 87 Somerset street, Mrs. Bender. 1 5 3

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Sleighs For Sale.

SLEIGH FOR SALE—Two-seated sleigh, with pole, in good order; $25 Coachman, 105 Rockview Ave. 12 31 tf

### Rooms and Board.

PLEASANT room, nicely furnished, man and wife preferred; stationary wash stand, good table, 'Phone. Address A. S., care Press. 1 5 5

ROOM and board. 440 West Front street. 'Phone 418-L. 12 28 9

LARGE, pleasant room to let; first-class table board. The Plainfield, 515 Park avenue. 9 24 tf

NICELY furnished rooms to let; well heated; gentlemen preferred. 122 East Fifth St. 12 31 6

COMFORTABLE furnished rooms to let; central location; terms reasonable. 7 Grove street 12 11 1m

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath; also double and single rooms table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

LARGE and small front rooms, well heated, with or without board; all conveniences; telephone. 62 Sandford avenue. 12 16 1m

NEWLY papered, newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

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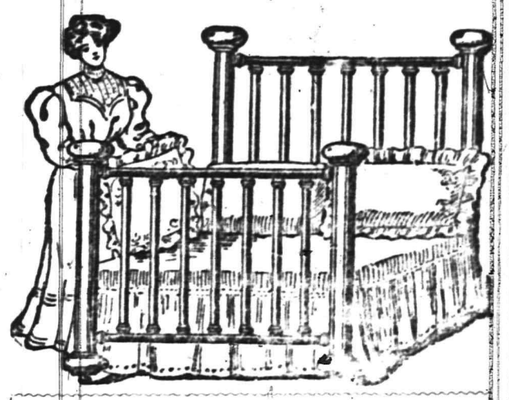

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## Jan. 6 in American History.

1811—Charles Sumner, Massachusetts senator and statesman, born in Boston; died in Washington 1874. Sumner acted as a confidential adviser of President Lincoln.

1893—Carlo Alberto Cappa, famous band leader, died in New York city; born in Sardinia 1834.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:44, rises 7:21; moon rises 3:50 a. m.; planet Mercury visible low in west after sunset; 3 a. m., eastern time, Jupiter's outer satellite No. 1 missing; the other three on the east of the planet; 11 a. m., Venus' greatest brilliancy, conspicuous in southwest after sunset each evening.

Plainfield, N. J., January 6, 1910.

## FORM A CONGREGATION

(Continued from page 1.)

willing workers among the prospective members the building was erected and dedicated on July 7 last, creating a record in church building in this city. The church was well filled last night notwithstanding the storm.

The following members were admitted: S. O. Rush, Enoch Berry, Isaac Stevenson, Gustave Frumerie, Richard Mauser, Valentine Steenson, James H. Steenson, Mrs. S. O. Rush, Mrs. C. Berry, Mrs. J. Steenson, Mrs. G. Frumerie, Mrs. K. Yeomans, Mrs. G. York, Mrs. G. H. Young, Mrs. S. E. Carson, Miss Helen Carson, Clarence Berry, Mrs. Walter Coon, Mrs. Fred Frey, Gertrude Berry, Elizabeth Steenson, Mrs. C. Gonod, Claude Gonor, Mrs. G. D. Merkle, Mrs. W. Carson, Rose Carson, William Carson, James C. Hansen and Mrs. J. C. Hansen.

### GOVERNOR J. F. FORT WANTS A NOON MEETING.

Governor Fort yesterday had Secretary of State Dickinson send out a letter asking the legislators to meet next Tuesday noon, instead of at 3 in the afternoon, the latter time being the one on which they have usually met for the past 100 years, excepting last year, when the governor got the time changed at his request.

The convenience of the legislators and to give the people a chance to see the capitol, the legislature and the governor and to get home the same day prompts the request of the governor, which request he will make in person today when he dines the legislators at Lakewood.

### "The Universe" at Proctor's.

"The Universe," presented by G. Nelson Camp & Co., an electrical spectacular production of historical American advancement, will be seen at Proctor's theatre today and the rest of the week. Two tons of electrical and mechanical effects are carried to present this wonderful act. While the "Universe" will mystify big and little, Alfredo's wonderful monkeys will especially entertain the little ones. They do everything but talk. Lewis & Harr will give character impersonations of the old colored folks and their act is a symphony in black. Ellen Tatea, a dainty comedienne, singing her own songs, with new films d'art complete the bill.

### Will Preach New Year's Sermon.

Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church, will preach a New Year's sermon at the morning service on Sunday, according to his annual custom.


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In order that all may share in this great money-saving event, we offer the following inducement: If you don't need the goods till later on, come in and make your selection, pay a small deposit on them, and we will store them free of charge and deliver at your convenience; or if you need them at once and are not prepared to pay all the cash, take advantage of our "Club Plan" system of Easy Payments. We extend every convenience to responsible persons. This sale should appeal very strongly to prospective housekeepers.

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**OUTFIT NO. 3—$10 98**
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**OUTFIT NO. 4—$13.50**
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**Folding Cots,** with woven wire tops, regular price $2.00; sale ..... $1.69
**Folding Cots,** all iron, well braced, regular price $2.50; sale ..... $1.98
**Adjustable Couches**—the drop side kind, with national spring and denim covered mattress and bolster, reg. price $6.98, sale ..... $4.98
**Sliding Adjustable Couches**—all complete, with denim covered mattress and bolster and National spring, regular price $7.50, sale ..... $5.98
**Best Adjustable Couches**—the telescope kind, with National spring and denim covered mattress and bolster, reg. $9.50, sale ..... $6.98
**Auto Couches**—If you see them you'll surely want one, the slickest couch ever put on the market; during this sale we'll sell the $12.50 kind for **$10.98**; the $14.50 kind for **$11.98** and the $16.50 kind for ..... $12.98


## HEPTASOPHS REVOLT A MYTH HE DECLARES

The following communication has been received by this paper relative to an article published in The Daily Press on Tuesday. The item referred to as grossly exaggerated was written by one oft the prominent members of the order and the article was a quotation from his communication.

This is the communication:

Editor, The Daily Press:

My attention has been called to an article in last night's issue headed "Heptasophs in Revolt." While I have no desire to enter into a newspaper controversy, yet the facts are so grossly exaggerated that I feel it my duty as a supreme officer of the order to state them as they are. The Improved Order Heptasophs, an organization over thirty years old, passed laws at their last supreme session bringing those who were members prior to 1910 up to their attained age July, 1901. This they had a perfect right to do, for a member when he joins subscribes to the laws in effect at that time, or any that are made thereafter. The decisions referred to have nothing whatever to do with this case.

The Supreme Conclave realizing the fact that some of the members were along in years and perhaps unable to pay the new rate, submitted an option to those who choose to avail themselves of it, whereby they could have the difference between their old and new rate charged against their certificates. Failing to do this they either pay the new rate or surrender their membership. Your article says that the action of the Supreme Conclave reduces the amounts of some certificates hundreds of dollars.

I have the list of members before me with the various amounts that would be charged against them and these amounts range from 29 cents to $66.24 and in one instance where the member had nearly reached the age limit at the time he joined the order, his amount would be $164.40; but in every case where the amount is over $20 the member has either a $2,000 or $3,000 certificate and can well afford to pay it or have it charged to his certificate. As to there being a revolt of any kind this is the first I have heard of it. The fact is there is none here or elsewhere.

The members of the order, about 80,000, realize that the laws passed were the most just and equitable ever enacted by a fraternal organization and were intended to strengthen and perpetuate what is one of the noblest orders in existence.

J. V. E. VANDERHOEF,
Supreme Committeeman,
Improved Order Heptasophs.

### Cost $16,000 to Become Sane.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 6.—John Sudbrink, who has been insane since he was injured two years ago while working as a brakeman on the Big Four Railroad, has been restored to sanity by an operation on his skull, only to be told that $16,000 damages obtained from the company has been expended in medical treatment.

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### SURGICAL OPERATION ON FISH.

Fish surgery is by no means an unbroken record of failures. On the contrary, and despite its attendant difficulties, some notable successes have been scored, says an exchange. Perhaps the most daring piece of work that has been performed at the New York Aquarium was the removal of a fungoid growth from one of the fins of a five-foot shark, while the most difficult was the grafting of skin upon an eel. That the latter proved a slipper patient the reader will readily conjecture. Indeed, the holding of piscine patients while they are being operated upon is a serious problem, which must be solved by means of specially made boxes, soft wrappings, and the like contrivances.

The most frequent successful operations are performed upon fishes whose air bladders fail to effect their proper functions. The chief cause of such defects is the too rapid removal of a fish from the water to the air, as when it is captured or removed from one tank to another. It is brought quickly to the surface with its mouth open. Its air bladder is charged to a greater or less extent with water, which enables it to maintain its specific gravity in deep waters. But the suddenness wth which the fish is jerked out of its natural element prevents it from correctly adjusting the quantities of air and water in the bladder, and congestion results. When returned to its tank the wretched creature is unable to sink or rise at will, and is washed about by the movements of the water in a helpless condition.

It has been found that fishes injured in this way may often be cured by a little gentle massage. The operator grasps the fish firmly with the left hand by the tail, drawing it carefully out of the water up an inclined board reaching into the tank, but allowing the head and shoulders to remain submerged. Massage is then commenced toward the gills, and generally, after a few minutes' action of the hand, the air is forced out of the bladder.

Massage does not always prove successful in relieving the trouble, however, and more drastic measures have to be resorted to. In the case of a deep-sea bass which had lost complete control of its air bladder and lay wallowing on the surface, quite unable to sink or swim, it was recognized that a remedy must immediately be found if the fish were to be saved. The bass was taken from the water and a surgeon's needle inserted just behind the pectoral fin into the air bladder. The air was thus liberated and the patient was again able to control itself perfectly. A few days in a hospital tank healed the slight puncture and effect a complete cure.

### GENERAL W. F. SADLER PUTS OUT A HISTORY.

Adjutant General Wilbur F. Sadler, Jr., sent out yesterday bound copies of the records of officers and men of New Jersey who took part in the wars from 1791 to 1815, inclusive.

The results of this work, which has been in process of preparation for some time, include the expedition against the Indians, 1791; the naval war with Tripoli, 1801-1805; war with Great Britain, 1812-1815, and the naval war with Algiers, Africa, 1815.

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FLORIDA ORANGES—Fancy fruit, dozen ..... 20c and 25c
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TOMATOES—Large No. 3 cans, 3 cans for ..... 25c
PEAS—Green and tender, 3 cans for ..... 25c
CORN—Maine style, 3 cans for ..... 25c
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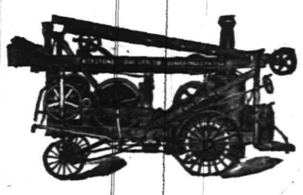

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# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss Catherine Saunders, who has been spending her holidays with her parents, Captain and Mrs. H. B. Saunders, of Washington Valley, has returned to Canada, where she is taking a course of study in one of the Canadian schools.

Spencer's Hill has been a glare of ice for several days, and the lovers of coasting have been enjoying the sport to the limit. No serious accidents have happened although several narrow escapes have been reported.

There promises to be a lively argument at Elizabeth tomorrow when the question of a license for Hetrick's Hotel comes up. A number of the anti-saloon people will be present.

The Township Committee meets tonight in the town rooms. Besides the regular routine work, business relating to the township report will be transacted.

Lester Lamagan, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. William H. Lee over the holidays, has returned to his studies at Fordham College, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ford, of Montague avenue, have returned from a week's visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Fanwood B. & E. Co. held its regular monthly meeting in the company's room last night.

Miss Isabella Hyams has returned from a two weeks' visit with relatives in New York.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

# A. G. HOOLEY PRESIDENT OF THE KENNEL CLUB

Election of officers for the coming year, together with reports of the past year, comprised the chief business at the annual meeting of the Plainfield Kennel club, held at Truell Hall, last night. Owing to the bad weather only twenty members of the club put in an appearance, but the meeting was interesting and much enthusiasm was shown.

A Clinton Wilmerding, who was president last year, gave a review of the club's history during the first twelve months, and then announced that under no circumstances would he be able to continue in office, although urged to do so. Resolutions were adopted thanking the retiring officers for their earnest efforts in behalf of the club.

Abram G. Hooley was chosen president of the club for the coming year, and owing to his great interest as a dog fancier and the fact that he has one of the best kennels in the country, will insure the continued success of the club. The other officers chosen are as follows:

Vice-president, John C. Haywood; secretary, Charles Faber; treasurer, Edward F. Feickert; honorary vice-pesidents, Robert A. Fairbairn, William J. Buttfield and Edwin S. Hooley.

There was considerable discussion regarding the bench show for the coming year and it promises to be bigger and better than ever. It will be held immediately following the annual horse show in June, and the date will be announced later.

The report of the first annual bench show held last June was received and proved to be very gratifying. It was stated that the deficit only amounted to $27, and when it is considered that a $1,500 show was held, the small shortage was considered remarkable. Every kennel club expects to lose money the first year, but the results here were far better than expected. The local club has a large and gratifying membership, comprising the best people of the city and nearby places. The few mistakes of last year will be avoided at the coming show and there is no reason why it should not be equal to any outdoor show held in the country. All of last year's exhibitors have promised to return and there will be the usual attractive prizes.

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Marshall P. Wilder will appear here on Wednesday, January 12, at the Plainfield theatre as a special feature of the Mildred and Rouclere Company, giving his inimitable impersonaltnos covering a wide range of subjects, as this is the first opportunity the public of the smaller cities have had of seeing Marshall P. Wilder, a capacity house should greet the company here on the above night.

"In the Bishop's Carriage," with Stephanie Longfellow as the central figure, comes to the Plainfield theatre January 10, for an engagement of one night only. This play is a dramatization by Channing Pollock of Miriam Michelson's book and has been very popular on its tour.

### Yale Professor Dead.

Professor Samuel S. Sanford, for many years head of the music department of Yale University, died today at his home in New York.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

# CHRISTY MATTHEWSON BECOMES AN AUTHOR

The famous Big Six of the New York Nationals has just about completed the manuscript of a baseball story for boys of all ages, and it is the promise of his publishers, the R. J. Bodmer Co., of New York, that it will be ready for delivery in February. This will be the first of a series of boys' stories on sports, to be known as "The Matty Books." Associated with "Christy" Mathewson, the "Father of the Fadeaway," in the preparation of "The Matty Books" is W. W. Aulick, the sporting writer, who will act as editor of the various publications.

The king of twirlers is an occasional visitor to this city at the home of his brother-in-law, Dr. P. B. Cregar, on Grant avenue. During his visits here scores of local fans made his acquaintance.

Matty, in speaking of his new position, says he hopes the official scorers won't mark up too many errors against him.

"I don't claim to be a Shakespeare in the Literary League," says the Old King, "but I believe I've got something to say to the boys, that may interest them. I haven't hit on a name yet for this baseball story, and if any of the fans, old or young, think they have a happy title, I'll be mighty glad to hear from them at the office of my publishers, Suite 608, 437 Fifth avenue, New York. I think a good way to select a title would be to take the one the majority of fans favor.

"The story is about a boy who comes to the leading college of the United States from the other end of the continent. He isn't very well off in money, but he has a natural ability for ball-playing, and this brings him something in the end. Maybe the readers will be able to trace a resemblance between the hero of the book and a certain young player who gets his name in the box score about every time the Yankees play a game of ball. I've written the story just as I have thought it out, and I think the championship games referred to would come out as I have made them come out in the book. Oh, no, I shan't leave baseball myself, just because I've become an author. I'll be in the game as long as they'll let me stay."

# "GIANT JACK" PAYNE TO QUIT POLICE WORK

John C. F. Payne, who has made a creditable record as a member of the police department, will tender his resignation at the next meeting of the Councilmanic police board to take effect January 15. During his five years honorable service, he has made the record of never having struck a prisoner with his billy, although he has repeatedly arrested dangerous characters of powerful physique.

Patrolman Payne was a member of the Y. M. C. A. State champion track team, and was third man in the shot put in the athletic events a year ago. He also made a record as a member of the Y. M. C. A. baseball team.

"Jack" as he is familiarly called by his many friends, holds the record of being the only "cop" in New Jersey who had the "nerve" to box with "Bob" Fitzsimmons. "Lanky Bob," two years ago, dismissed his trainer, when he found that Payne could give him all the "exercise" he needed.

His friends say that his resignation is due to long hours and poor pay, the claim being made that the wages here are less than in any city of the size in the East. Payne has not announced his future plans. He is the most powerful built young man on the force.

### METHODISTS' UNITED SERVICES CONTINUE.

The first union week of prayer service of the M. E. churches was held last night at the First M. E. church. Despite the bad weather there was a good sized congregation out and all enjoyed the sermon by Rev. Charles S. Kemble, of the Monroe Avenue church.

Dr. Kemble took for his theme, "Christian Unity," and during the course of his sermon he presented a great many helpful suggestions which, if followed, will lead to Christian unity. During the service there were several earnest prayers and the meeting was a deeply spiritual one. This evening the service will be held at the Monroe Avenue church, and Rev. Ora J. Shoop, of Grace M. E. church, will preach. Tomorrow night the service will be at Grace M. E. church and Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson will have charge.

### D. A. R. Founder Dies.

Mrs. Flora Adams Darling, founder of the Daughters of the American Revolution, died today in New York of apoplexy as she was starting from the home of her brother, John Quincy Adams, for Washington. Mrs. Darling was seventy years old.

### Fell and Broke Ankle.

Thomas Buckley, of Orchard place, fell on a slippery sidewalk this morning and broke an ankle. Mr Buckley is an erecter of printing presses and is employed by the Potter Printing Press Works Company.

# MIGHT FINISH THEM HERSELF

### Great Actress Given Opportunity to Show What She Could Do in Way of Laundry Work.

It is related of Fanny Kemble that she carried the tragic air of the stage into everyday affairs. While in Boston she stopped at the Tremont house, and was accustomed to dine in her rooms at five o'clock. On one occasion the waiter brought her dinner ten minutes too soon, and she make him take it away until the hour had struck. On another occasion she gave the servant some clothes for the laundry.

"When can these be returned to me, washed and ironed?" she inquired.

"The day after to-morrow, madam, at noontime."

"Be it so," was the dramatic reply, "at 12 on Wednesday."

But on the hour appointed the clothes had not been returned, and at ten minutes past noon a servant stood before her in response to the short summons of the bell.

"My clothes that were to be returned at 12 to-day—bring them.'"

"But, madam, we have not been able to get them ready, owing to a difficulty in the laundry. You shall have them to-morrow."

"Bring them now—they were promised to-day."

"I know it, madam, but they are not ready."

"It matters not to me; bring them just as they are."

The servant went out, and a few moments later two men entered, bearing a tubful of soapsuds and wet clothes, set it on the floor, and went out.

# MONGREL PIECE OF ARTISTRY

### English Captain's Head on French King's Shoulders a Curiosity in Isle of Wight.

There was set up in the seventeenth century, at Yarmouth, Isle of Wight, what is probably the most curious piece of art extant, erected to the memory of Sir Robert Holmes, a British naval officer of that period.

The odd circumstance is that the statue was not originally designed for Holmes at all, but for a very different personage, no other, indeed, than Louis XIV. of France.

This statue, finished as to the figure, but in the rough as to the head, was being taken to France on an Italian vessel, when it was captured by a British man-of-war commanded by Holmes. Upon perceiving the unfinished condition of the statue, Holmes with grim humor, compelled the artist, who had accompanied his work, to chisel his (Holmes') head on the king's body. And so it stands to-day.

Holmes was eventually made governor of the Isle of Wight, which fact accounts for the location of this mongrel bit of artistry.

### The Tub Cure.

It is being told now that the latest fad in society is the tub cure. The patient arises just as the crisp air of the morning is mellowed by the first sunbeam. An ordinary washtub is then filled with hot water and soapsuds, into which various articles of linen are thrown. After they are thoroughly saturated the patient takes them up one at a time and rubs them briskly up and down on the washboard placed in the tub. This is kept up until the hands, arms and face are a glowing pink. The patient then goes into the open air and hangs all the linen articles on a line stretched for that purpose. The one completing the task first announces the time to the others over the telephone and is entitled to a prize. It is exciting sport and also invigorating exercise.

### Galileo.

In 1564 Galileo, the greatest scientist of that age, was born in Pisao. At 18 years of age he made a most important discovery, which was later used in constructing a clock for astronomical purposes. Learned in medicine and mathematics, he later invented the hydrostatic balance with which is ascertained the specific gravity of solid bodies. Later he discovered the three laws of motion. In 1609 he offered the first complete telescope to the Doge, at Venice, and the same year invented a microscope and a crude species of thermometer. But for all these, this illustrious interpreter of the mysteries of nature was brought before the officers of the Roman church and forced to deny the truth of his scientific discoveries.—The Argonaut.

### Concerning Argument.

Certain people seem to arouse the spirit of arguing in each other. Sometimes they are husband and wife; sometimes they are friends, or merely acquaintances. It usually begins when the people are involved in situations where their interests clash. So they argue about those interests. Gradually the state of mind excited by arguing becomes fixed. It makes the people argue even when there is no clash of interest. Often they don't realize that they are arguing. They think they are merely stating honest opinions. What they are really doing is expressing resentment. Nearly always it is feeling that controls the mind.—John Barry in Harper's Bazar.

### Late Hour Explained.

"What kept you until this late hour?" asked the husband of his suffragette wife.

"Well, my dear," she answered, meekly, "it took us an hour to greet one another, the meeting lasted 30 minutes, and the rest of the time was spent in saying good-by."—Detroit Free Press.


## Seasonable Specialties at Neuman Bros.

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# KINGS DAUGHTERS' UNION HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

The executive board of the City Union of The King's Daughters held an interesting meeting this morning at the Y. M. C. A. parlors, when reports for the past month were received. The treasurer reported a balance of $229.47, and during the month of December 242 children were cared for at The Day Nursery, while the city nurse made 113 visits.

It was voted to hold the birthday tea and reception of The Day Nursery on Friday afternoon, January 21, from 3 to 6 o'clock and the public is invited. Each person attending is requested to bring something for the storehouse.

The board is gratified with the many donations made to The Day Nursery during the holiday season, in addition to about $25 from persons who do not care to have their names made known, there was received $10 from five little girls, who held a sale on East Seventh street; a large donation of toys, games, etc., from the Park Avenue Baptist church; the Christmas Day collection, $21.75 from the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church; about one hundred articles of dry groceries from the Seventh-Day Baptist church; $10 from the Religious Society of Friends; a barrel of flour from a friend; $10 from Salaam Temple, Ancient Arabic Order Nobles Mystic Shrine; gifts from pupils of the fifth grade of the Lincoln school.

In addition to the above, Miss Walbridge, of West Eighth street, at her own expense, provided a Christmas tree and all the accessories on December 30; also provided refreshments, etc., for the children. The Public Service Corporation lighted the tree free of charge for that occasion. The King's Daughters take this means of acknowledging the receipt of the above and thanking the donors.

### Musicale & Literary Entertainment.

Under the auspices of the Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church, a musicale and literary entertainment will be given at the church on Thursday night, January 13. Clifford A. Braider, organist of the church, has charge of the program. The artists will be Miss Edith Rubel, of New York, violinist; Miss Jessamine Burd, contralto; Miss Leah A. Coleman, dramatic reader. Mr. Braider will be the accompanist.

### Form a New Real Estate Firm.

Lamar VanSyckel, son of the late Dr. Sylvester VanSyckel, of Clinton, Hunterdon county, and a nephew of former Judge Bennett VanSyckel, of Trenton, has formed a partnership with John H. Doane, in the real estate and insurance business, with offices on the ground floor at 207 North avenue.

### Bishop Vincent In Town.

Bishop John H. Vincent, formerly of this city, but now of Chicago, spent yesterday afternoon with his friend, Rev. Dr. George H. Whitney, of First place. He left last night for Warren, Ohio, where he will deliver a course of seven lectures.

### BENEFITS FROM THE TROLLEY.

In traveling on those fast, prompt, roomy, modern cars, run smoothly, without jerks over a solid roadbed by courteous employes, it seemed to me that this thing was being done even better here than anywhere in up-to-date Germany, says a writer in Success. And I recalled, with humiliation, the obsolete conditions generally obtaining today among our Eastern trolley systems.

I stopped off wherever fancy dictated, talking to farmers, storekeepers, professional men, traction officials and railway men—all sorts and conditions of people; but keeping especially on the alert for an experienced, intelligent and communicative conductor.

He was not hard to find.

"What's your line doing for this part of the State?" I asked him.

"Doin?" he echoed. "The line's simply making it! I've been running these interurbans ever since Ohio first saw them, and I can tell you they've brought in a new day for the city, and for the village, and for the country.

"Take this section of the road. When the company was securing the right of way, four years ago, lots of the farmers were afraid of the idea, and asked so much for the lease that the company found it cheaper to buy their whole farms outright and be done with it. Today many of those same farmers are coming and wanting to buy their farms back again because they see what this thing is doing for their old neighbors.

"It was the same story with the small storekeepers," he continued. "They thought judgment day had struck 'em along with the interurban. And, at first, their trade did fall off considerable. But bit by bit they saw people's wants increasing So village trade picked up. And then the city folks began swarming out of town and building homes along the trolley line. They were awful glad to get into the country, and grew loyal to their new homes and traded with the local stores. The upshot is that the trolley has helped all village tradesmen except the clothiers."

He went forward to drive the car while the motorman ate his luncheon.

"Let me tell you," he went on, rejoining me in twenty minutes, "we're doing more for the farmer than just to increase his wants; we're putting money in his pocket. Wherever an interurban line has gone it has, for one thing, raised land values from twenty-five to one hundred per cent. It has brought the farmer in touch with the briskness and system of modern commerce, and taught him to use business methods in his farming. It's given him a wider choice of markets. And he can get his milk, eggs, fruit and vegetables to town fresher. He receives his market quotations by rural free delivery and 'phone, and takes quicker advantage of high prices by means of us."

### Borough Building Operations.

Since the adoption of the new borough building ordinance last spring up to December 31, Building Inspector J. J. Stahl passed favorably on 16 permits for new buildings and 11 permits for alterations.


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DOANE—Mary E. Doane, wife of Benjamin H. Doane, at Liberty, N. Y., January 3, 1910.

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## Classified Advertisements

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### Help Wanted Male

AGENT wanted, Plainfield district. Apply Colonial Life Insurance Co., 89 Broad St., Elizabeth. 1 5 3

EXTRA salespeople wanted at Weinberger's, West Front street. Inquire at once. 1 4 3

BOYS wanted; must be over 16. Apply at Baird Co., Fourth and Washington streets. 12 7 tf

### For Sale.

ACCOUNT of mourning, lady will sell clothes, size 36; brown crepe de chine, broadcloth suit and voile gown. Address Z., care Press. 1 6 2

FOR SALE—English setter puppies; best field trial blood. 730 Monroe avenue. 1 6 3

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LOST—Bunch of keys on January 4, on or between Plainfield and Sycamore avenues. Reward if returned to Daily Press office. 1 6 2

LOST—Small brindle and white bull terrier. Reward if returned to 58 Grove St. 1 6 3

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Loan of $500; can give good security. Address Loan, care Press. 1 6 3

### Mrs. Overland's Funeral.

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Overland were conducted at her late home on West Fourth street this morning by the Rev. Charles Schneegas, of the German Reformed church. A second service was held at the Coontown church and interment was made at the latter place.

### Anniversary Service Tonight.

The Plainfield Rescue Mission will hold the second anniversary of the conversion of William Wright tonight at 8 o'clock in the W. C. T. U. rooms. After the service a social time will be enjoyed. The public is invited.

Chauncey R. Murphy, the winner of the Yale cup, has returned to P. H. S. to take a post-graduate course in preparation to enter Stevens Institute.

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 6

WANTED—Competent white girl as cook and laundress; references required. 718 Madison Ave. 1 6

GIRL wanted for chamber work and waiting (white); must have good references. Apply evenings, 41 Sycamore avenue. 1 6

WANTED—Two girls, one for cooking, washing and ironing; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 5

WANTED—A neat young white girl to assist with care of child; good reference. 90 Myrtle Ave. 1 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. Apply 600 Franklin place, corner of Sixth St. 1 5

WANTED—Young girl to take charge of child three years old. Apply 600 Franklin place, corner of Sixth St. 1 5

WANTED — Young girl to make herself generally useful; no washing or cooking; must sleep at home; wages $10 per month. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 3

WANTED — Competent maid (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2

GIRL for general housework must be good cook and laundress and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1

### Situations Wanted—Female.

WANTED—Position as companion or housekeeper; competent to take charge of invalid; highest references given. Telephone 115, Plainfield. 1 6

WANTED—Situation for young girl at upstairs work or as nurse girl. 746 Grant avenue; Tel. 261-R.

COLORED woman wants position at general housework. 602 East Third street. 1 5

COLORED woman wants place as cook in private family; good reference. 423 West Fourth St. 1 4

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21

### For Sale or To Let.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7 room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Boys. 1 6

### Situations Wanted—Male.

A POSITION wanted as coachman or handy man, by a sober, reliable man; willing and good references. Address Ernest, care Daily Press. 1 6

GENTLEMAN wants position as nurse or attendant; references. Address J. E. G., care Press. 1 4

GENTLEMAN wants position as watchman or janitor; handy with tools. Address M. L., care Press. 1 4

### Rooms and Board.

ROOM to refined young couple in family of no children or other boarders; all conveniences. Address Z., care Press. 1 6

### Miscellaneous.

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AUCTION SALE—At Murray's corner Park avenue and Fourth street, Thursday and Friday of this week, commencing at 2 p. m.; come and bid for a big bargain in bedding, carpets, rugs, stoves, housefurnishings, novelties and everything. R. Murray, auctioneer. 1 5


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## UNION BAR ELECTION; TALK ON LEGISLATION.

Elizabeth, Jan. 6.—City Attorney James C. Connolly was re-elected president of the Union County Bar Association at the annual meeting Tuesday in the courthouse, following the opening of the January term of court. Prosecutor C. Addison Swift was elected vice-president; Paul Q. Oliver, of Westfield, secretary, and Nathan R. Leavitt, of this city, treasurer. Members of the bar from Plainfield, Westfield, Rahway and other parts of the county were present.

A bill to change the method of prosecution in the lower courts, as recommended by the October grand jury, was read at the meeting.

The bill was drafted by a special committee of the bar association, and provides for the establishing of law judges on the benches of city criminal courts in Elizabeth and other second class cities. The bill was informally discussed, and it was decided that a special meeting be held next Monday afternoon, at which the measure will be discussed in detail.

Because of the number of trivial criminals cases which are now referred to the grand jury much time is taken up and the cost to the county is thousands of dollars annually. The October grand jury recommended that the bar association devise some way of disposing of petty criminal cases in the city criminal courts.

## BOY PEEKED AT NOTE; PREVENTED A SUICIDE.

Denver, Col., Jan. 6.—The inquisitiveness of a messenger boy saved the life of a young woman giving the name of Miss Eva Hains, nineteen years of age, who had taken several bichloride of mercury tablets with suicidal intent.

The girl wrote a note to a male friend informing him of her intentions and gave it to the messenger to deliver. The messenger read it and hurried to the police station with it. Police Surgeon Mudd was dispatched to the girl's room and found her in great agony. Emetics gave relief and an hour later the girl was pronounced out of danger. She refused to discuss her attempt to end her life.

The note gave instructions to send word to her father, William Frazier, Waterloo, Ind.

## TAFT SPECIAL MESSAGE OVER UNTIL TOMORROW.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The further announcement was made at the White House yesterday that President Taft's combined special message on the interstate commerce and anti-trust laws would not go to Congress until tomorrow.

It was stated that the President desired that further time should be given for the distribution of the message, which was sent out in printed form yesterday afternoon. The message transmitting the attorney-general's report on the Glavis charges against Secretary Ballinger will be sent to Congress today instead of tomorrow.

## "LITTLE TIM'S" RICHES DWINDLED INTO $2,000.

New York, Jan. 6.—While it was generally thought that the late "Little Tim" Sullivan, Tammany aldermanic leader, had died a millionaire, it is now understood that he left practically nothing. Only $2,000 on deposit in a bank is all the cash said to be available for his widow and son.

The report that he had held stocks and bonds or deeds for large parcels of real estate in this city is said to be unfounded. His generosity is believed to be the reason why the estate is so small.

## MARINERS ADRIFT ON OIL BARGE RESCUED.

Bayonne, Jan. 6.—Rescued by an ocean-going tug, oil barge No. 56, of the Standard Oil Line, bearing Captain James Andrews and five men, was brought into port here yesterday morning after all hope of saving the men had been abandoned. The barge went adrift fifty miles at sea several days ago, and it was feared it was lost with all hands.

The rescued men were Thomas Larkins, Frederick Snowden, James Wolf, Thomas Kelly and John Downes.

### Rahway's New School Board.

Rahway, Jan. 6.—The new Board of Education, part of which is elective, and part appointive, was Tuesday night in its first regular session. The new president, F. M. Stillman, and all members were present. The chairmen of the various committees appointed are: Instruction, John M. Randolph; building, T. H. Randolph; financial, Henry Jardine; school estimates, Henry Jardine. Commissioners John M. Randolph, Ralph Ritter and Carman were appointed a committee to revise the rules and regulations of the board. Fred C. Hyer was retained as attorney for the board. The amount of insurance in force on the new high school building was reported to be $40,000. The regular night for board meetings will be the first Tuesday in each month.

Miss Loretta Clawson, who recently underwent a serious operation at the Long Island Hospital, is slowly recovering at her sisters, Mrs. Weigand, on West Fifth street.

## SENTENCE SERMONS.

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A lust is an appetite in the seat of the will.

Our principles are simply our habits of thinking.

You cannot hide your vices under advertisements of your virtues.

Little individual kindnesses make the way for the universal love.

The people who raise the row in a church seldom raise the revenue.

It's only when our virtues are lonesome that they feel like boasting.

Training a child in orderliness may be training a man in righteousness.

If there were enough peace keepers the peace makers would not be needed.

We are ready to forgive in our friends the offenses that have not hurt our corns.

He who saves all his kindness for the good comes to believe there are none worthy of it.

This is a dark world to those in whom selfishness has turned the eyes permanently inward.

It takes more than chemistry of soils to grow a crop and more than theology to grow a character.

When a man thinks that his reason has the reins on his passions he is often mistaking the tugs for the lines. —Chicago Tribune.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

The ancient battering ram sometimes made a big hit.

Some musicians who play by ear ought to consult an aurist.

Too many people spend their time in trying to be miserable.

A woman's age has but little in common with what she says about it.

Happy is the man who is too deal to hear what others say about him.

A bachelor who is given a baby to hold looks as helpless as a lost dog.

A woman is able to stand all the prosperity her husband can bring home.

Sometimes a preacher's popularity can be measured by the shortness of his sermons.

It's awfully hard for a widower to convince his children that they need a new mother.

One's wife never gets mad when he finds fault with the meals—if they live at a boarding house.

If a man will compliment his wife upon her youthful appearance and tell her occasionally, that he loves her, she will forgive the other white lies he tells.

A waitress in an Omaha restaurant married a guest an hour after serving his dinner. Her haste was due to the fact that she didn't care to wait any longer.—Chicago News.

## SIGNAL CODE FOR MOTORISTS

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After the spirited horse has upset and painfully injured the elderly and timid ladies: Honk! honk!

In reply to the devil's inquiry as to extenuating circumstances: Honk! honk!—Puck.

## IDLE ITEMS.

Don't be unscrupulous in a small way.

The doctor ought not to charge extra for twins.

The next world's fair will go to the town that can think up a new name for Midway.

Another popular bromide: "I intend to make Sioux Falls my permanent residence."


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### Fearful Concoction Responsible for Trouble Among Women of Cigar Factory.

There never was such a strike as that of the 100 women employed in a cigar factory just across the river from New York. All Hungarians, they are as husky as catamounts and have the same regard for the sacredness of human life that a polar bear shows. None of them can speak English and no one dares to get close enough to them either to find out what their demands are or to tell them that they have been accepted. All anyone knows is that they are on strike and likely to stay so. The proprietors of the factory are said to be considering the wisdom of starting another factory in San Francisco and letting the strikers take this one apart, if they want to.

The strike started when some inspired idiot at a Hungarian wedding built a concoction to which he gave in Hunky—the name of "lightning conductor." Local tradition holds that this brew is composed of gin, orange bitters, svenska punch, beer, new cider, creme de menthe, absinthe and rum, all mixed in a tin washtub with roast apples floating in it. That recipe may not be absolutely accurate, but whatever the lightning conductor is made of, the results were always the same, says the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star. After the first drink the guest tries to kick the bride. At the second drink she sought to set fire to the kitchen and at the third drink she pulled her old-country shawl about her round placid face, grabbed a bat in one hand and started out howling down the street, smashing at every living thing in sight. After the fourth drink a strike of cigar rollers seemed almost ridiculously easy.

The 100 amazons that once rolled cigars in the factory have seized every avenue of approach to the building. They patrol night and day keeping up big bonfires all night long round which they sit and drink. The 15 police of New Brunswick have been whiped to a cream custard twice and finally gave the battle up. Nothing but a Gatling gun could possibly have any effect upon these women. A delegation of townspeople that called on Chief O'Connell got a flat refusal to interfere. "I'll not sacrifice my men," he said, glaring at the delegates. "But I'll tell you—if I can find out who built that lightning conductor I'll hang him on a street corner as an example."

### Farming in Egypt.

A sailor on board the Rhode Island on the trip of the battleship fleet around the world last year wrote from Egypt describing graphically the wonders of the pyramids and other interesting things in that country. Of the farming there he says:

"From the statue of Rameses the Great we went for a long ride over the splendidly irrigated land to the tombs. The farming land was quite a sight.

"They have brought corn from the United States and raise it here in great quantities. They also raise the wheat, clover, cabbages, lettuce and nearly all vegetables.

"Did you ever see an Egyptian plow in a museum? They use that kind here now. As a rule they are drawn by bullocks, but I saw them plowing with camels, bulls, a bull and a camel and also by hand.

"It was a strange sight. Quite different from the riding gang plow they use at home."

### Nerve Timing.

A strange instance of the care and minuteness with which the human body is now studied, in the effort to understand its powers and functions better, is furnished by a paper read recently at a meeting of the Royal society in London on the "Rapidity of the Nervous Impulse in Tall and Short Individuals." Even the difference in time required for a "nerve telegram" to traverse the bodies of different persons is regarded as a matter of scientific importance.

A series of observations has shown that the length of the nerve does not affect the velocity with which an impulse passes between the brain and the extremities, and consequently that more time is needed if the path is long than if it is short. It follows that a short man should feel a step on his corns quicker than a tall man; but the difference is so slight that the offender has no better chance of escape in one case than in the other.—The Sunday Magazine.

### Pictures of Presidents.

In every department, and in fact in every bureau, are to be found the pictures of the former heads of those departments or bureaus. Pictures of all of the presidents are not in the White House, but many are to be found there.

Neither are the pictures of the wives of all the presidents those who occupied the position of "first lady of the land," to be found in the White House, though a goodly number have been preserved. It is rather a notable fact that the pictures of nearly all the women who have graced the position of mistress of the White House are placed in the lower rooms and corridors. This region might be termed the basement, though it scarcely merits that position in architecture.

All of these corridors are used at the big functions at the White House, and no doubt more people see the pictures of the women than would be the case if they were hung in the upper rooms.

# PARADISE LOST AGAIN

By S. E. KISER

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Once there was a boy of ordinary intelligence and attainments, and his name was Thomas. Blissfully he played with a rosy-cheeked maiden, Mandy by name. It made the neighbors glad to see Tommy and Maudy romping care-free together, and Tommy's mother did not think Maudy's mother was a slovenly housekeeper. Furthermore, it is a fact that Maudy's mother did not feel that the parents of Tommy were socially impossible. It was agreed that the children were exactly suited to each other; they seemed to agree in their tastes, and they were supremely happy together.

As they grew up the affection each had for the other failed to diminish. Everybody who knew them took it for granted that they would as soon as they were old enough get married. When Tom was 20 and Maude was 18 they began to have the exclusive use of the Mullins front parlor—Mullins being Maude's last name—on Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday evenings regularly, and on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings when they were not otherwise engaged. And, oh, how happy they were! Certainly they had lovers' quarrels occasionally, but these were always quickly made up, with the usual delightful informalities that attend the adjustment of such differences.

When Tom was 25 and Maude 23 he had eyes for no other girl, and she regarded him as the one man in the world who was absolutely without a fault. By this time people who knew them began to wonder when they were going to get married. Mrs. Fergus said that she should think, seeing they'd been courting ever since they were babies, it was about time they went to housekeeping, and Mrs. Gummidge declared she couldn't see any sense in people putting it off and off year after year when they'd got their minds made up.

By the time Tom had reached the age of 27 and Maude was 25 a good many of their acquaintances were beginning to regard the affair as a scandalous one.

Why in the world, people asked, didn't they get married? Tom was able to support a wife, and it was a shame, if he didn't intend to have her, for

"They Began to Have the Exclusive Use of the Mullins' Front Parlor."

him to keep other young men away. But Tom and Maude kept on being happy. Night after night in the Mullins front parlor they made love and blissfully agreed that life was well worth living, or, at least, that it would have been if other people had kindly minded their own business, for by this time the lovers had found out that they were the talk of the whole neighborhood.

It was shortly after Maude had celebrated her twenty-seventh birthday that Tom went to her one morning with trouble on his mind.

"Darling," he said, "your father came to me to-day. I suppose you know why?"

"It's too bad," she replied, "that people can't quit bothering themselves about us."

"After all, we've known each other a long time. You know I love you with all my heart."

"Yes, dear. And you know I have never cared for anyone but you."

"We have been very, very happy."

"Very, very happy."

"Why should we put it off any longer? I can give you a good home, our parents are waiting to give us their blessing, and—and—"

"And," she said when he tried to think of the proper word, "why should we go on giving our friends cause to worry?"

"This is the way the situation presents itself to me, darling," he assented, taking her in his arms and kissing her the six thousand, seven hundred and eighty-fourth time.

So they were married and lived unhappily ever after.

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### Christianity in Japan.

In the Protestant Episcopal mission in Tokyo, Japan, are two boarding schools for girls, which have some 350 students. The principals and teachers are Japanese, with the exception of two foreign missionary teachers. In St. Paul's college for boys and young men are six hundred students, and there would be many more if they could be accommodated.

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There are only one or two of a kind in these odd lots of untrimmed hats, but they include practically every wanted shape that has been brought out this season—hats of almost any material or color desired, and they are priced ridiculously low:

**75c to $1.25 Hats for 19c.**
**$1.45 to $2 Hats for 43c.**
**$2.25 to $3 Hats for 79c.**
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### FANCY FEATHERS

**Odds and Ends**—various styles and colors; only a few of a kind; regular prices running from 39c to 65c; take your choice, while they last, at only ..... **.19**

**Imitation Paradise Feathers**—large bunches; make beautiful trimming; regularly $1.25; special, while this lot lasts, only ..... **.47**

## Stir in Suits and Dresses

**Our Drastic Clearance Sale Excites Great Interest. Values are Unequalled by Any Other Store**

Go back to last January. Do you remember the sweeping sale we conducted, the movement which rid us of every laggard in the garment section? When we were thru we found the department free from debris, ready to receive new suits and dresses as fast as the makers produced the new styles, placing us in a position to take full advantage of every trade turn and to look forward to new conquests instead of backward at the wreckage of a past season.

And we find ourselves today with only the most up-to-date apparel on hand—suits and dresses fashion loving women can wear with pride—and these smart, new, fashionable things we are selling at prices matching the best offerings many other stores are making of styles that belong to days that have gone.

### Afternoon Evening DRESSES House Street

Dresses made of Crepe Meteor, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon, Fine Nets, Dotted Swisses, Messaline, Broadcloth, Chiffon Broadcloth, Prunella, Serge, Tinseled Jets, Tinseled Chiffon, Embroidered Chiffon, Sayin Crepe, Taffetas, Nets over satin, Lingerie, Linen and Lawn.

**$1.69 Dresses for 79c.**
**$3.00 Dresses for $1.39.**
**$5.98 Dresses for $2.98.**
**$7.98 Dresses for $3.98.**
**$11.98 Dresses for $5.98.**
**$15.98 Dresses for $7.98.**
**$18.98 Dresses for $9.98.**
**$28.98 Dresses for $14.98.**
**$34.98 Dresses for $17.98.**
**$42.98 Dresses for $21.98.**
**$78.98 Dresses for $39.98.**
**$99.98 Dresses for $59.98.**

### Women's and Misses SUITS Plain and Trimmed

Suits of Broadcloth, Serge, Cheviot, Chevron, Wide Wale, Homespun, French Serge, Chiffon Broadcloth and Novelties.

Suits in Navy, Black, Bronze, Green, Raisin, Catawba, Myrtle, Old Rose, London Smoke, Mulberry, etc.

**$15.98 Suits for $7.98.**
**$19.98 Suits for $9.98.**
**$24.98 Suits for $12.98.**
**$30.98 Suits for $17.98.**
**$34.98 Suits for $19.98.**
**$41.98 Suits for $23.98.**
**$45.98 Suits for $24.98.**
**$51.98 Suits for $28.98.**
**$69.98 Suits for $35.98.**
**$75.00 Suits for $38.98.**


### SHOOTING POLICEMAN COST JOSEPH KISH $500.

New Brunswick, Jan. 6.—For the second time within a week the $10,000 damage suit of Policeman Lawrence C. Jensen, of Perth Amboy, against Joseph Kish has been settled out of court. Jensen was shot by Kish some months ago and Kish served a term in State prison for the assault. Jensen also started civil proceedings against him.

Last week when the case was set for trial before Judge Lloyd the latter received a telegram the night before the trial day from Joseph E. Strickler, a lawyer, announcing a settlement. There was a hitch, however, in this arrangement, and this week Mr. Strickler had the case placed back again on the calendar for trial.

Tuesday afternoon the parties interested got together at the courthouse here and settled the case, Kish again agreeing to pay the policeman $500. The litigants left for home arm in arm.

### DRUNKARDS' GUARDIANS FOR NEW BRUNSWICK.

New Brunswick, Jan. 6.—Excise Commissioner Charles Deshler presented a resolution at the meeting of the Excise Board Tuesday night, stating that the best interests of the city would be conserved by the appointment of a Board of Protectors, in accordance with the act for the prevention of drunkenness and requesting that the Excise Board urge Common Council to name such a board.

Mr. Deshler said he did this because of a number of pitiable appeals made by wives and parents of habitual drunkards asking that some action be taken to prevent them from getting liquor. Commissioners John E. Elmendorf and James Anderson also spoke of receiving like appeals, and in favor of the resolution, and it was adopted. The clerk will send the resolution to Common Council for action.

### Very Likely.

The depot at Meridian, Tex. is about a mile from the business part of the town, says Lippincott's. One night a sleepy, weary traveling man said to the darky who was driving him to the hotel:

"Old man, why in the name of heaven did they put this depot so far from town?"

The darky scratched his head in thought and replied:

"Waal, boss, I's fo'ced to admit dat I hasn't give de matter s'ficient cognitation, put jes' jumped up fer a answer like dis. Is'pose dey done dat so as to have de depot as near as possible to de railroad."


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**WM. H. OLMSTED, 331 Watchung Avenue.**

### Holiday Sale of CHOICE OLD LIQUORS

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**Martini & Manhattan Cocktail, per bottle ..... $1.00**
**Ports and Sherries (Imported), per bottle ..... 80c**
**Clarets and Sauternes (Imported), per bottle ..... 80c**
**Burgundies (Imported), exceptionally fine flavor ..... $1.00**
**Cordials (Imported), per bot. $1.00**
**Rum Punch (an excellent drink) per bottle ..... 90c**
**Rock and Rye (nothing better for colds), per bottle ..... 80c**

**I have on hand all kinds of Imported and Domestic Beers, Ales and Porters, ranging in price from 60 cents to $2.00 per dozen.**

**Why deal with the New York department stores when you can purchase good goods at the same prices at home.**

**All orders promptly filled.**

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### Arrival and Departure of Mails

PLAINFIELD POSTOFFICE.
August 1, 1909.

Office opens 7 a. m., closes 7 p. m.
On Saturdays closes half hour later.

NEW YORK MAILS.
Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.00, 5.30, 8.30 p. m., 12 midnight.
Close—6.30, 8.15, 9.30, 11.50 a. m., 2.20, 6.00, 7.45, 9.00 p. m.

SOMERVILLE AND EASTON.
Arrive—9.00 a. m., 1.30, 3.15 and 7.00 p. m.
Close—8.00 a. m., 1.30 and 4.20 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA DIRECT.
Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.30 a. m., 2.30, 7.00 p. m.
Close—6.30, 8.15, 11.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 7.45, 9.00 p. m.

THROUGH FAST MAIL FOR EAST.
Close—11.50 a. m. and 7.15 p. m.

DIRECT THROUGH FAST MAILS FOR WEST AND SOUTH.
Close—11.30 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 and 7.45 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA, WEST OF EASTON.
Close—6.30 and 8.00 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 p. m.

ELIZABETH, DIRECT.
Arrive—8.40 a. m., 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—8.15 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 9.00 p. m.

NEWARK, DIRECT.
Arrive—8.40 a. m., 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—6.30, 8.15, 9.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00 p. m.

WATCHUNG.
Arrive—1.00, 6.45 p. m.
Close—9.00 a. m., 5.30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.
Arrive—1.00 p. m.
Close—9.00 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.
Office open from 9.30 to 10.30 a. m.
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### WATCH FOR SCHOOL OF FISH

**Norwegian Boys Detailed to Warn Farmers of the Approach of Their Finny Prey.**

It is common enough to see a boy watching cattle to keep them from straying, and in days not so very long gone by it was no unusual thing for a boy to be set to keep the birds off the crops; but a watchboy whose duty it is to keep a lookout for a school of fish and who sits in a sentry box set upon stilts is not an everyday sight. This particular kind of watchboy is Norwegian, the scene of his labors being the shores of some fiord of his native land.

His little sentry box is made of wood and perched upon posts. Here the lad sits, gazing out across the arm of the sea, using his keen eyes for the benefit of the farmers who are depending on him to give the alarm when a school of fish shall appear. They work contentedly enough in their fields secure in their belief that their watchboy will let them know when it it time to reap a harvest from the sea instead of from the land.

When the signal is given they leave their work, throw their big nets over their shoulders and hurry off to the boats.

Sentinel boxes similar to those employed in Norway were in use among the fishermen on the shores of the Mediterranean, and it is supposed that the vikings brought back with them from some of their piratical raids the idea that has been put in practice ever since.—Youth's Companion.

### PIGEON'S DEVOTION TO MATE

**Remarkable Attention That Has Attracted Notice of Bird Lovers in Virginia.**

A story of the devotion of a carrier pigeon for his mate is told by a party of amateur fishermen from the valley of Virginia. It is laid in the village of Overall, at the farm of Capt. Manley Triplett, whose place borders the Shenandoah river.

Several weeks ago a female carrier pigeon bearing the number S. A. 19469, with a broken wing, fluttered as best she could, with the assistance of her mate, on whose leg was attached the inscription D 5821, into the open window of Capt. Triplett's barn. There the male bird in his own peculiar fashion proceeded to make her as comfortable as possible. He then disappeared and was gone for four weeks, when he returned. Since his return he has tried in every way known to pigeon lore to help his mate fly again, but in vain. Now he seems to have settled down to a siege of the most commendable domesticity. Daily he lingers near his mate, feeding her and caring for her in various ways until he has won the admiration not only of Capt. Triplett and his family, but of the countryside for miles around. It is regarded as a remarkable case of devotion in the feathered tribe.

### A "Leetle Diff'rence."

"Yes, sir, gentlemen; thar's a leetle diff'rence between farmin' out west an' back here in old Varmont," said Uncle Si Eggmann to the cronies around the stove at the cross-roads store, on his return from a visit to his brother in Dakota. "Now, out thar in the west they don't think they've reelly got a farm unless it totals about 3,000 or 4,000 acres; an' if they air raisin' stock they speak o' 5,000 head as bein' a 'leetle bunch o' cattle.' An' takes 'em 'bout half a day to hoe one row o' corn, the rows air so long, an' they harvest corn an' wheat enough on one farm to fill our town hall. Now, that's a leetle diff'rent from what it is here in New England, where we call 20 acres o' ground, a couple o' dozen hens, an' a rooster, six or eight keows, an' a rozberry patch, a farm? Yes, sir, gentlemen, thar's a turrible diff'rence between farmin' east an' farmin' west—a most turrible diff'rence!" —Puck.

### It Worked Thus.

Mr. Bjones of East Cleveland explained it to us this way:

"I thought my wife might be afraid of tramps and porch-climbers and such, so I bought her a watch-dog. He was a fierce-looking bull, and I thought he'd about fill the bill.

"I got him in the morning, and I had him sent right out to the house. When I got home that night there was one of the toughest-looking hoboes you ever saw, sitting on the porch.

"'What in thunder are you doing here?' I asked.

"'Well, boss,' says he, 'I come lookin' fer a handout, and yer lady give me 50 cents to stick around and protect her from dat dog o' yours. He's li'ble to eat 'er up any minute!'"

### Anecdotes Told of Wit.

When A. T. Stewart conceived the idea of setting up a coat of arms he went to W. R. Travers, the New York wit, for advice. Mr. Travers suggested an employer rampant, chasing a lazy salesman with a yard-stick and Mr. Stewart did not speak to him again for a month. This anecdote is probably as authentic as the other, which states that Mr. Stewart being extremely loquacious at a state banquet at Delmonico's, Mr. Travers silenced him by calling the length of the table: "Cash!"

### It Did Sound Funny.

"That was an awful joke your wife sprung."

"I didn't hear it."

"Well, shortly after you were married she told my wife that she'd taken a flat, but might leave it at any time."

# HIS WIFE LAUGHED

"There's no place like home," exploded Uncle Henry, after she was safely out of ear shot, "and, by gracious, I'm glad of it. See what I mean? 'Every fireside the cradle of liberty,' as the feller says. Then along comes your wife and rocks the cradle.

"No, sir, I'm a downy bird, I am, and take it from me, this home sweet home gig isn't going to cash any policy slip I ever saw. Not until they do something to give women a sense of humor.

"Now, get this right. They can appreciate a joke. You hear me. Some of the best laughers in the wide, wide world right now are wearing high-heeled shoes and imported hair.

"Yes, siree, they can appreciate a joke. If they can see it they can. That's it. There you have it, son. If they can see it! That's the trouble. They seldom see it.

"Listen here. Did you see her laugh as she went out? Eh? Well, sir, I just told her a joke, regular kind of a funny joke. Is she laughing at my joke, son? She is not. Then what the blazes is she laughing at? You don't know. I don't know, she don't know. Can you beat it? Answer: No, you cannot beat it.

"It's a good joke too. Heard it downtown. Seems one of the boys was up in Maine this summer and just as he was getting over to Rattlesnake creek he heard a terrible swimming going on there. He went down to the shore and there on the other side of Rattlesnake creek was a big turtle crawling away.

"He says the turtle had two rings on his tail and one button on the end, and his shell was mottled yellow and red. He says the two rings probably were for the turtle to go ahead, because that's what the turtle was doing. And when he saw the button on the end of the tail he knew he'd seen the turtle's finish.

"That's some story. Eh? But listen here. I got to thinking about that story and I up and asks him how he makes it out that a turtle could have rings and a button on his tail. Rattlesnakes are the only critters that have them. He said that was easy, because when he first saw the turtle on the other side of Rattlesnake creek he knew in an instant it was a cross.

"Do you get that? I guess that's bad. By gum, it cost me a dollar sixty to find out about that cross, but it was worth it. I took a cigar myself, because I was coming right home and I didn't want any argument. Here, smoke that when you get outside. Wife objects to the smell around the house.

"Well, sir, I says, says I, 'Home for mine, where in the sacred precincts of my own vine and fig tree,' I says, 'I'll hand that one over the plate to my soft-voiced spouse,' says I, 'and it will tie her up,' I says, 'into a shaking and complicated tangle of blithesome merriment,' says I. Likewise, such being the case, I freely opined that my paths would be in sunny places and sweet peace would brood over me, to the third and fourth generation thereof. Selah!

"So I came home, and, take it from me, I gave it out to her in plain words. No hidden subtleties, you understand, but full of corroborative detail and, believe me, son, with the bright light of truth and virtue flashing from my clear blue eyes.

"You never heard me when I was right in top form, maybe? Well, son, the way I told her that story was right. See what I mean? The turtle wouldn't have had any comeback if he had heard it himself.

"And did she laugh? Did she give that imitation of complicated and tangled merriment? Not a sort. Nothing of the kind. Nix. She looked me square in the face and she said: 'Well, what about it?' says she. 'Go ahead and tell the joke,' says she.

"Say, that got me mad. I wouldn't have minded if she had been kidding me, but she wasn't. I was sore all over and I unhitched my righteous indignation and began to hand things out all in a bunch. I combed things over pretty general one way and another until, I'll give you my word, I couldn't think of anything more to say that I dared to, women being unnecessarily touchy at times.

"'You're the limit,' I says, as a kind of windup. 'I don't believe you ever saw a joke in your life,' I says, 'and you wouldn't laugh if you did,' I says.

"'Henry,' she says just as serious, 'I don't know but one real funny joke and I've known that a long time,' she says, 'and every once in awhile I laugh myself sick over it,' she says. 'It's an awfully funny joke,' she says, 'and one is enough for any woman,' she says, 'that's respectable,' she says.

"'Well, for the love of mackerel, put me wise,' says I. 'No, Henry,' she says, 'you wouldn't like it at all. And besides,' she says, 'I don't want to hurt your feelings,' she says. And then, take it from me, she laid her head back and laughed like she'd have hysterics.

"Honest, can you beat it? As man to man and without reference to any present, previous, or contemplated condition of servitude, what do you know about that? That gets me, all right. There's a woman who only knows one joke and misses a chance to tell it. I don't know, son, sometimes I give it up. These women are a queer lot."

**No man lays up treasure in heaven by sending verbal promisory notes there.**

# The Plainfield Trust Company

## Report (condensed) as rendered to the Department of Banking, State of New Jersey

December the thirty-first nineteen hundred nine.

ASSETS.

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| R. R. and other bonds (book value) | $ 580,475.36 |
| [Market value $593,730.50] | |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 |
| Overdrafts, None | |
| Cash | 454,592.95 |
| | $3,121,954.67 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|---|
| Capital Stock | | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | | 202,501.58 |
| Accrued Interest | | 4,249.15 |
| Deposits— | | |
| Time | $1,015,641.78 | |
| Demand | 1,799,562.16 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
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| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |



# EVERYBODY MUST USE AND BUY FURNITURE

There is nothing new or **particularly startling** in that statement, but it is a matter of **great surprise** and wonderment why so many will buy poor furniture—something that **will not** and **cannot** wear, or even **appear well** for any length of time.

It is fortunate for **our customers**, yet, in a way, unfortunate for us, that we **do sell good furniture.** It lasts a long time. It will give satisfaction **for the price** we sell it. It carries with it the modern **style** and **finish** and it is put together (not thrown together) **for use** as well as **adornment** for the home.

There are those who want to **refurnish** their homes with the **more beautiful** and **comfortable** furniture of today—those, **many** of whom, perhaps, have not had the good, **serviceable** kind.

Again, there are those who want to buy the **right** make and **correct** style in single pieces for the living-room, dining room or den.

To those, we want to give **every assurance** that we have a varied and **complete** assortment of the **most artistic** single pieces (as well as suits) for the completion of the "setting" of a room—**all** of that same **serviceable** class.

We might go into a lengthy description of what is being exhibitied on our three large floors, but to be best appreciated, and the quality and price realized, the goods must be seen. We, therefore, extend a most cordial invitation to you to visit our show rooms and see just what we have.

**Don't feel sensitive** about coming, even if you are "only looking around and may buy later." We get a **whole lot** of pleasure **showing** our goods. You will get a **whole** lot of pleasure and **satisfaction** out of them **when you buy.**

"You get just what you pay for when you buy here."

**POWLISON & JONES** 149-151 East Front St. Plainfield, N. J.



# YOU'LL PROBABLY THINK

we're mighty anxious to get rid of these BATES-STREET SHIRTS—well, we are. We're crazy about the spring line and can hardly wait for the time to show them; they're the classiest shirts that were ever; but more about them later. Just now we must make room for them and the quickest way we know is to mark all that are left of the winter line that were $1.50, $2.00 and $3.00 to

**$1.10**

Better get next while the going is good.

The MEN'S SHOP, 208 Park Avenue, next to Trust Co.



AMUSEMENTS.

**Plainfield Theatre**

Proctor & Sanderson, Managers.

MONDAY, JANUARY 10.

**IN THE Bishop's Carriage**

with

Miss Stephanie Longfellow as Nance Olden

Prices—First Five Rows, 1.50. Balance of House, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 12, Mildred & Rouclere with

**Marshall P. Wilder**

In their spectacular fantastic illusion entitled

**THE FLIGHT OF PRINCESS IRIS**

Prices.....25c, 35c, 50c and 75c.

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| Gold Fillings | 1.50 |
| Platina Fillings | 75c |
| Painless Extracting | 50c |

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### Surprise For Mrs. Sparks.

A surprise party was given to Mrs. William Sparks at her residence, 37 Watchung avenue, last night. The evening was spent in dancing and games and several piano selections were rendered by Miss Nellie Dow. Refreshments were served at a late hour.

### MORE INSANE IN JERSEY.

Dr. Britton D. Evans, the alienist and medical director of the Morris Plains State Hospital, says in his annual report that it would be unwise for the State to add to his institution, but that it would be wiser to build a separate institution in Trenton for the criminal insane. He declares it a duty to segregate the classes. The two State asylums for the insane, he says, are dangerously overcrowded.

An increase in insanity, although there is also an increase in the number of permanent cures, Dr. Evans says, will necessitate the building of more asylums.

The population of the Morris Plains Hospital is 2,060. Eighty per cent. of these are reported indigent.

Dr. Evans thinks the hospital nurses underpaid. He says they have the meanest kind of employment, dangerous in the extreme at any time. The doctor emphasizes the importance of making an energetic fight against tuberculosis, recommending the use of tents instead of closed buildings.

The alienist says that idleness harms the patient, and advocates the introduction into sylums of useful occupations, such as printing and broom and brush making.

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# PLAINFIELD MAY HAVE BALL TEAM AFTER ALL

After giving up hopes of putting a ball team on the field next season, owing to inability to secure suitable grounds, Manager Ernest Dorflinger, of the Plainfield Baseball Club, entertains the opinion that Crescent Oval will be available for the locals next season.

The situation will be cleared next Tuesday night, when the club will hold a meeting to discuss the grounds proposition. Mr. Dorflinger is not worrying about getting players to fill the gaps left open by Jack Martin and Jim Emery, who will play on minor league teams next season, as there is always a squad of promising material to be found here every spring.

While Dorflinger has made no plans to secure players, his optics are focused on a crack collegiate battery, should it be decided to put a team on the field.

# PUBLIC SERVICE LOSES TO WESTFIELD WOODMEN

The Woodmen, of Westfield, placed two games to their credit in the Fraternal Tourney, last night, and the Public Service team were the victims.

The latter caught their opponents napping in the first game and aided largely by W. Causebrook's 226 the tail enders succeeded in breaking their string of defeats.

The Woodmen came back strong and with totals of 955 and 925 had no difficulty in taking the remaining games.

Louis Menzenbach did some high rolling, scoring 236 and 258, the latter being high score for the tourney.

| Public Service. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Terry | — | — | 168 |
| Britton | 199 | 203 | 139 |
| Robeson | 116 | 122 | — |
| Mullin | 157 | 176 | 183 |
| A. Causebrook | 130 | 105 | — |
| Conklin | — | — | 171 |
| W. Causebrook | 226 | 144 | 172 |
| | 828 | 750 | 833 |

| Woodmen. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Miller | 199 | 157 | 172 |
| Davenport | 135 | 166 | 169 |
| G. Ortlieb | 141 | 180 | 170 |
| Mc Mahon | 168 | 216 | 156 |
| Menzenbach | 168 | 236 | 258 |
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# HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS IN BASKETBALL GAME

The Plainfield High School girls' basketball team played a scrub team composed of alumni and high schools, yesterday afternoon, in the gymnasium. The first team won by a score of 5 to 1. Miss Crampton played the best game for the scrub, seconded by Miss Alpaugh. The Misses Wean and Woolley played a fast game for the high school. The lineup:

P. H. S.—Forwards, the Misses Wean, Newall; centre, Dorothy Merrill; guards, the Misses Woolley and Stites.

Scrubs—Forwards, the Misses Newall, Todd; centre, Louise Andrews; guards, the Misses Crampton and Alpaugh.

The first boys' team beat the second team by a score of 83 to 27. It was a complete walkover for the first team. Lidgate, Clark and Morris played the star game and Doane did some good foul shooting. This is the first time Captain Lidgate has played since he injured his foot. The lineup:

P. H. S.—Forwards, Clark, Lidgate; centre, Morris; guards, Overton, Doane and Woodhull.

P. H. S. 2ds—Forwards, Manley, Ricketts; centre, Smith, Kenneth Runyon; guards, Bristol, Woodhull, E. VanZandt and H. VanZandt.

# Y.M.C.A. ATHLETES ARE HUSTLING NOWADAYS

A novel athletic contest has been arranged by Physical Director G. L. Listman, of the Y. M. C. A., for Friday night, January 28, in which local athletes will be pitted against the representatives of the Troy (N. Y.) Y. M. C. A. The athletes of the respective associations will compete in their home "gyms" and the results will be made known by telephone at the conclusion of the meet.

In the Boys' Basketball League games last night three contests were decided by the following scores, Yale 6, Pennsylvania 3, Harvard 4, Cornell 0, Princeton 19, Carlisle 6.

The fight for honors in the all-round athletic championship of the association will be renewed on the "gym" floor tonight. The competition is especially close, with Chauncey Murphey being the leader over John Fritts by a close margin.

Last night there was a card of excellent sport furnished in the Senior Boys' competition. In the standing-broad jump Edwin Price excelled with a mark of 15 feet, 8 inches; second, Henry Kinney, 15 feet, 5½ inches; third, F. O. Dunning, Jr., 13 feet, 2 inches. In the running high jump events Henry Kinney captured first honors with a leap of 4 feet, 4 inches; F. O. Dunning was second, and Roy Love third.

A big basketball attraction is carded for Saturday night when the Y. M. C. A. basketball five will clash with the Orange Y. M. C. A., three year champion team. The preliminary game will be played between the Y. M. C. A. second team and the Marathon A. C., of Westfield. The latter game was originally scheduled to be played in Westfield, but owing to the inability of the Marathons to secure a suitable hall, the game was transferred to this city.

Two games are on the tapis for tomorrow night. The Business Men's five will meet the N. P. H. S. five and the Boys' quintet will have as its opponents the second team of the borough school.

### BASEBALL.

Bogert Conklin, the veteran Somerville manager, is on deck for next season. He announces that he will pilot a team which will be able to hold its own with any of the clubs in Central New Jersey. Somerville fans were out of the game last season, owing to failure to secure grounds. This difficulty has been overcome and Plainfield's ancient diamond enemy will be crowing again as usual.

A rumor has been going the rounds that Brit Martin, the idol of local fans has decided to retire. The smell of diamond dust is too keen for Brit's nostrils, and it's a good bet that he will be in harness again next season.

Wanted — Information of the whereabouts of Charles Dixon, Plainfield's erstwhile king rooter.

According to dope being handed out by Physical Director George L. Listman, the Y. M. C. A. will make a big splash in the baseball puddle next season. Although no definite plans have been announced Mr. Listman declares that the association will be represented by a crackerjack nine.

Cliff Randolph, who will fling curves and twisters for Binghamton again, is getting his wing in shape by doing the dumb bell stunt at his home.

New Brunswick fans are anticipating a redhot season. The management plans to have three Tri-State League teams for Sunday attractions every month, along with a major league club for the other Sunday.

George Johnson, Ben Mumford and John McLaughlin declare they have heard the buzz of the baseball bee despite the wintry blasts.

Christy Mathewson's advent into the literary world has led our friend Charley Denman, of Westfield, to engage in a hunt for material for a historical article on past battles between Plainfield and Westfield.

Jake Beckley is being labeled the "Methuslah of the diamond," but how about our old friend George Mallen? Prince George was forty-four last summer, but he was batting 'em out and pulling down the flies same as of yore.

Sporting Editor, The Daily Press:

Who is considered the king of ball players in the major leagues; in both batting and fielding? A. B. C.

Hans Wagner without a doubt.

Willie Deegan received his second wind during the snow flakes. While on a visit to town today he announced that his arm is good as ever and that he would be back in the game next season. Deegan is hankering for a tryout with an Eastern League team.

The scarcity of deals in the major league pastures so far this winter makes it appear that the pennant fight in the National League will be confined again to Chicago and Pittsburg, while Detroit looks as good as ever in the American circuit.

### BASKETBALL.

The girls' basketball team of N. P. H. S. will play the Y. W. C. A. team at Debele's Hall, tonight at 8:15 o'clock, and on Saturday night the N. P. H. S. girls will play the girls' team from Bernardsville at Debele's Hall.

### Elected Football Captain.

William Douglas, P. H. S., '07, has been elected captain of the football team of the Colorado School of Mines for the coming year.

### Legislature Guest of Governor.

State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, is among the notables gathered at Lakewod today, when the entire Legislature for 1910 is the guest of Governor J. Franklin Fort at luncheon. The luncheon took place at the Laurel House, the management of which arranged to serve the dinner in the big ball room. The guests include twenty-one Senators and sixty Assemblymen also the heads of the various State departments.


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## JEFFERY WINS THE FIGHT

**"Bungalow Man" Defeats H. W. Marshall for President of Trade Board.**

**THE BALLOTING IS CLOSE.**

**Whole Jeffery Ticket Goes Through—Routine Busines and Annual Reports.**

In the most exciting election ever held by that body, William Jeffery was elected president of the Board of Trade last night, defeating H. W. Marshall. Jeffery and his friends swept everything before them, the only real contest being on the cheif office which went to "the bungalow man" by nine majority, he having received 50 votes to Marshall's forty-one.

Things started to liven up when Mr. Marshall, while in the chair, requested Secretary Herr to read a news article published in this paper yesterday afternoon containing a letter signed by Mr. Jeffery in which he said he had been informed that "the powers that be" did not want him for the place. After denying that he had been subject to any political influence as president, Mr. Marshall called on Mr. Jeffery for an explanation. The latter said that he considered it "uncharitable" for Mr. Marshall "to attack a member on the floor." During the argument between the two, Mr. Jeffery said that by the powers that be he referred "to Mr. Fisk and his friends" and he quoted an alleged statement of Mr. Fisk's to show that the Mayor was opposed to him for the presidency. The sallies between the two were much enjoyed by the members, who once or twice broke out into laughter. Mr. Marshall denied that he had any intention of attacking his opponent, and at the outset referred to the latter as making an attack on him behind his back.

Mr. Jeffery's name was placed before the house by J. Fred MacDonald, while Edmund Rushmore nominated Mr. Marshall. In a short speech, Mr. Rushmore withdrew as a candidate and then named Mr. Marshall. After the ballot was announced, former Sheriff B. Frank Coriell was unanimously elected first vice-president as was F. A. Duttenhofer second vice-president, there being no opposition to either. In the same way, Eugene M. Laing, the veteran treasurer, was unanimously re-elected to his office. H. C. Runyon was unopposed and was re-elected by an unanimous vote as counsel. A viva voca vote was also taken for executive committee after the Jeffrey ticket had been nominated. The new committeemen are Herman Schwed, chairman; J. Fred MacDonald, J. V. B. Vanderhoef and George M. Christian.

A. S. Herr was re-elected secretary, defeating J. H. Crane by a vote of 66 to 15.

Through Edmund Rushmore, the chairman, the banquet committee reported progress during the business session. He suggested that the price per plate be $5, and this was agreed to by an unanimous vote. A. E. Force, chairman of the dust nuisance problem committee, also reported progress.

The trolley committee, through its chairman, Mr. Jeffery, put in a similar report. He explained that he had talked with the Mayor about the matter and had been promised copies of all correspondence between the city and the P. S. C. regarding its broken promises. J. F. MacDonald and C. H. Frost had been added as members of the committee, he said, adding that this committee intended to get after the corporation and compel it to put decent cars on local lines and to maintain its schedule. If the present ordinances are not sufficient to cover the matter, Mr. Jeffery declared that the committee would use its enedavors to see that there were proper ordinances to make the P. S. C. perform its duty as the clamor is general.

The reports of Secretary Herr, Treasurer Laing and Collector Sweeney showed that the total membership is now 233; that the annual receipts for 1909 were $556 and that there is still unpaid dues amounting to $331. Thirty-five candidates for membership were added to the roll last night and the resignation of two members were accepted. It was decided that suit should be brought against several who had not paid for advertising in that now famous "Plainfield As She Really Is" booklet which appeared during the Charter Day celebration.

After Mr. Jeffery assumed the chair as president, he made a few brief remarks. It was announced that former Councilman L. Spangenberg had "hired a hall" to deliver a speech on Councilmanic history at Coward hall on January 11. Presi-

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## HEAR ARGUMENT FOR GASOLENE STORAGE

The councilmanic fire and building committee, of which Duncan W. Taylor is the chairman, arranged for a public hearing in the Council Chamber, last night, on the question of the storage of gasolene. The matter is the result of the application of the F. L. C. Martin Automobile Company for permission to install a gasolene tank of 10,000 gallons' capacity on the company's property.

An investigation showed that the city has no ordinance of any kind to safe-guard the interests of property-owners in this matter and finally the committee decided to make a thorough and exhaustive investigation and learn the best possible conditions under which permission to install gasolene tanks can be given.

Mr. Taylor arranged to bring G. Edgar Allen here last night and give the councilmen and others his opinion regarding the handling of gasolene. He is an expert and is connected with the Hydraulic Oil Storage Company, of New York and Detroit. He also presented a model of the Snell patents, which he explained in a lucid manner to the entire satisfaction of the councilmen. Despite the fact that invitations were sent to all the owners of auto garages in the city and vicinity, Thomas Hanna, representing the F. L. C. Martin Automobile Company, was the only one present from the trade.

Mr. Allen explained that he had recently installed a tank of 500 gallon capacity at East Orange and another at Englewood. He had conferred with Edward Keith, chief inspector of the Middle and Southern division for the board of underwriters, and had found him enthusiastic over the proposition as illustrated by his system.

It was explained by Mr. Allen that in his opinion all gasolene tanks of large capacity should be placed under ground at least two feet, and surrounded by concrete at least six or eight inches in thickness all around. He said that he had not found a single ordinance covering this point. His reasons for this were that there might be a natural or artificial water course in the ground and the gasolene might come in contact with it. He said that liquid gasolene is not dangerous, but the vapor from it is highly dangerous.

Mr. Allen said that according to the Government reports, last summer more than one hundred gasolene tanks above ground were destroyed through the contact of electricity with gasolene vapor. This cannot happen with the Snell system, Mr. Allen said.

The councilmen as well as Mayor Charles J. Fisk, who was present questioned Mr. Allen closely on various points, and former Councilman W. S. Tyler also brought out many salient points by his questioning. Chief T. O. Doane, who had inspected the model prior to the hearing, expressed the opinion that it fully met all objections in the storage of large quantities of gasolene.

The fire and building committee hope soon to have a suitable ordinance drafted, one that will cover the case fully, and which will provide for every possible danger. Judge William Newcorn, who is the counsel for the F. L. C. Martin Automobile Company, was present last night, but did not enter into the discussion.

**Seniors Defeat Sophomores.**

The seniors beat the sophomores in a fast game of basketball at the Plainfield High School, yesterday afternoon, the score being 53 to 28. Howard Runyon played a fine game for the winning team, while Kenneth Runyon held up his end with the sophomores. The lineup: Seniors—Forwards, Ricketts, Vail; centre, Runyon; guards, Miller, Loizeaux, Hamilton. Sophomores—Forwards, E. Woodhull, Uhler; centre K. Runyon; guards, Rubenstein, Zeraga, Fenno.

**Dr. Pogson to Preach.**

Rev. Dr. M. H. Pogson, financial secretary of the Baptist Home Missionary Society, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church on Sunday morning and evening. It is expected that Dr. J. A. Chambliss will be home to occupy the pulpit on Sunday, January 16.

**Children's Service.**

A children's Epiphany service was conducted at the Church of the Heavenly Rest last night by the rector, Rev. Cortlandt Mallery. Following the service a social time was enjoyed in the parish house.

**McIntyre Concert Date.**

The final number in the series of McIntyre Trio chamber music concerts will be held on Monday night, January 10, and not on Monday night, January 17, as originally announced.

**Borough Council Tonight.**

The Borough Council will hold its first regular meeting of the year tonight.

## PLAINFIELDERS WIN OUT IN WILL CONTEST

Final settlement of the will of the late Stephen M. Wright, of Sea Cliff, L. I., who died in September, 1906, was made on Wednesday last. The will was contested by distant cousins of the testator, but the surrogate before whom the will was probated dismissed the suit of the contestants.

The legatees who will benefit by the will in sums upward of $50,000 each are H. J. Storrs, Electa Storrs Craft and Marie Louise Storrs, all of Kensington avenue.

Mr. Wright left an estate valued at about half a million dollars, and when the will was offered for probate the distant relatives who were not mentioned in the will began a contest which has lasted for the better part of three years.

## DUNELLEN-NEW MARKET RELIGIOUS CAMPAIGN

Pastors of the evangelical churches at Dunellen and New Market, have joined hands to conduct union revival services, which will be inaugurated on Sunday night. The program of services adopted is as follows:

January 9. In the morning, the pastors will occupy their respective pulpits. At 7:30 p. m. union evangelictic meetings at M. E. church with Rev. Henry N. Jordan as preacher. Rev. W. Giddes will preach at the same time in New Market at First Baptist church.

January 9-14. Evening services at the M. E. church at 7:45. At these services Rev. Henry N. Jordan will preach.

January 16. Pastors in their respective pulpits. 7:30 p. m. Union evangelistic meetings in the Presbyterian church with Rev. George H. Gardner as preacher. Rev. W. Giddes at First Baptist church at the same hour.

January 16-21. Evening services at the Presbyterian church at 7:45. At these services Rev. George H. Gardner will preach.

January 22. 10:30 a. m. Rev. Ernest Brown will preach at the Seventh-Day Baptist church.

January 23. Rev. George H. Gardner at the M. E., Rev. W. A. Knox at the Presbyterian church, at the morning service. 7:3 p. m., Union evangelistic services at First Baptist church with Rev. Ernest Brown as preacher. The district superintendent of the M. E. church will preach at the same time in the M. E. church.

January 23-28. Evening services at the First Baptist church at 7:45. The first week Rev. Ernest Brown will preach.

January 30. Pastors in their respective pulpits. 7:30 p. m., Union evangelistic services in First Baptist church with Rev. W. A. Knox as preacher. Rev. W. Giddes at same time in the Presbyterian church.

January 30 to February 4. Evening services at the First Baptist church at 7:45 with Rev. W. A. Knox as preacher.

## FACTION SEEKS TO OUST PASTOR MOONEY

The democratic ways of the Rev. George W. Mooney, former pastor of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, has resulted in the aristocratic faction of his congregation at South Orange, deciding to ask the Newark conference to appoint a successor for him when that body convenes next Spring.

While reticience is maintained as to the causes of dissatisfaction, it is said wealthier members of the congregation are not particularly pleased with the pastor, while the poorer members of the parish are his ardent friends.

That the friends of the clergyman intend to make a counter effort to retain him is also stated, and the prospects for a lively time in the parish are being discussed.

The Rev. Mr. Mooney's term as pastor will expire on April 1. He left here two years ago to assume the South Orange pastorate. During his stay in this city Mr. Mooney worked hard and conscientiously and was well liked by the Monroe Avenue congregation.

**Shiloh's Entertainment Tonight.**

The Emancipation Proclamation entertainment, which was scheduled to take place at the Shiloh Baptist church last night and which was postponed on account of the weather, will be given tonight.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## NEW LEAGUE IS FORMED

**Anti-Food Trust League to Make Itself Felt Throughout the Country.**

**EXTOL ROOSEVELT'S POLICIES.**

**Ballinger-Pinchot Controversy Rehearsed—Some Suggestions.**

Roosevelt and his policies and the cost of living, the formation of an Anti-Food Trust League and finishing with the Panchot-Ballingger controversy, Miss Janet E. Richards, of Washington, D. C., interested some seventy-five women at the Hartridge auditorium yesterday afternoon. While Colonel Roosevelt was praised for his attitude toward the trusts and his forcing of the application of the Sherman anti-trust law his critics were severely scored. The Hepburn Rate bill also received consideration at the hands of Miss Richards, who seemed to have at hand facts to prove that the people of this country are being buncoed and made to pay for something they do not get.

Roosevelt, Miss Richards claimed is a history maker and it was his virile methods which caused the whole country to wake up and take notice of the wrongs under which the people of the country are suffering. The Tobacco Trust was characterized as "highway robbers" and an interesting story of the absorbtion of a tobacco factory in Virginia with the subsequent ruin of the town in which it was situated and the downfall of the man who had established the business was told.

The formation of the Anti-Food Trust League, Miss Richards said, was an established fact and the methods to be pursued by the members has the virtue of originality. It is a simple way of overcoming a great and crying shame. In Washington, where the league was formed, it has been decided to use the boycott in a novel way. The members will go without meat for a week and if necessary for longer, so that the Beef Trust will feel the power of the people.

The fight between Secretary Ballinger and Mr. Pinchot, which has been taken up the newspapers and other periodicals, Miss Richards said, before it is ended the country will applaud the contention of Mr. Pinchot that our forests should be preserved as was originally intended by Mr. Roosevelt. The conservation of the forests, top soil, water and coal were things which were necessary for the welfare of the country. Alaska, with her 500,000,000 tons of coal of the finest anthracite quality is practically of no benefit to this part of the country because of the distance it has to be hauled to market. The price of this coal will be prohibitive, at least for the poor people. Therefore it is necessary that the coal producing lands nearby should be taken care of. Culm ought in a measure take the place of coal as it does in Germany. Miss Richards will give another talk on current history on February 3 at the same auditorium.

**NEW LEGISLATURE DINED BY GOVERNOR J. F. FORT.**

State Senators Ernest R. Ackerman and Joseph S. Frelinghuysen and W. G. Besler, of this city, were among the hundreds of guests who dined with Governor J. Franklin Fort at Lakewood, yesterday. The guests included the members of the one hundred and thirty-fourth annual Legislature and in addition the various heads of the State departments.

The guests travelled to Lakewood in a special train under the supervision of W. C. Hope and W. G. Besler, of the New Jersey Central.

**Completing Church Organization.**

The election of the consistory of the Netherwood Reformed church will take place on Friday night, January 21. The names of those elected to office will be announced on two Sabbaths and the officers will be ordained and installed at the service preparatory to communion, Friday evening, February 4, when new members will be received. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be celebrated for the first time in this church Sunday morning, February 6, at 10:30 o'clock.

**Democratic Club Meeting.**

There will be a special meeting of the Plainfield Democratic Club tomorrow night at the new Democratic club rooms in the Taylor building, corner North and Park avenues.

**Baby Party Postponed.**

The baby party announced to be held at the Holy Cross party house for tomorrow afternoon has been indefinitely postponed on account of the inclement weather.

## THEY KEPT WEDDING SECRET FOUR MONTHS

Another belated wedding announcement was made today, when Mr. and Mrs. Stephen H. Beeching, of Grandview avenue, announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Annette Palmer Beeching, to Charles Nathaniel Sebring, of Division street. The marriage took place in Elizabeth on Sunday, September 5, but the name of the officiating minister is withheld by the couple.

Mrs. Sebring is a member of the choir of the First M. E. church, while the groom holds a clerical position with the New Jersey Central at the company's offices in Jersey City. The couple will take up their residence in Jersey City.

## MRS. ISRAEL D. TEN EYCK, AGED SIXTY-EIGHT, DEAD

In the death of Mrs. Israel D. Ten Eyck, which occurred yesterday, the First Baptist church loses one of its oldest members. She was sixty-eight years of age and became a member of the congregation when a young girl, being baptized in the stream of Greenbrook by the late Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes. Until ill health overtook her last July she was a regular attendant at the services. She was beloved by all who knew her and was noted for beautiful character. Death was due to pulmonary heart trouble.

The service will be held at the home of her nephew, Frank Putnam, on East Second street, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Owing to the absence from town of Rev. Dr. Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist church, Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church, will officiate.

Mrs. Ten Eyck was the daughter of Samuel Connett and Sarah Terry, and was born at Short Hills on October 15, 1841. Soon after birth her parents removed to this city and with the exception of a brief space of time she spent at Asbury Park last summer in an effort to improve her health, Mrs. Ten Eyck always resided here.

On October 15, 1861, she was united in marriage to the husband who survives her. There were two children by the union, a daughter, Mrs. Iza D. F. Miller, of New York, and a son, Charles Howard Ten Eyck, who died about twenty years ago. A sister, Mrs. Eliza Putnam, of this city, and two brothers, Henry and Frazee Connett, of San Jose, Ill., also survive.

During the latter years of her life Mrs. Ten Eyck assisted her husband while the latter was superintendent of the Industrial Farm.

## WALTER NELSON TO WED CLERGYMAN'S DAUGHTER

Announcement is made of the engagement of Miss Ruth Gardner, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. George H. Gardner, of New Market, to Walter Nelson, son of Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Nelson, of the same place. No date has been set for the wedding.

Mr. Nelson is well known in local and collegiate athletic circles. He graduated from Rutgers College two years ago. While at college he won fame and glory as catcher on the 'varsity ball team. During his vacation periods he did backstop duty for the local Y. M. C. A. team.

Nelson's ability as a catcher at college attracted the attention of the veteran Jim O'Rourke, owner and manager of the Bridgeport club in the Connecticut League two years ago, who gave the New Market athlete a position on his team. Owing to business interests Nelson quit the professional game and contended himself by playing on independent teams. Last season he played at Bound Brook.

Miss Gardner is a favorite in New Market social circles in which she has been one of the leading spirits since her residence there. She is a teacher in the New Market public school and also actively engaged in society work connected with the First Baptist church, of which her father is pastor.

**Call for New Market Pastor.**

Rev. Henry N. Jordan, pastor of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, at New Market, has received a call to accept the pastorate of the Seventh-Day Baptist church at Leonardsville, N. Y. Mr. Jordan has the matter under consideration.

—Despite wintry's chilling blasts, Neuman Bros. are still offering the finest assortment of fruits and vegetables to be found in the market. The prices are reasonable considering quality.

## UNION'S FREEHOLDERS APPOINTS COMMITTEES

The Union County Board of Freeholders held its first meeting of the year, after organization, at the Court House, Elizabeth, yesterday, when several matters of importance were considered and committees were announced for the year by Director Cady.

In the past, Justices of the Peace have been attesting correct constable's bills. Freeholder S. P. T. Wilbur had this matter referred to the county attorney and prosecutor to ascertan whether this is right.

When Henry Winans built the Edgar road, he sub-let a portion of the contract to a contractor from Pennsylvania and after the latter was paid by Mr. Winans, he "skipped." Now, Mr. Winans wants to be reimbursed. The bill amounts to between $500 and $600. A conference has been held with Mr. Winans, the county attorney and the road committee and it looks as though Mr. Winans will have to stad the loss.

These committees for the year were appointed, the Plainfield members being well remembered:

Collector's bond, Crane, Martin and Adams; publication, Robinson, Haviland, Randolph; discharge of prisoners, Adams, Robinson, Swain; settle with collector, Wilbur, Garretson, Randolph; lunacy, Meisel, Doane and Crane; public grounds and buildings, Krause, Smith, Crane; auditing, Wilbur, Smith, Jones; jails, Perry, Doane, Martin; stationery, Darby, Garretson, Swain; miscellaneous accounts and agreements, Garretson, Darby, Perry; legal questions, Martin, Adams, Thompson; appropriations, Smith, Crane, Swain, Krause, Jones; county roads, Krause Wilbur, Meisel, Smith, Haviland; Elizabeth drawbridges, Jensen, Martin, Haviland; Rahway drawbridges, Gruener, Randolph, Thompson; special Elizabeth drawbridge, Haviland, Krause, Robinson, Jensen, Martin; legislation, Meisel, Krause, Wilbur; soldiers' headstones, Doane, Perry, Jensen, Adams, Randolph; sinking fund, Director Cady, Krause and Swain.

**HENRY K. MILLER DIED YESTERDAY.**

Henry Kempster Miller, son of the late Joseph and Esther K. Miller, died yesterday at his home on East Seventh street. The funeral services will be held on Sunday, January 9, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at 919 East Seventh street, and will be conducted by Rev. Charles E. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational church.

Mr. Miller was a well known insurance man in New York city and for years was a member of the New York board of Fire Underwriters. He is survived by two sisters, one of whom, Mrs. Jane Carpenter resides in Webster City, Iowa. Mr. Miller had been ill for some time and was a great sufferer from rheumatism.

**Must Make Sidewalks Safe.**

Persons who have icy sidewalks in front of their homes are likely to receive a visit from the police some time today unless some preventive of slipping is placed upon the walks. East Front street remained this morning in the same condition as yesterday and pedestrians were obliged to take to the middle of the street in order to keep upright. Chief Kiely notified the residents by sending the patrolmen around this morning early that something must be done towards making the sidewalks safe.

**Escaped By Jumping Fence.**

Mrs. James Welch, of 544 West Second street, telephoned at 7 o'clock this morning to Police Headquarters that her husband had been beating her. Patrolman Flatley was dispatched to the house, but upon his arrival the gentle Mr. Welch had made an escape over the back fence. Mrs. Welch refused to come to headquarters and prefer charges against her husband.

**Mrs. Doane's Funeral.**

The funeral service of the late Mrs. Mary E. Doane was conducted last night at the home of J. Hervey Doane, 425 East Seventh street. The service was in charge of James C. Adams and Robert Pretlow, ministers of the Friends' church, of New York. Interment was made in the Friends cemetery at Brooklyn this morning.

**Central Lodge to Celebrate.**

Central Lodge, No. 48, Ancient Order United Workmen, will celebrate its twentieth birthday anniversary on Thursday night, January 13, in the lodge rooms, 110 Park avenue. There will be interesting speeches; refreshments and everything has been planned to make the event well worth attending.

—Special Saturday, a lb box of Ritz's 60c Chocolates for 30c. ***

—Tickets for the McIntyre concert next Monday evening, now selling at Armstrong's. *** 1 5 4

## REV. DR. RICHARDS DEAD

**Former Pastor of Crescent Ave. Church Dies Suddenly of Heart Trouble.**

**MINISTER HERE SIXTEEN YEARS**

**Member of Yale Corporation—Author of Religious Essays—Union Theological Seminary Trustee—Scholarly Man.**

Rev. Dr. William R. Richards, who, for eighteen years was pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, and since that time has been pastor of the Brick Presbyterian church, New York, died suddenly at his home in New York early this morning of heart trouble. The news of his death, which reached Plainfield later in the morning, came as a great shock to the many friends of Dr. Richards, who had known him for years. The sad report was received here by Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, from the Presbyterian Board of Missions in New York.

Week of prayer services have been in progress at the Brick church, this week, and Dr. Richards was in charge of the meeting last night. He appeared to be in his usual good health and there were no signs of any trouble or distress. He retired feeling as well as usual, but early this morning he passed away suddenly and peacefully without any previous warning.

Dr. Richards was one of the foremost members of the Presbyterian church in this country and was recognized as a scholar of high attainments. He was a prominent figure at the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, and served one term as moderator. He was also a leading spirit at the regular sessions of the Presbyterian Synod and in addition was an author of note. He was a member of the Yale Corporation, from which institution he was a graduate and also a trustee of Union Theological Seminary.

Dr. Richards became pastor of the Crescent Avenue church in 1884, coming from Bath, Maine, where he was pastor of a Congregational church. He succeeded Rev. Dr. Bliss here. His pastorate of sixteen years in this city was a noteworthy one and was marked by the continued growth and success of his church. During his residence here he was prominent in civic affairs and was a member of the Board of Education. His strong influence was felt in nearly every walk of life in this city and he was constantly sought for advice on various matters of a spiritual and secular nature.

Following the death in foreign lands of Rev. Dr. Maltbie Babcock, who was then pastor of the Brick church, New York, Dr. Richards was prominently mentioned as his successor. Prior to this he had been mentioned for the presidency of Yale University. It was on May 21, 1902, that definite information was received that Dr. Richards would receive a call to Brick church. The matters was in the hands of Rev. Dr. Henry VanDyke, who was then the acting pastor of the New York church. He stated on the above date that on May 27 he would announce the name of the successor of Dr. Babcock.

On the evening of May 27, the congregation of the Brick church, at a meeting over which Dr. VanDyke presided, extended a call to Dr. Richards at a salary of $12,000 a year. The call was unanimous and after due deliberation, Dr. Richards accepted. He left Plainfield in the fall of 1902, when he entered upon his new duties at Brick church. Since that time his pastorate has been marked by great success. Dr. Richards endeared himself to his large congregation and there was a pronounced unanimity between pastor and people.

During his ministry, Dr. Richards wrote several books which have had a large sale. They included, "The Ways of Wisdom," "For Whom Christ Died," "God's Choice of Men," "The Apostle's Creed in Modern Worship," and his last book was "The Lord's Prayer."

The New York University conferred the degree of doctor of divinity on Dr. Richards in 1892. He frequently delivered sermons at Yale University, where he was always a welcome visitor. Among his classmates at Yale were United States Senator Patton, of Michigan, and Supreme Court Justice Jenks, of New York.

Dr. Richards is survived by a wife, three daughters, the Misses Sarah, Anna and Marion, and two sons, George and Henry Richards. The last named is now a student at Yale University, while George Richards was graduated from there within the last few years.

The foreign missionary meeting to be addressed by Rev. Dr. Stanley White, on "South America," will be

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Special Notice—To shorten the hours of labor for our employes at this season of year, the store will open at 8:30 a. m. and close at 5:30 p. m., Saturdays excepted.

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Made of all wool plain and mixed materials; values up to $15.

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Beautiful quality, fully satin lined; value $50.

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Superior quality, best skin; value $90.

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Full length, satin lined; value $30.

**Capes, Princess Dresses**
In silk and wool at less than cost to make.
Capes ..... $3.98 and $5.98
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**Ladies' Tailored Suits for $12.00**
Plain and mixtures, this season's newest models, Coats satin lined, pleated Skirts. These are values up to $20.00.

**Ladies' Tailored Suits for $15.00**
Handsome garments, beautifully tailored—extra fine quality materials. Values up to $25.00.

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High-grade garments, exclusive models, high-class tailoring. Values up to $30 00.

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The highest grade Suit we carry. Made of the very finest materials. Values up to $35.00

**Ladies' Coats Long Covert Coats for $6.50**
Handsomely tailored, partly satin lined; value $8.50.

**Ladies' Coats for $9.00**
Full length, coverts and mixtures; value $15.00.

**Ladies' Coats for $12.98**
Made of fine Broadcloth, full length, satin lined; values up to $18.

**Ladies' Coats for $19.00**
Mostly black, superior cloth, fully satin lined; values up to $30.00.

**20 ODD SUITS**
Not this season's styles but good quality and well made; values up to $12.00; sale price ..... $3.98

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11. Next to Your Mother, Who Do You Love?
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13. Dill Pickles, Black and White Rag.
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15. Shine On Harvest Moon.
16. I Wish That You Was My Girl, Molly.
17. Lonesome Land Song.
18. Gee, You're a Grand Little Girl.
19. Margarita.
20. Moon Bird.



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NEWARK'S BEST CLOAK AND SUIT DEPARTMENT.

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Prices have been cut to half and even a third their real value in order to reduce stock prior to taking inventory. In some instances the lots are small, yet all sizes are represented in this vast assortment. With several months of winter still before us, these timely bargains should prove doubly interesting. It is just such wonderful values as those herewith mentioned that have made our garment department so famous.

**Women's and Misses' Tailored Suits**

That were marked $7.50 to $10.00, now ..... $5.98
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That were marked $14.98 to $19.08, now ..... $10
That were marked $19.98 to $25.00, now ..... $13.50

**Women's and Misses' Long Coats**

That were marked $7.50 and $10.00, now ..... $5
That were marked $10.00 to $12.98, now ..... $7.98
That were marked $14.98 and $19.98, now ..... $9.98
That were marked $19.98 to $25.00, now ..... $12.98

**Millinery Sacrifices**

Untrimmed Hats, some Moire, some Felts, sold up to 59c, sale price ..... 19c
Untrimmed French Felt Hats, all colors, sold up to $2.98, sale price ..... 49c
Velvet Turbans, sold up to $3.98, sale price ..... 98c
Black Beaver Hats, sold up to $5.98, sale price ..... $1.98
Untrimmed Bengaline Hats, sold up to $3.50, sale price ..... 98c
Child's School Hats, sold up to $1.98, sale price ..... 49c
Fur Hats, sold up to $4.98, sale price ..... $2.49
Fur Hats, sold up to $2.98, sale price ..... $1.49
Trimmed Hats, sold up to $4.98, sale price ..... $1.98
Trimmed Hats, sold up to $6.98, sale price ..... $2.98
Trimmed Hats, sold up to $8.98, sale price ..... $3.98
Trimmed Hats, sold up to $18.00, sale price ..... $5.98
Fancy Feathers and Birds, sold up to 49c, sale price ..... 19c
Fine Colored Ostrich Plumes, sold for $4.98, now ..... $2.98
Black Ostrich Plumes, sold up to $1.49, sale price ..... 98c

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## SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

The new cloth factory at Glassboro expects to begin operations the middle of this month.

Holiday trade at the Burlington postoffice is said to have increased by $400 over last year.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Duffield, of Cedarville, will celebrate their golden wedding tonight.

The Glassboro Township Committee have elected Robert Mecall, chairman, and Josiah Shute, treasurer.

There is a pine wood famine in Millville, caused by the fineness of cutters for the most extensive dealers in that section.

Sergeantsville amateurs will present "Josiah's Courtship" and "The Husking Bee" in the town hall Saturday evening.

The Glassboro M. E. Sunday school have re-elected Superintendent Samuel Luffbrar, who has served more than forty-five years.

Wesley Fleming has been appointed special deputy State councilor for the Jr. O. U. A. M. lodges of Hunterdon, Warren and Union counties.

Pitman and Glassboro are still without electric lights, as the company has not yet succeeded in repairing the damage done by the recent storm.

Williamstown expects 1910 to be a banner year, as it is now enjoying unusual prosperity. The glass factories are busier and are employing more men than ever before.

Charles Holcombe, of Remsen, is suffering with diphtheria at Trenton, where he went to care for his daughter, who was stricken with the disease while visiting friends.

While Walter Phifer and a party of sportsmen were hunting near Buckshutem, they found the carcas of a large buck, which had doubtless been shot during the season.

McKinley Post, G. A. R., of the Soldiers' Home, Vineland, has elected Daniel Doughty, commander; S. Dawson, senior vice; Henry Court, junior vice, and Ira Bean, officer of the day.

Miss Julia Fitz Randolph McGee, daughter of Mrs. Flavel McGee, was married in Jersey City last evening to Francis Vreeland Dobbins at the First Presbyterian church at 7:30 o'clock. The pastor of the church, Rev. Dr. Charles Herr officiated.

Wanted in Atlantic City to answer charges of larceny of articles from hotels where he was employed as a waiter, Frank F. Davis, colored, was arrested in Camden yesterday and confessed a number of thefts. Several pawntickets were found in his possession.

Camden Branch No. 1, Firemen's Mutual Benevolent Association has elected these officers: President, Albert Vickers; vice-president, William Sawyer, Newton Ashe; recording secretary, William Miller; financial secretary, William J. Rose; treasurer, William Elverson.

Naming three corespondents, Nathan Weiss, a former Camden saloon-keeper, yesterday began action for divorce in the Court of Chancery in Camden. They were married on August 15, 1897, and separated on July 12, 1906. After considerable difficulty Mrs. Weiss was located living with her parents in Bridgeton.

Falling twenty-five feet from a telegraph pole at Lawnside yesterday, A. A. Small, thirty-nine years old, a lineman, of 319 Mt. Vernon street, Camden, was supposed to have been seriously injured, but at Cooper Hospital it was found that no bones had been broken. The lineman landed on both feet.

A pair of live, plump opossums, captured by Sergeant James Cannon, formerly of the United States Army, while at Fort Delaware, and which were sent to his family at Beverly for Thanksgiving dinner, have been traveling through a number of Eastern States. The box was labeled Beverly, no State being mentioned. The box was forwarded to Beverly, Mass., thence to Beverly, W. Va., and finally reached its right destination here. However, one opossum had disappeared. Cannon refused to accept the box and will sue the railroad for the missing animal.

## CLOSED PORTALS.

Plainfield Council, No. 293, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet Monday night, when several matters of importance will be considered.

The officers-elect of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., and the Women's Relief Corps will be installed jointly on Tuesday night at the Post headquarters in Reform Hall. A large number of visitors are expected.

The details for the organization of Senior O. U. A. M. here are about complete. It is expected that the charter list will be closed on Saturday night. Thus far twenty-nine have signed and several more have promised to do so in a few days. Charles Kiederling has the matter in charge.

Communion services will be held at Hope chapel on Sunday evening with reception of members.

The M. E. church union service will be held tonight at Grace church and Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson will preach the sermon.

## AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

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Fanwood ..... Charles Elliott
Netherwood ..... W. H. Olmstead

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The matter of issuing another liquor license for the borough will probably be determined by Judge Lyon in the Middlesex County Court today. There are three applicants for the license, C. Hazlen, of the borough; C. C. Oliver and S. C. Schaefer, out of town parties. The consensus of opinion is that two hotels are sufficient for the population of the borough and that the license will not be granted. It is understood that the G. O. P. bosses oppose the license and that while no big remonstrance has been filed, it is said that they gave a tip to the powers in the county seat that the license is not needed.

Jess Ayers will call a meeting of baseball fans in a couple of weeks to consider the advisability of organizing a ball team for next season. Extraordinary steps will be taken to provide means to put a strong nine on the field, one that will be able to hold its own with Plainfield's best. To accomplish it it will be necessary to secure out-of-town talent for some of the positions, and it takes money and the united support of fans to do this.

Mrs. Furman H. Gise entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Osmunn, who were married at Plainfield recently, have taken up their residence in the borough.

Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Huff are entertaining Mrs. Frank Rounsville, of Washington, Warren county.

The Farther Lights Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Mahlon R. Dayton tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harkins are the happy parents of a young son who arrived on Tuesday.

Miss Elizabeth Herlick is spending the week visiting friends at Newark and Basking Ridge.

John Doty is nursing a severe attack of blood poisoning in his hand.

Miss Ruth Gardner, has returned from a holiday visit in Boston.

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Yesterday was the first hard day of the winter for the local blacksmiths. The condition of the sidewalks and roads made traveling very uncertain for both man and beast.

Charles Frichs, the butcher, has about finished harvesting his crop of ice for his ice house on Mountain avenue. A good quality of ice about nine inches thick has been cut.

Court constables were busy yesterday serving subpoenas on witnesses, who are to be called today, when Hetrick's license comes up.

Miss Maggie Skelly, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. William Lee, of Front street, has returned to her home at Raritan.

The many friends of Constable Robert Walpole are pleased to see him around again after his long and tedious illness.

Owing to the storm yesterday only one session of school was held. The classes were dismissed for the day at 12 o'clock.

Miss Anna Wahl, of Mountain avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives in New York.

The children enjoyed the day yesterday skating about town on the sidewalks.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Helen Jones, of Jersey City, has returned home after a visit with friends here.

Frank Higgins, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a visit with friends in this city.

Mrs. O. H. Smith, of Fairview avenue, is spending two months with relatives at Utica, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morely, Jr., of the West End, are parents of a girl born to them a few days ago.

Albert Reiber, of New York city, has returned home after spending a week with relatives in the borough.

Mrs. John O'Mara, of Rockview avenue, who has been detained at home by illness, has entirely recovered.

Frank P. Stone, of West Front street, was among the visitors at the automobile show in New York this week.

Charles B. Brown, formerly of this city, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned to Beverly, Mass.

C. W. T. Overton, of Rockview avenue, has returned to Rutgers College, after spending the holiday season at home.

Charles H. Hughes, of Long Branch, has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. I. Minton, of East Sixth street.

Miss Nell Dalson, of Utica, N. Y., has returned home after spending a month with her sister, Mrs. O. H. Smith, of Fairview avenue.

Miss Irene Smith, of New York city, has returned to the College of Mt. St. Mary, after spending the holiday season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, formerly of this city.

Mrs. Murray Burtis, of Fairview avenue, has returned from Annapolis, after spending a few days with her son, William Burtis, a midshipman in the academy. He celebrated the twenty-first anniversary of his birthday while his mother was at Annapolis and she attended the mid-winter hop given by the midshipmen.

### MAYOR GAYNOR SLICES THE NEWSPAPER LISTS.

New York, Jan. 7.—Mayor Gaynor has notified every department head under him that they must indulge in no newspaper interviews and issue no statements concerning the business of their departments except through him.

Another move by the new Mayor which will affect many New York newspapers is his announcement that the annual tax notice will this year be advertised in only one paper in each of the five boroughs. Last year this notice was advertised in seventy papers, many of them small weekly publications, and cost the city about $15,000. Mayor Gaynor expects to cut this item to less than $1,500.

F. H. Andrews will conduct the week of prayer services at Hope chapel tonight.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.


## FAT REDUCTION IS NO SIN

The purpose of beauty is to refine the native uncouthness of human nature. We all bow to its power. It is the only autocracy that has no nihilist shadow. Alas! this means the fat woman must serve instead of rule, for beauty in woman is a composite of both line and feature.

Thousands of fat women are beautiful of face. But they lag behind in the race for preference—because a too ponderous outline dashes the favor their face has gained them.

Now, pretty fat women can reduce that fat (not the good pure-lined flesh) in a very simple way. No exercise—no dieting is necessary. Let them take one Marmola Prescription Tablet after each meal and at bedtime for a month. The fat will simply fade. No wrinkles or pouches of skin will form, but the loss will be uniform. The fat will go as stealthily as it came; fade away. The health will improve, the eye grow more brilliant, the wit sprightlier. Marmola Tablets are a boon—and harmless (being made from the famous fashionable prescription, ½ oz. Marmola, ½ oz. Fl. Ex. Cascara Aromatic, 3½ ozs. Peppermint Water), and are likewise cheap, a large case of the druggist or the Marmola Co., 985 Farmer Building, Detroit, Mich., costing only several five cents.



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**Dining Furniture Dept.** (6th Floor)

14.50 Golden Oak Sideboards, value $17.00.
7.75 Golden Oak, 6 feet, Extension Tables value $10.50.
21.50 Golden Oak Buffets, value $32.00.
13.50 Golden Oak China Closets, value $18.00.
1.69 Golden Oak Dining Chairs, value $2.25.

**CARPET AND RUG DEPARTMENT** (Second Floor)

90c grade Tapestry Carpets 74c yd
1.10 " Tapestry Carpets 89c yd
1.50 Velvet Carpets ..... 1.25 yd
1.50 Axminster Carpets .. 1.35 yd
Made, Laid, Lined Free.
1.50 Inlaid Linoleums ..... 1.25 yd
China and Japan Mattings All Reduced.
27.00 Axminster Rugs, 8.3x10.6 feet ..... 19.50
32.00 Axminster Rugs, 9x12 ft 23.50

**Bedroom Furniture Dept.** (Fifth Floor)

4.50 Iron Beds. All Sizes, value $6.75.
12.00 Brass Beds. All Sizes, value $18.00.
8.75 Golden Oak Bureau value $10.50.
5.95 Golden Oak Chiffoneres, value $8.00
5.50 Couch Beds with Mattress, value $8.00.

**Mission Furniture Dept.** (Second Floor)

10.50 28x48 in. Top Library Tables, value $14.00.
12.75 Velour Cushion Rockers, value $17.0-.
18.50 Leaded Glass Bookcases, value $25.00.
19.50 Ladies' Desks, value $24.00.

**STOVE DEPARTMENT** (Basement)

7.50 "Oak Stoves" Nickel Trim .. 4.98

Extraordinary Clearance Reductions—Cylinders, Parlor and Pot Stoves, Ranges—every one warranted.

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**Parlor Furniture** (Main Floor)

2.50 Mahogany Finish Parlor Tables, 24-in top, value $3.50.
39.50 3 Piece Suits, plush cushions, value $56.00.
59.00 5 Piece Suits, panne plush, value $85.00.
14.00 Inlaid Mahogany Desks, value $28.00.
3.75 Mahogany finish wood seat Rockers, value $5.00.

Manufacturers are raising prices all along the line! Every mail brings word of price advances owing to increased cost of labor and materials—we contracted heavily months ahead—give you the benefit of old prices, if you buy while "January Sale" is on!

## 10% Off for Cash—or Easy Terms

## Previous Prices Now Deeply Reduced to Clear All Departments of Winter Goods

The store-keeping principle of this store is to positively prevent our Winter stocks overlapping the arrival of Spring goods. Their complete Clearance is the purpose of the mightiest merchandise movement of this mid-winter month. The deeply reduced prices present powerful reasons for your ready response to economy's most worth while event.

**CLEARANCE AS WE PLAN PERMITS NO CONSIDERATION OF COSTS,—GOODS GET GOING-OUT PRICES THAT YOU WILL GREET GLADLY. EVERY DEPARTMENT PRESENTS URGENTLY UNDER-PRICED OFFERINGS ON SEASONABLE AND SATISFACTORY STOCKS.**

What we buy to sell this season **must** be sold this season. Thus every article of Winter merchandise now in this store is marked down to a point where its speedy Sale is assured. Women's ready to wear garments suffer decisive price cutting, with winter weather, as some say, just beginning, the need for warm clothes is being felt more every day.

**DON'T FAIL TO ATTEND THIS JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE**

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## Our January Clearance Sale

### An Unusual Saving Event

Our great January Clearance is in full swing and is more than an ordinary saving event. It affords an unusual opportunity to save on seasonable apparel for both men and women. At the same time there is the satisfaction of knowing that everything offered is exceptionally worthy in quality, distinctive in character and bears fashion's approval as to model. Every department contributes to the saving. Don't miss your share.

### Men's Overcoats and Suits

These three lots of Overcoats present an unusually wide choice. They are black, Oxford and Cambridge, in kerseys and meltons.

**LOT A**—Regular $12 to $15 Overcoats; January sale price ..... **$9.75**

**LOT B**—Regular $18, $20 and $22 Overcoats; January sale price ..... **$14.25**

**LOT C**—Regular $25, $28 and $30 Overcoats; January sale price ..... **$19.75**

Here are three lots of Suits comprising a variety of models, mostly fancy mixtures; some blues and blacks in the $13.75 lot.

**LOT A**—Regular $12, $13, $14 and $15 Suits; January sale price ..... **$9.75**

**LOT B**—Regular $16, $17, $18 and $20 Suits; January sale price ..... **$13.75**

**LOT C**—Regular $22, $24, $25, $28 and $30 Suits; January sale price. **$19.75**

### January Clearance
#### YOUNG MEN'S SUITS

Mostly mixtures, sizes 16 to 19 years, divided into four lots.

**LOT A**—$10, $12 and $15 suits, broken lines, January sale price ..... **$6.75**

**LOT B**—$10, $12 and $14, suits, regular lines, January sale price ..... **$8.75**

**LOT C**—$15 to $18 suits, regular lines, January sale price ..... **$12.75**

**LOT D**—$20 to $25 suits, regular lines, January sale price ..... **$18.75**

### January Clearance
#### BOYS' CLOTHING

**Regular $7 and $7.50** Derby Suits; knickerbocker trousers; cut full and roomy and lined throughout. Exceptionally natty suits. Sizes 7 to 16 years, January sale price. **$4.95**

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# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

A foreign exchange publishes some interesting facts worth knowing to golfers: The longest hole in the world, so far as can definitely be ascertained, is the 700-yard hole at Evians-les-Bains, France. Four years ago there was a hole 890 yards in length on the old Hampden County Golf Club, at Chicopee Falls, but when the Oxford Club was joined to this club the hole was given up.

The largest club connected with golf is the Mid-Surrey Club, which now has a membership of 1,200 and a waiting list of 900 more.

An interclub match of one hundred players a side took place between Mortonhall and the Edinburgh Burgess Club in 1901. This is probably the record for the biggest team match.

Some years ago the championship of New Zealand was won by a Maori chief.

A match was once played where the better player gave his opponent a "start" of fifty yards at each hole.

In Scotland there used to be a proverb that if you called "fore" three times and then drove into a man and killed him the law would hold you guiltless.

The open championship of America has never been won by an American born.

The lowest score ever made over an eighteen hole round, so far as can be ascertained, is 59, made by Wilson, the professional, at Oban.

Claud Felstead, the brilliant young Victorian amateur, who won the Australian open championship, is a left-handed player.

J. H. Taylor has holed out from his tee shot on six occasions.

Old Tom Morris always used to putt with his forefinger down the shaft of his club.

### LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

January 10 Baker & Castle will present their production of "In the Bishop's Carriage," in this city at the Plainfield theatre. The play is a dramatization of Miriam Michelson's novel of the same name, which, with its novelty, freshness and piquant charm, made a strong appeal to the reading public. Miss Michelson drew a clever picture of the underworld in its relation to society and Mr. Pollock has embodied all the salient points in his drama. He speaks plainly, forcibly and with authority. It is a study of criminology that has caused much discussion and comment. The plot is based upon the reformation of a thief—a young girl to whom a vicious environment in childhood has given a false idea of life. Wrongdoing seems quite the right thing to her. It is more easy and natural for her to be bad than good—dishonest than honest. Her regeneration comes through love—love for a high minded, upright man, in the best society, whose pity and influence show her the way to a higher life. The question naturally arises, "Can a confirmed thief really ever reform?" In the play, Mr. Latimer, the shrewd, gentle hearted criminal lawyer, asks of the cornered but defiant Nan the Nipper, "What made you a thief?" "Circumstances," she retorts. "The same thing that made you a gentleman." It is a line that strikes home. There is more than a grain of truth in it, an ugly, repulsive truth, and gives people interested in psychological problems food for thought. An elaborate production is promised; a carload of magnificent scenery being carried and a complete equipment of properties and electrical effects. The parts are in the hands of a carefully chosen company, headed by Stephanie Longfellow. Critics have honored this remarkable young woman by comparing her performance of Nance Olden to Mrs. Fiske's Leah Kleshna.

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## Jan. 7 In American History.

1718—General Israel Putnam born in Danvers, Mass.; died 1790. Putnam won laurels as a gallant soldier before he became "Old Put" of the Revolutionists. He joined the "Sons of Liberty" in Connecticut and was among the first to march against the invaders.

1872—James Fisk, Jr., sensational "high financier," killed by Edward S. Stokes in New York city; born 1835.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:45, rises 7:20; moon rises 4:54 a. m.; 3 p. m., planet Saturn at quadrature with the sun, being 90 degrees east thereof; planet Mercury visible after sunset.

Plainfield, N. J., January 7, 1910.

## JEFFERY WINS THE FIGHT

(Continued from page 1.)

dent Jeffery made it plain that the Board would not be responsible for the meeting as it would not be held under that body's auspices.

Former President Marshall suggested the advisability of having some place where a stenographer would be in charge to answer questions as to Plainfield and to answer correspondence received by the board. He was appointed chairman of the committee to consider the matter with power to appoint other members.

## REV. DR. RICHARDS DEAD

(Continued from page 1.)

held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, tonight, as planned, because of the well-known interest that Dr. Richards always evidenced in foreign missions. The social hour will be omitted and in its place the time will be given up to prayer. Further announcement will be made regarding Dr. Richards' funeral tomorrow.

### MONSIGNOR FLYNN TO BE BURIED TOMORROW.

Morristown, Jan. 7.—Funeral services for Monsignor Joseph M. Flynn will be held tomorrow morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Church of the Assumption. There will be a solemn high mass of requiem, celebrated by Monsignor Isaac Whelan, of the Cathedral, Newark. Rev. Eugene Carroll will be deacon, and the subdeacon will be Father Clifford. The sermon will be preached by Monsignor John O'Grady, of New Brunswick. Bishop O'Connor will give the absolution. The interment will be in Holy Rood Cemetery, this city.

Nearly all the clergy in the diocese are expected at the funeral services, as well as the members of the A. T. A. Torbet Post, G. A. R., of which Monsignor Flynn was a member.

The Holy Name Society, the Young Men's Catholic Association, the Knights of Columbus and the teachers of the Bayley School will march in the funeral procession.

### Burmese Student at Y. W. C. A.

Miss Ma Our Yaba, a young Burmese girl will speak and sing at the 4 o'clock service in the Young Women's Christian Association rooms on Sunday afternoon. This young woman has been in this country for the past six years studying to prepare herself for association work in India. It is said she sings with utmost ease and with beauty of expression and those who come on Sunday to hear her are promised a treat


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In order that all may share in this great money-saving event, we offer the following inducement: If you don't need the goods till later on, come in and make your selection, pay a small deposit on them, and we will store them free of charge and deliver at your convenience; or if you need them at once and are not prepared to pay all the cash, take advantage of our "Club Plan" system of Easy Payments. We extend every convenience to responsible persons. This sale should appeal very strongly to prospective housekeepers.

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## GOVERNOR FINISHES HIS ANNUAL MESSAGE

Governor Fort finished his second annual message to the Legislature yesterday after the hardest kind of a day's work. Arriving at his desk in the State House early, he at once sent out word that under no circumstances would he see anybody. This did not prevent many of the heads of State departments from seeking an audience, but the Governor stuck to his word and would see no one.

Among those who tried to see the Governor was Theodore Strong, of New Brunswick, a member of the State Board of Assessors. It is many months since "Dory" was seen in the Governor's anteroom, and there was much speculation on his visit. He shared the fate of the others, however, for the Governor refused to see him.

The Governor talked to the newspaper men long enough to register a strenuous protest against a story which appeared yesterday morning in some of the New York and New Jersey newspapers, in the form of an alleged telegram from Lakewood, with relation to the Governor's luncheon to the Legislature, coupling the Governor's visit with the Preventorium matter, and alleging that the luncheon to the members of the Legislature was to be given by the Laurel House, with the Governor as the chief guest.

"Every line in the publication was false and malicious," the Governor said, and he added that so far as he knew not a soul at Lakewood nor anywhere else had suggested entertaining him in any way; that the luncheon he was giving was in accordance with his usual custom, and neither the Laurel House nor any one else had anything to do with it, excepting himself.

The Secretary of State sent notices to the members of the Legislature today calling the meeting of the 134th session of the Legislature for next Tuesday at noon. Up to last year the lawmakers held their opening session at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, but this proved so unsatisfactory that the earlier time was substituted.

The Railroad Commission made public its amended report today. Outside of the recommendations for new legislation, which have already been noted, the report is mainly statistical.

According to the report, the total number killed during the year was 311 and 509 were injured. Among those killed were 98 employes, 43 passengers and 15 others, and 149 trespassers. In the preceding year 260 were killed and 511 injured. In collisions 13 were killed and 98 injured; 29 were killed and 60 injured at crossings; 4 were killed and 9 injured in derailments, 4 were killed and 9 injured at tunnels and bridges, 58 were killed and 63 injured by being struck by locomotives, 18 were killed and 7 injured getting off trains, 2 were killed and 26 injured while coupling cars, 168 were killed and 175 were injured from all other causes, including trespassing.

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### Installation Postponed.

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# BERGEN ON NEWSPAPERS

## Noted Corporation Lawyer Gives His Opinion of the Public Press.

### THEY DO NOD SOMETIMES.

### But As a Whole He Considers That They Show An Admirable Degree of Accuracy.

Frank Bergen, general counsellor of Public Service, gave an entertaining talk before an Episcopal church Men's Club, Wednesday night, which was a continuation of what he had to say recently on Public Opinion.

Mr. Bergen said in part:

"Our politicians and editors in the tempest and whirlwind of their calling, sometimes find it difficult to sound and prove a current sentiment before endorsing it, but those who have more time to reflect are not so often mistaken. One of the wisest men in New Jersey said to me several years ago that if an editor had to wait until he knew what he was putting in his paper he could not get out a copy more than once a month; and another citizen of our State who stands high in public esteem, noticing a few days ago a kind word about the press in a report of my remarks in December, took me to task in a letter saying: 'I can hardly join in your apologies for newspapers, nor do I believe as much in their influence as I used to. Nearly all of them are entitled to the curse that falls on him who loveth and maketh a lie; they seek not the truth but the thing profitable to publish. My idea is that the proper line of reform is to perusade people to discredit newspaper statements and avoid their influence.'

"I bow respectfully to this criticism, but still adhere to my opinion that when we consider the conditions under which newspaper men ply their calling, and the haste in which they not only collect and publish news but comment upon it, they exhibit an admirable degree of accuracy. Now and then it is true the newspapers get off the track—even Homer nods sometimes—and when they do the people refuse to follow them. The late Carter Harrison was elected mayor of Chicago some years ago in a campaign in which every newspaper in the city was arrayed against him and the present mayor of New York was elected a few months ago by a large plurality in a campaign in which a very large part of the press advocated the election of other candidates, and I venture to think that the event will prove that the election of Gaynor was one of the most beneficial things that has happened in New York for a generation. Sometimes the people are wiser than the press.

"We have progressed so far in the art of government by public opinion that there ought to be a scientific study made of the nature and processes of the public mind. We have plenty of alienists who, if well paid, will examine an individual intellect and tell no end of falsehoods about it in a will case or a murder trial, but no one, so far as I know, ever made a philosophical study of the humors and distempers of the public mind, or explained to us how good sense is distilled from the frude nations and nonsense that sometimes fill the air. But if public sentiment is a sovereign force—as Lincoln said it was—stronger than statutes or constitutions or judicial decisions, there is nothing that should be studied with more profound attention than the opinion of the public mind.

"The opinion of our board of chosen freeholders that vox populi vox Dei est, surely is not true of every temporary passion that agitates the multitude. Lincoln knew better because he said that you can fool some of the people all of the time, and all of the people some of the time, but he was confident that in the long run somebody would discover and expose the deception, and that the final judgment of the people is sound. And Burke, the greatest philosopher among politicians, although not the greatest politician among philosophers, said: 'I am not one of those who think that the people are never in the wrong. They have been so, frequently and outrageously, both in other countries and in this. But I do say, that in all disputes between them and their rulers the presumption is at least upon a par in favor of the people.'"

### Seventh-Day Baptist Services.

The Seventh-Day Baptist church services begin at 8 o'clock tonight with the regular prayer meeting. The pastor, Rev. Edwin Shaw, will preach at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, his theme being "The Voice of One Crying in the Wilderness." The Sabbath school will meet at 11:45 o'clock. At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the Junior Endeavor Society will meet, Celia Cottrell being the leader. Pastor Shaw will make a short address. The Senior Endeavor Society will meet at 4 o'clock.

### Will Hold Special Meetings.

W. W. Morrison, an evangelist of Pennsylvania, will conduct evangelistic service at the W. C. T. U. rooms every afternoon and evening, commencing this afternoon at 3 o'clock. The evening meetings will be held at 8 o'clock.

# QUICKSAND.

### How It Is Formed and Its Grewsome Characteristics.

To most persons the word "quicksand" gives a sensation of horror similar to that produced by the thought of a snake, and many sensational accounts have given to quicksand almost human attributes. No ordinary observer would be able to distinguish dry quicksand from any other sand, and the average person would be unable to restore it to its "quick" properties even if he tried. If water is mixed with the quicksand the mass does not become mobile, and if the water is drained off the sand will be found firmly packed.

Quicksand is comparatively very light, weighing about ninety-four pounds to the cubic foot, while other forms of sand run as high as 171 pounds. Quicksand when examined under the microscope will be found to have rounded corners, like river sand, as distinguished from "sharp" sand. It is quicksand that is used in hourglasses and egg glasses, partly because of its fineness and partly because it does not eventually cloud the glass by scratching, as would the sharp sand. It is to its lightness that quicksand owes its deadly qualities, and a demonstration of how it becomes "quick" may be given by placing a quantity in a bucket and adding water by pressure through a hole in the bottom, allowing the water to overflow very slowly when it has worked up through the sand. The upward current will be found to loosen the sand and to raise the surface very slightly, separating and lubricating the particles so that they are easily displaced.

The bucket now contains genuine quicksand. The sand, owing to the support it receives from the water, has its weight, or supporting power, reduced proportionately, weighing in the water but thirty-two and a half pounds as against ninety-four pounds when dry. Bulk for bulk, the mixture is nearly twice the weight of a man, but is too mobile to give support and too thick to swim in. In its natural state, presenting an apparently firm surface, resembling simply damp sand, it is the most deadly man trap conceivable.

Quicksand requires in all cases an upward current which is not quick or strong enough to break through in the form of a spring. Ordinarily water flowing over quicksand will not make it dangerous. It may be formed in tidal rivers and on the shores of tidal seas by the rising tide saturating a porous stratum of ground below high water mark, and when the tide falls a return current is established through the porous (sandy) ground with a sufficient velocity to loosen the sand and make it "quick."

A permanent quicksand is found where a slow current of fresh water finds its way to the surface of the sand bed either in the bottom of a stream or elsewhere. Quicksands that are encountered during the sinking of walls and foundations are due to the influx of water when the work gets below "spring level" or the level of the water in the ground at that particular spot. The sand, being deprived of the lateral support of the water in the excavation, is pushed in from behind by the water currents flowing from all sides.

One of the most peculiar and grewsome characteristics of quicksand is that it will soon engulf any object cast upon its surface, no matter how light that object may be, even a perfectly dry stick.—Harper's Weekly.

### Eggs Worth Millions.

Two poached eggs on toast once formed the foundation of the great New York stock market. If the eggs were eaten securities advanced in price; if left untouched Wall street shivered and quotations crumbled. One morning the eggs proved worth a thousand times their weight in gold, for the news that they had been eaten with relish added 2 per cent to active stocks. Even 1 per cent on the $10,000,000,000 securities listed on the New York exchange would be equivalent to $100,000,000. By such trifles is Wall street swayed when seized by hysteria, when hypnotized by a personality, when lost to the sound reason that usually governs its actions.—Bert C. Forbes in Van Norden Magazine.

### It Sounded Hopeful.

A young man who was not particularly entertaining was monopolizing the attention of a pretty debutante with a lot of uninteresting conversation.

"Now, my brother," he remarked in the course of a dissertation on his family, "is just the opposite of me in every respect. Do you know my brother?"

"No," the debutante replied demurely, "but I should like to."—Lippincott's.

### The Only Way.

"Is there any method that will enable a man to understand a woman?" queried the innocent youth.

"The only way to understand a woman," replied the home grown philosopher, "is not to try. Under these circumstances she will reveal herself sooner or later."—Chicago News.

### No Chance of That.

The beggar accepted gratefully a nickel from the professional humorist.

"Thank you, sir," he said, his voice vibrant with deep feeling. "Oh, thank you, sir, and may you live to be as old as your jokes."—Washington Post.

### Of Course.

Reporter—Professor, what language do you suppose the people nearest the north pole speak? The Professor—What a question! Polish, of course.—Chicago Tribune.

# PARK AVE. BAPTIST S.S. HOLDS ANNUAL ELECTION

The annual meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist church Sunday-school was held last night in the Sunday-school, with Superintendent George E. Hall presiding. Reports of the past year's work were submitted by officers and committees, and showed the various departments of the school to be in excellent condition. During the year 1909 the receipts have been larger and the average attendance greater, than during any previous year in the history of the school; and the outlook for the new year is especially bright and encouraging.

Following the transaction of routine business, the meeting proceeded to the election of officers as follows: Superintendent, George E. Hall; associate superintendent, Miss Florence G. Hawkins; superintendent elementary department, Miss Elmira C. Runyon; secrtary, Martin B. Stutsman; assistant secretary, Henry F. Cuming; temperance secretary, Charles F. Dayton; treasurer general fund, Joseph M. Hawkins; treasurer benevolent fund, Willard M Maxim; librarian, E. Frank Vail; pianist, Miss Mary E. Clark; blackboard artist, Charles VanWinkle; orchestra leader, Arthur S. Mosher; superintendent Home Department, Mrs. D. M. Runyon.

The business session was followed by a social hour, during which refreshments were served, and a pleasant time enjoyed by every one. A feature of the evening was the fine music furnished by the new Victor machine which Superintendent Hall has purchased for the school.

# FORESTRY MEN TO EVADE STATE LAW

A meeting of the State Forestry Commission was held in the State House Trenton Wednesday, at which protests were made by five property owners against carrying out of the property provisions of the law of last winter under which the forests are to be safeguarded against fires from railroads.

The commission had five protests before it, but dismissed four of them and gave the other property owner one year more in which to do the work. There were 280 property owners assenting to the workings of the new law, they seeing that it would save their property in many cases from greater destruction.

Under the law of last winter there must be cleared of small undergrowth a space of 100 feet adjoining a railroad and paralleling it as far as the forest land goes. Experience has shown that many forest fires are started by locomotives, and by cutting the trees back it is believed that less fires will originate in that manner.

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Services at his late residence, 919 East Seventh street, on Sunday, January 9, at 2 p. m. 1 7 2

TEN EYCK—On Thursday, January 6, 1910, Sarah M., wife of Israel D. Ten Eyck.

Funeral from the residence of her nephew, Frank Putnam, 542 East Second street, Sunday afternoon, January 9, at 2:30 o'clock.


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WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 6 3

WANTED—Two women canvassers. Call Friday night or Saturday afternoon, 215 Church St.

WANTED—Competent white girl as cook and laundress; references required. 718 Madison Ave. 1 6 tf

GIRL wanted for chamber work and waiting (white); must have good references. Apply evenings, 41 Sycamore avenue. 1 6 3

WANTED—Two girls, one for cooking, washing and ironing; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 5 tf

WANTED—A neat young white girl to assist with care of child; good reference. 90 Myrtle Ave. 1 3 tf

WANTED — Young girl to make herself generally useful; no washing or cooking; must sleep at home; wages $10 per month. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 3 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

WANTED—Position as companion or housekeeper; competent to take charge of invalid; highest reference given. Telephone 115, Plainfield. 1 6 6

COLORED woman wants position at general housework. 602 East Third street. 1 5 3

### Help Wanted Male.

WANTED—FIFTY MEN; WILL RESUME CUTTING ICE SATURDAY MORNING AT WATCHUNG LAKE. PLAINFIELD ICE AND SUPPLY CO.

WANTED—An engineer for local concern; state experience and salary expected. Address Engineer, care Press. 1 7 3

WANTED—Young man stenographer and typewriter. Apply Ransome Concrete Machinery Co., Dunellen, N. J. 1 7 2

AGENT wanted, Plainfield district. Apply Colonial Life Insurance Co., 89 Broad St., Elizabeth. 1 5 3

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COMFORTABLE furnished rooms to let; central location; terms reasonable. 7 Grove street 12 11 1m

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

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LARGE and small front rooms, well heated, with or without board; all conveniences; telephone. 62 Sandford avenue. 12 16 1m

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### Lost and Found.

LOST—Sunday afternoon, on Central or Madison avenue, between Stelle avenue and Eighth street, large silver buckle, attached to black belt. Finder will please notify Mrs. H. W. Raebe, 429 Stelle avenue. 12 27 tf

LOST—Bunch of keys on January 4, on or between Plainfield and Sycamore avenues. Reward if returned to Daily Press office. 1 6 2

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

### Situations Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man, colored, wishes position at anything; A1 references. 521 South Second St. 1 7 3

A POSITION wanted as coachman or handy man, by a sober, reliable man; willing and good references. Address Ernest, care Daily Press. 1 6 3

### For Sale.

ACCOUNT of mourning, lady will sell clothes, size 36; brown crepe de chine, broadcloth suit and voile gown. Address Z., care Press. 1 6 2

FOR SALE—English setter puppies; best field trial blood. 730 Monroe avenue. 1 6 3

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock hens. Apply 145 Manning Ave. 1 5 3

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

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FOR SALE—Building lot on Norwood avenue, 80-179 feet; will sell all or part. Call 60 Norwood. 1 3 6

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Loan of $500; can give good security. Address Loan, care Press. 1 6 3

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MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

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## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

**Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 9, 1910.**

Topic.—Bringing others to Christ. Who should do it? How is it done?—John i, 35-41. Comment by Rev. Sherman H. Doyle, D. D.

Bringing others to Christ is the most important subject that can concern the mind of one who has himself found Christ. Having been found, we should become seekers. If a man who had been lost when he was a child should live in a community where a child was lost, we can readily understand how deeply interested in the search for the child he would be. Having once been lost, but found, we should be deeply interested in seeking souls that are still lost. Moreover, Christ's example inspires us to this work. He died to draw others unto Him that they might be saved. "I, if I be lifted up from the earth, will draw all men unto me." "The Son of Man came to seek and save the lost." Still further, Christ's supreme mission to His church is to bring the unsaved to Him. The Holy Spirit could convert all men without man's help, but God has graciously given us a part in this great work of leading souls to Christ.

There is no question, therefore, as to who should do this work. It may be answered in one word—Christians. But not all Christians can do it by personal work, as did Andrew and Philip. Some Christians have the tactfulness to lead others to Christ, but many others have not. It is well to emphasize personal work, but not too much. Many are thus made to feel a duty resting upon them to speak to others when they are totally unfit and do more harm than good. Where there is no ability there is no responsibility. We need today to emphasize the church as the supreme place where men are led to Christ. Pulpit preaching should be and is the supreme power under the blessing of the spirit of God for the conversion of sinners. If we think that the personal conversation of perhaps one absolutely unfitted for such a work is superior to the message of the pulpit we are vastly mistaken. Yet this is the tendency of today. Personal work is overemphasized, and many plunge in who should be the last people in the world to speak to any one else upon such a subject. If all such would lead others to the church and attend the church faithfully themselves better results would be obtained.

Under this topic Andrew and Philip are the usual illustrations selected. But all men are not Andrews and Philips. An Oxford Bible with a few passages marked in it does not make a soul winner. It is a great pity that Acts ii is not more frequently taken as an illustration of leading others to Christ. There Peter in one sermon led 3,000 to Christ. But today hand to hand work is emphasized. It is, therefore, readily understood why fewer converts are made directly through preaching. Men think that some one must see them and talk with them, and these some ones very often fail to accomplish the purpose desired. But it is still true that many Christians are competent to lead others to Christ. Yet more emphasis today should be placed upon the church and preaching as the supreme place and method of leading souls to Christ. If they are emphasized and Christians are faithfully at church and bring others with them, then the way is open for a kind word of invitation if the service and sermon have been impressive. One personal word then or a clasp of the hand may bring another to Christ and to a public confession of Him. Nothing can ever supplant the means of grace established in the house of God for the leading of others to Christ.

One thing all can do—pray. Prayer reaches the throne of grace, and here the most humble and timid, the most unfit and blundering, may have an effective part in saving souls if there be a passion for souls within them. Couple fervent prayer with a consistent Christian life and loyalty to the church of God and you will find in the long run that you will win more souls for Christ than many who flourish a flexible back Oxford Bible and think that they must approach every man they meet upon the subject of their soul's eternal welfare. Above all, love those whom you would lead to Christ. A true love for their souls will make your influence powerful, though you never speak a word, but when you must speak do it at the right time and place and in the sweet spirit of the Master, who never condemned the sinner whom He desired to save. You are to "lead" others to Christ, not "drive" them. Many may be led; none can be driven. Practice tact, patience, long suffering and faith, and may God bless you in bringing many souls to Christ.

BIBLE READINGS.

Isa. iii, 1-7; iv, 1-7; Ps. lxxxvii; Dan. xii, 1-3; Prov. xi, 30; Matt. xxviii, 19, 20; Luke xv, 1-10; Acts ii, 36-41; iv, 31-33; Jas. v, 19, 20.

**Spiritual Communion.**

While we may not enter into physical communication with the loved ones in glory, there is a mystical communion of saints in which souls beyond the horizon and souls on earth may enter into fellowship with each other, a spiritual communion dependent upon the emotions of the soul, which will make us brave, patient and eager to be worthy of those who have gone on before.—Rev. Madison C. Peters, Baptist, New York.

**Age of Unbelief.**

In this day and age of the world many people do not believe in sound doctrine or salvation from sin, therefore it is a great temptation for the pastors to preach those things which they like to hear.—Rev. E. G. Cryer, Aurora, Ill.


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**39c** **39c**


## DISAGREES WITH GOV. FORT.

Bayonne, Jan. 7.—President James Benny, of the Bayonne Board of Education, declared Wednesday that he did not agree altogether with the opinion held by Governor Fort, concerning the reading of the Bible in the public schools and the utility of the manual training course.

"I agree with the Governor that every child should be well grounded in what he terms the 'rudiments,' that is to say reading, writing, arithmetic, spelling and geography," said Mr. Benny, "but I do not concur in his views on manual training. In my judgment a large portion of the boys of the present generation are likely to engage in some mechanical pursuit. I believe a course in manual training is a decided advantage to a boy who may engage in any of the trades. I also believe that the girls should be taught to cook and sew. I have thought for some time it would be well if a larger portion of the school moneys was used in the training of the boys and girls along industrial lines."

Mr. Benny said that he deemed it impracticable in a community like Bayonne, "where the people are so greatly divided on religious questions," to carry out Governor Fort's theory of the study of the Bible.

"I think is is better that the church should continue to attend to the instruction of the young in the truths of the Bible," he said, "that will enable each denomination to emphasize its own interpretation of the Scriptures, and will avoid conflict of opinion."

**Mail Pouch Stole Ride.**

A mail pouch thrown off at Cranford this morning at 5:20 was found hanging to the pilot of a freight engine which passed through here at 5:50. The pouch was torn and apparently some of the mail had been lost along the road. Police headquarters was notified by the Cranford authorities to be on the lookout for the missing pouch which had been thrown off by the mail train. Postmaster Bird, of this city, was notified and took charge of the pouch, returning it to Cranford on the 7:20 train.


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**Something He Couldn't Define.**

Every calling has its technical vocabulary, says Youth's Companion, and those who are familiar with it are often surprised and irritated at the difficulty other people have in understanding it. A writer in the New York World tells of an old horseman down in Maine who had run over a man, and was being sued for damages.

The court asked the defendant if he was driving fast. He answered, "I was going a pace." The court then said, "Now, kindly tell the gentlemen of the jury just how fast you were going."

"Well," said the defendant, "I reckon I was going a clip."

"Well, will you tell the jury how fast a clip is?"

"Well, it's going a dite."

"Now, will you tell the jury how fast a dite is?"

"Well, a dite's a dite. Anybody knows what a dite is."

**The Wish.**

"I want some more chicken," said a little girl at dinner.

"I think you have had as much as is good for you, dear," rejoined her mother. "You can't have any more now; but here is a wishbone that you may pull with me. Whoever gets the longest end will have her wish come true. Why, baby, you've got it. What do you wish?"

"Some more chicken!" said the child.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

**In Punkville.**

"This fellow Cook," began Uncle Goshall Hemlock.

"Oh, let up on the North Pole."

"I don't blame him about the North Pole part of it, but I do blame him for scattering around a lot of low temperature figures and putting all our local reminiscences on the bum."

**Correction.**

"It is most exhilerating to go scudding over the snow in your automobile," said the man who walks.

"Not scudding," said Mr. Chuggings, "skidding."—Exchange.

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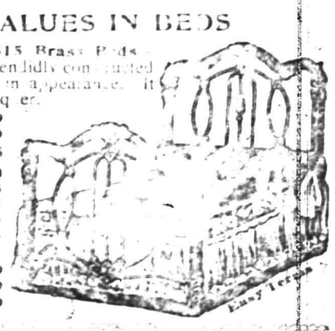

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Regular $20 Golden Oak Wardrobes, with nicely paneled door and spacious interior, only ..... **9.98**

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Senator Beveridge was replying at a dinner in Washington to a defender of the sugar trust.

"When you say that," the Senator cried, "you say something ludicrously unexpected and malapropos.

"You remind me of a man at his brother's funeral. This man bent over the grave, and closely watched the lowering of the coffin down into the clean-cut rectangular chamber prepared for it. He heaved a sigh as the coffin came to a rest, and said to the undertaker heartily:

"It's the nearest fit I ever saw in my life. Come and have a drink on the head of it."—Washington Star.

### Needed a Double Dose.

A fellow whose appearance warreled with soap and water some raled with soap and water some years ago applied for a position as porter with a large concern where help was badly needed. The manager looked him over doubtfully, finally he handed him a half crown, relates Tit-Bits.

"Go up town and take a bath," he told him. "Then come back, and maybe I'll be able to help you on."

The fellow started for the door.

"And, oh, by the way," the manager called after him, "if there is any change left take another bath."

### The Chrysanthemum.

Last tribute of earth to the year's vesper glow;
A kiss of the summer flung out to the snow,
God's herald of winter; yet coming to bring
To the hearts of the faithful a promise of spring.
—Lippincott's

### Crossing a Chasm.

"How does our hostess manage to span the gap in her finances?"

"By means of bridge."—Baltimore American.


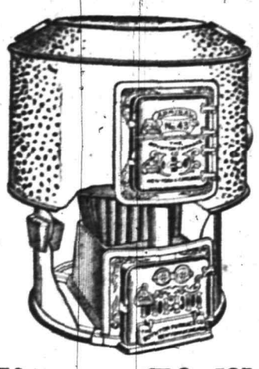

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Fig Bars, a lb. 10c; 3 lbs .... 25c
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Oakdale Pretzels, a lb ..... 12c
Oakdale Twigs, a lb ..... 14c
Grand Ma's Cookies, a lb .... 10c
5 O'clock Teas, a lb ..... 12c
Moss Wafers, a lb ..... 12c
Spiced Wafers, a lb ..... 12c
Dinner Biscuits, a pkg ..... 15c
Toasted T Biscuits, a pkg .... 10c
Breakfast Biscuits, a pkg .... 12c
Sugar Wafers, lb ..... 30c

Salt Mackerel, each 5c, 8c and 10c
Kippered Herring, a can ..... 15c
Burnham Clam Boullion, bot. 20c
Deviled Crab Meat, a can .... 22c
Mince Meat, a lb ..... 10c
Fine Hominy, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Yellow Meal, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Best Farina, a lb. 6c; 4 lbs. 22c
Pearl Tapioca, lb. 7c; 4 lbs. 25c
Granulated Tapioca, 9c; 3 lbs. 25c
Graham Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Rye Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs ..... 20c

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"Life accustoms the Filipino woman to labor at a very early age. As a tiny girl she is rarely seen without an appendage in the shape of a baby brother or sister perched on her little brown hip. When she grows a few inches taller and a few degrees stronger she is pressed into service as a water carrier, bearing heavy jars of water poised gracefully on her head from the river to her home. Now, too, she works in the fields, and a vivid bit of color she makes in her short kilted scarlet skirt. When she becomes a woman—and she is a woman at fifteen or before—she may have a small shop to tend, and there is the rice to beat and much other work to do.

"Marriage brings no vacation. She is pretty sure to have many children to care for. She tends the fields, cooks and frequently has a stall in the market for several hours a day. But when the women are really old then their rest time comes. They sit quietly by looking on as life goes past them, but taking part no more. In spite of the hard labor they have had there is generally a very peaceful look in the brown, wrinkled faces of these old women."—New York Tribune.

### A ROYAL BED.

**The Magnificent One That Was Used by Queen Elizabeth.**

An interesting description of the magnificence of a bedstead ordered for Queen Elizabeth's use is found in a "wardrobe warrant" dated 1581 and quoted in "Gleanings After Time." It was of walnut tree, richly carved painted and gilded. The celure, tester and valance were of cloth of silver, figured with velvet, lined with changeable taffeta and deeply fringed with Venice gold, silver and silk.

The curtains were of costly tapestry curiously and elaborately worked every seam and every border laid with gold and silver lace, caught up with long loops and buttons of bullion.

The headpiece was of crimson satin of Bruges, edged with a passaymayne of crimson silk and decorated with six ample plumes containing seven dozen ostrich feathers of various colors profusely decorated with gold spangles.

The counterpoint was of orange colored satin quilted with cutwork of cloths of gold and silver and of satins of every imaginable tint embroidered with Venice gold, silver spangles and beautifully colored silks fringed to correspond and lined with orange sarcenet.

This was a queen's bed, but almost equally gorgeous ones were common for several centuries. In the reign of Queen Anne a bedstead put up as a prize in a lottery was reported to have cost over £3,000.—London Family Herald.

### Graft in the Household.

The tipping system has become acute now that graft is boldly recognized as "business," and the world has no shame for the majority of workers in the vineyard. A charming young matron exclaimed the other day that graft had even invaded her household. She was asked how that were possible and replied, "I have discovered that my most trusted and faithful maid has been approached by some one who shall be nameless to advise the cook, who is another treasure, to leave me." "But she did not?" "Yes, she did," said the young matron, laughing. "Yes, she did, and I don't blame her for the price. My nice Julia was paid $20 to sell me out, and the cook's wages are about double what I can pay." "A case of bribery." "Not at all—plain, unvarnished graft," was the philosophic response.—Boston Herald.

### One of Field's Jokes.

Edward Everett Hale greatly enjoyed a joke which was perpetrated on him by Eugene Field. Field celebrated one of Dr. Hale's visits to Chicago by giving a luncheon in his honor and inviting a number of prominent persons to meet him. "Field was aware," said Dr. Hale, "that I was a temperance man, and therefore I was somewhat surprised to see that the table on which the luncheon was served was very abundantly supplied with bottles labeled 'Whisky,' 'Brandy' and 'Champagne.' But when these bottles came to be uncorked they were all found to contain nothing but water."

### Effective.

A Chicago judge recently rebuked a person who was sitting in the courtroom with his feet placed upon the table by sending him, through a bailiff, a piece of paper on which he had written the following query: "What size boots do you wear?" The feet were at once withdrawn.

### No Panic.

"We had a bad fire scare in church today."

"Good gracious! Was there a panic?"

"Not to notice. The minister preached on the infernal regions."—New York Journal.

### Prodigal.

"That fellow seems to be extravagant."

"Hopelessly. He spends his own money just as if it were the government's."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

# The Plainfield Trust Company

## Report (condensed) as rendered to the Department of Banking, State of New Jersey

December the thirty-first nineteen hundred nine.

ASSETS.

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|---|---|
| R. R. and other bonds (book value) | $ 580,475.36 |
| [Market value $593,730.50] | |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 |
| Overdrafts, None | |
| Cash | 454,592.95 |
| | $3,121,954.67 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital Stock | | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | | 202,501.58 |
| Accrued Interest | | 4,249.15 |
| Deposits— | | |
| Time | $1,015,641.78 | |
| Demand | 1,799,562.16 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
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| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |



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## Y. M. C. A. SPORTS.

In a hotly contested basketball game on the Y. M. C. A. courts last night the Senior Boys' five was victorious over the Stillman quintet by the score of 26 to 23.

The Y. M. C. A. "gym" leaders held their monthly meeting and "spread" last night. After a period of joyous feasting it was voted to attend a performance at the Hippodrome in New York on the night of February 23. Those present were: Horace E. Vail, Walter Sampson, John Fritts, A. Newmiller, Clifford Vail, Theodore Gavett, Charles Line and G. L. Listman.

W. Peacock showed the way in the Junior Department athletic championships last night by winning the standing hop, step and jump, and the running high jump. In the first named event Peacock's distance was 22 feet, 9¼ in.; second, G. Leighs, 21 feet; third, E. Goodman, 20 feet. In the running high jump Peacock's mark was 4 feet, 7 inches; tied for second, James McName and Ray Manley, at 4 feet. The individual standing in points of the first ten contestants follows: W. Peacock, 295 points; J. McName, 275; E. Goodman, 232; George Leighs, 231; H. Moulton, 210; L. Shaw, 209; V. Goldsmith, 192; B. Cole, 185; Ray Manley, 182; G. Kling, 167; C. Scribner, 167; C. Blair, 167; D. Ketcham, 167.

Chauncey Murphey cemented his grip on the all around championship last night by winning the running hop, step and jump and fence vault. Murphey also established a new record of 36 feet, 10¼ inches for the hop, step and jump, smashing the mark of 35 feet 11½ inches, recorded in 1908 by W. P. Banks. John Fritts was second with 32 feet 4 inches, and C. Vail third, 28 feet 9 inches.

In the fence vault C. Murphey was first, 5 feet 8¼ inches; second, J. Fritts, 5 feet 7¼ inches; third, C. Vail, 5 feet, 6¼ inches.

Murphey leads the competition with 302 points, followed by Fritts with 241, and Vail with 211.

The standing of the Boys' teams in the college athletic championship is as follows: Yale team, 1,056 points; Princeton, 795; Cornell, 787; Harvard, 724; Carlisle, 719; Penn., 655.

The Business Men's basketball team will meet the N. P. H. S. quintet at 8 o'clock tonight.

## BASKETBALL.

The girls team of the N. P. H. S. defeated the Y. W. C. A. five by the score of 29 to 13 in Debele hall yesterday afternoon.

Tomorrow afternoon in Debele Hall the boys and girls team of the borough school and Bernardsville school will compete for honors.

### Kramer to Ride.

Frank Kramer, the National sprint cycle champion, is going to join the six-day riders. Kramer, who for ten years has been the king of cyclists, will make his maiden long distance effort in the Newark six-day race, which will be held in the First Regiment Armory February 7 to 12. Kramer's partner will be Willie Fenn, another sprint crack, who will make his debut in the six-day game also. Fenn, who was the "Boy Wonder" a few years ago, is one of the best all around riders the game has ever produced and he is known as the "handicap king."

### Plans to Complete Railroad.

Upon the application of Pitney, Hardin & Skinner, counsel for Frederick V. Pitney, receiver of the New Jersey and Pennsylvania Railroad Company, Vice Chancellor Emery has ordered that a hearing on the application made by the receiver for permission to complete the railroad into Morristown be continued to January 24, in Chancery Chambers, Newark. The receiver asks permission from the court to issue receivers certificates to the amount of $30,000, that shall be a prior lien on the property.

# "POP" HARKINS CAN NOW ORGANIZE A FAMILY NINE

John J. Harkins, the new proprietor of the Nelson House, New Market, is about the happiest man in the State today. On Tuesday his wife presented him with a bouncing baby boy.

This is of more than ordinary importance inasmuch as it makes the eighth boy in the family. As it is well known, Mr. Harkins was formerly a pitcher for the Brooklyn National League team and also for the Clevelands, and his day ranked among the best of the curveology artists. Leaving the big show he coached the Princeton pitching staff and later at Rutgers. Mr. Harkins claims the distinction of being the first player to introduce curves in central New Jersey.

Naturally enough all of his family—eight boys—were born with the baseball instinct. A number of them have already earned for themselves a reputation on the baseball diamond, and the rest including the latest comer have given promise of living up to the family's reputation.

With Pop Harkins as captain, and player, a nine picked from the Harkins family alone, will be a possibility in the course of a few years.

Jimmy Harkins, who once covered the first sack for the New Brunswicks, of course, is slated for that position. John J. Harkins, Jr., is also a good first sacker but can play most any position on the team. William Harkins did the greater part of the twirling for the Catholic Club, of New Brunswick, last season.

"Pop" will be allowed to pick out any position he wants. He says that he can play some ball still, but unlike Bob Fitzsimmons he does not attempt to show up.

Local ball fans remember Harkins as the pitcher for the West Ends, of Somerville, in the old Crescent days

## OPPOSED TO INCOME TAX.

### New Jersey Legislature Expected to Vote Against Amendment.

There is a strong probability that if the amendment to the Federal Constitution providing for the imposition of an income tax comes before the Legislature, which meets on Tuesday, it will be overwhelmingly defeated. Nearly all of the Republican leaders in the State, including the two United States Senators, are said to be strongly opposed to the tax on the ground, they assert, that the greater part of the impost would have to be paid by the four States of New York, New Jersey, Ohio, and Massachusetts.

It is not known whether or not Governor Fort will touch on the income tax in his annual message on Tuesday.

## GIRL FALLS DOWN SHAFT AND STRIKES ELEVATOR.

Paterson, Jan. 7.—Escaping apparently with a cut scalp and broken left ankle, after a fall of four stories down an elevator shaft at a local silk mill Wednesday, Margaret Davidson, fourteen years old, lies in the General Hospital. The physicians fear she is injured internally.

The girl was found unconscious on the elevator platform, which is not surrounded by a cage. How long she had lain there was not known, as she had not been missed until occasion occurred to use the elevator.

## TRUSTS AND RAILROADS TAFT'S MESSAGE TOPICS.

Washington, Jan. 7.—President Taft sent a special message to Congress today in which he discussed and made recommendations regarding the interstate commerce law and the anti-trust law and Federal incorporation.

## THE WEATHER.

Fair, much colder with a cold wave tonight; Saturday fair; high northwest winds diminishing.

Max., 34; Min., 33.

### Gen. Campbell Wins Fight.

The Court of Errors and Appeals yesterday declared unconstitutional the Vredenburgh law fixing 64 years as the age for compulsory retirement of National Guard officers, and General Edward A. Campbell won his fight for reinstatement as commander of the First Brigade. With General Campbell fourteen other officers who retired through the operation of the law can be reinstated after quo warranto proceedings. Gen. Campbell says that he will not confer with his counsel, Robert H. McCarter, regarding his reinstatement.

### Favors Park Co-Operation.

State Senator Joseph S. Frelinghuysen in his address at Governor Fort's luncheon at Lakewood, yesterday, recommended that this State appropriate $500,000 for the fund that is being raised for the establishment of a park along the Hudson river. Governor Fort warmly seconded the remarks of the Senator from Somerset and hinted that such a recommendation would be found in his message.

Miss Anna C. Todd, of Dunellen, secretary of Camp Middlebrook Chapter, D. A. R., is in attendance at the "General and Mrs. Washington's Wedding Anniversary," as the guest of Mrs. Donald McLean, at Sherry's, New York city.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. Mr. Craig, of Leland avenue, will lead the prayer meeting at the Netherwood Reformed church tonight.

F. H. Andrews will lead the prayer meeting tonight at Hope chapel. This is the last meeting in the week of prayer services.

The monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the American Sabbath Trace Society will meet Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the parlors of the Seventh-Day Baptist church.

The Ladies' Guild of the Netherwood Reformed church will meet Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All women of the congregation are especially invited to this first meeting after church organization.

### Franklin's Officers Installed.

State Vice Councilor William B Larue installed the officers-elect of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., last evening, after which there was a social time, during which the good and welfare committee took charge. There was a large attendance of members and the meeting was one of the best of recent times.

### Agriculturists Meet.

E. P. Beebe, representative of the State Horticultural Society addressed the Board of Agriculture yesterday at Elizabeth. The occasion was the monthly meeting of the board and many facts of interest were presented to the members. Soil Fertility and the Dairy Cow will be the next two subjects brought to the attention of the society.

### Operator O'Shea Killed.

Telegraph Operator O'Shea on the New Jersey Central at High Bridge, was struck and instantly killed by a train at that place this morning. He had been an operator at High Bridge for a long time. Details of the accident have not yet been learned.

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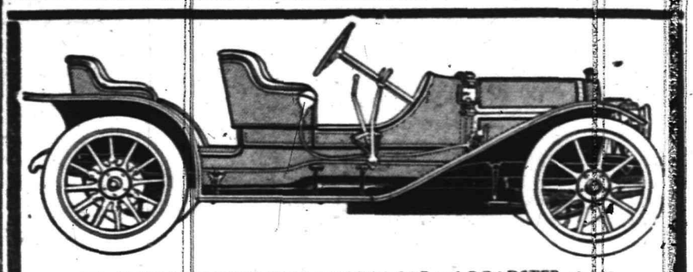

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## OFFICIAL MINUTES OF BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS.

Regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union, N. J., held on Thursday, December 2, 1909, at 2:30 p. m. In the absence of Clerk Ryno, N. R. Leavitt was elected clerk pro tem.

Roll call showed the following members present: Director King and Freeholders Adams, Sady, Cladek, Crane, Darby, Doane, Garrison, Haviland, Jones, Krouse, Martin, Meisel, Perry, Robison, Smith, Stephan, Swain and Wilbur—19. Absent, Jensen—1.

On motion of Freeholder Cady it was ordered that the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting be dispensed with and the same be approved as per printed copies on members' desks.

**Communications.**

Whereas this Grand Jury is impressed with the desirability of some change in the provisions made for the punishment and correction of juvenile offenders, therefore it is

Resolved, That in the opinion of the members of this body, provision should be made by the proper authorities for the establishment of some suitable institution for the proper retention or punishment and correction of such juvenile offenders in Union county; and it is further

Resolved, That this matter be brought to the attention of the Board of Chosen Freeholders in said Union county with the request that they look into the subject and consider the advisability of moving therein.

Dated at Elizabeth, N. J., November 5, 1909.

VICTOR MRAVLAG,
Foreman.

On motion of Freeholder Smith this communication was received and placed on file and the Director authorized to appoint a committee of five. The Director appointed Freeholders Smith, Krouse, Cady, Wilbur and Crane.

December 2, 1909.

Hon. W. R. Codington, Esq., County Attorney, Courthouse, city.

Dear Sir—I represent Eunice Ward, who is living with her sister, Mrs. Mary McLain, at 185 North avenue, Cranford, N. J. Between the hours of 8 and 8:30 on the night of September 30, 1909, she was going up North avenue on the right hand side looking west; as she neared the river where the Board of Freeholders is repairing the bridge, she tripped and fell over some flagstones right near the easterly approach on that side of the way. At that time the centre of the bridge was the only part of the bridge open for traffic. It was entirely dark at the place where she was headed and there were no lights of any kind to guide her. She was severely injured and has been attended since by a physician in Cranford, whose name and address I will give you if you so desire. In looking the matter up I have no doubt the Board of Freeholders is responsible in case an action is brought. I have been requested by the parties to inform the Board of Freeholders through you concerning the matter, so that some adjustment of the matter may be had.

You will remember a few years ago I had a suit against the Freeholders and at that time you informed me that if I had any such matters in the future you preferred me to inform you and leave the board take it up. I write this without prejudice.

Respectfully yours,
J. A. KIERNAN.

On motion of Freeholder Adams received and referred to the County Attorney and the committee on this bridge.

**Reports of Committees.**

By the committee on jail inspection.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders, County of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee on jail inspection would respectfully report that it has inspected the jail, also the books of the warden.

Total number of prisoners in jail Nov. 4, 70; number received during the month, 76; in custody December 1, 64; number of days' board, 1,973; cost of maintenance of jail for November: Provisions, drugs and sundries, $353.86; salaries, $275; total, $628.86. Cost per day per prisoner, .3187 cents.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH PERRY,
JOHN H. STEPHAN,
J. HARVEY DOANE,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Doane received and placed on file.

By committee on Soldiers' Monuments.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county:

Mr. Director and Gentleman—Your committee on Soldiers' Monuments having received the following applications for monuments to mark the graves of dead soldiers, who took part in American wars, respectfully recommend that the requests of the next of kin, by whom they were signed, be granted—the same having been investigated by the Supervisor and approved by him:

William H. Hughes, Sixth N. Y. Ind, Battery, Rahway cemetery, 1838-1906.

Elias C. Winans, K Ninth N. J. Vols.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth.

William H. Hosler, Surgeon 174th N. Y. Vols.; Presbyterian Cemetery, New Providence, 1830-1872.

William Kuhl, K, Seventh N. Y. Infantry; Hillside Cemetery, Plainfield, 1838-1906.

Benjamin C. Clark, B, Thirtieth N. J. Vols.; Baptist Cemetery, Scotch Plains, 1908.

John Nugent, C, First Connecticut Cav.; Presbyterian Cemetery, Union, 1849-1890.

Charles H. Gorham, B, Thirty-eighth N. J. Vols.; Rosedale Cemetery, Linden, 1836-1909.

J. HERVEY DOANE,
JOHN H. STEPHAN,
JOSEPH PERRY,
J. N. CADY,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Cady received and recommendation adopted without dissent.

By Committee on North Avenue Bridge, Cranford, N. J.

Elizabeth, Nov. 17, 1909.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders, Elizabeth, N. J.:

Gentlemen—Your committee on North Avenue Bridge, Cranford, N. J., would report as follows:

The work of building the new bridge was awarded by this board, upon receipt of bids, to William E. Warren, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., at the price of $7,792. At the time the work was so awarded it was thought unnecessary to remove the old abutment walls of the old bridge, as they appeared to be in good order and apparently could be utilized in the new work.

When the piers for the new bridge were built, these old abutment walls were broken into, of necessity, and they were then found to be in very poor order, having cement mortar only at the faces, and they were considered to be unfit and unsafe for the support of the new bridge.

Your committee has therefore received bids for the reconstruction of these two old abutment walls, of concrete, and the lowest bid is that of Mr. Warren, at $900. The work has been awarded to Mr. Warren at that figure, subject to approval of the board, and the committee has also as a part of the new agreement, given the present old bridge and the materials therein, to Mr. Warren.

Your committee would therefore recommend that an additional appropriation of $900 be made by the board, for the building of these new walls, as above set forth.

Respectfully submitted.
E. K. ADAMS,
CHARLES A. SMITH,
GEORGE B. CLADEK,
PETER H. MEISEL,
WILLIAM H. GARRISON,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Adams received and recommendation adopted without dissent.

By the Committee on Elizabeth Avenue Bridge over Rahway River, Rahway, N. J.

Elizabeth, December 2, 1909.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders.

Gentlemen — Your committee would respectfully report that it has made an examination of this bridge, and find that the upstream walls of the structure are being pressed out away from the arches by frost or otherwise, and have in the cases of three of the four arches, gone out so far as to leave cracks between the arches proper and the walls, in some places two inches wide.

Your committee is of the opinion that it will not be necessary to rebuild these walls, but that the walls should be stayed by means of rods running from plates at the faces of the walls, into the arch walls and fastened to the latter at places ten feet or more from the faces of the wall.

Your committee would therefore recommend that this work be authorized, the cost of the same not to exceed the sum of $150.

GEORGE B. CLADEK,
CHARLES A. SMITH,
HENRY KROUSE,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Cladek received and recommendation adopted without dissent.

Committee on Surrogate's Account:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Surrogate's Accounts respectfully reports:

We have examined the books and vouchers of the Surrogate for the month of November, 1909, and find them correct, and the net receipts are eight hundred and ninety-nine dollars and seventy-four cents.

Dated December, 1909.

CHARLES A. SMITH,
WILLIAM H. GARRISON,
BRADFORD JONES,
Committee.

On motion received and placed on file.

By a Committee of the Whole.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders.

The Committee of the Whole, to whom was referred the applications for the building and constructions of macadam roads over the following roads, namely, Raritan road, from the westerly side of Terrill road, in Fanwood Township, and extending through Lake avenue, Palisade avenue and Madison Hill road to Westfield avenue in the City of Rahway; also the road known as Springfield avenue and Turkey road, from the township line between the town of Westfield and the Township of Cranford, through the Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield to Westfield avenue in the town of Westfield; also the road known as Shunpike road, from the northwesterly side of Westfield avenue in the Township of Springfield to Morris avenue in the City of Summit; respectfully beg to report that they have inspected all of said roads, and being of the opinion that the improvement of said roads by the macadamizing of the same, under and by virtue of the provisions of the act known as "The State Road Act," passed 1905, is needful and necessary and would be conducive to great good to the public in general, and in particular to the traveling public in the respective locations.

We would therefore unanimously recommend the adoption of the hereto attached resolutions.

Dated November 18, 1909.

Respectfully submitted,
BENJAMIN KING,
Chairman.

Resolved, That Raritan road, beginning at the westerly side of Terrill road in the Township of Fanwood, and extending northeasterly in the Township of Fanwood to the easterly side of Lake avenue, so called, at Willow Grove; thence along Lake avenue, passing by Goodman's Station, southeasterly to the southerly side of Palisade avenue in the Township of Clark; thence along Palisade avenue northeasterly to the easterly side of Madison Hill road; thence along Madison Hill road in the Township of Clark, southeasterly to a turn in the road near the city line in the City of Rahway; thence still along Madison Hill road, partly in the Township of Clark and partly in the City of Rahway, northeasterly to the westerly line of Westfield avenue; and being at least thirty-three feet in width, and about four and three-quarter miles in length, and forming a connection with a permanently improved road, be improved by the construction of a macadamized roadway in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act providing for the Permanent Improvement of Public Roads in this State," revision of 1905, and the supplements and amendments thereto.

And be it further Resolved, That the clerk of this board be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the State Commissioner of Public Roads for his approval, and that upon the approval of the same by the State Commissioner of Public Roads, the County Road Committee be, and is hereby authorized to cause a survey of said road, so to be improved, to be made, and plans, cross-sections and specifications of the work to be done on the same, to be prepared; and that the same be submitted to this board for its approval or rejection; and if approved by this board, the same then be submitted to the State Commissioner of Public Roads for his approval or rejection.

Resolved, That Springfield avenue, beginning at a point in Springfield avenue at the township line between the Township of Cranford and the town of Westfield, and extending northwesterly, northerly and northeasterly along Springfield avenue in the Town of Westfield, Borough of Mountainside and Township of Springfield, to the northeasterly side of Turkey road; thence northwesterly along Turkey road in the Township of Springfield, to Westfield avenue; and being at least thirty-three feet in width, and about two and a quarter miles in length, and forming a connection with a permanently improved road, be improved by the construction of a macadamized roadway in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled, "An act providing for the Permanent Improvements of Public Roads in this State," revision of 1905, and the supplements and amendments thereto.

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Resolved, That Shunpike road, beginning at the northwesterly side of Westfield avenue in the Township of Springfield, and extending northwesterly in the Township of Springfield and City of Summit to the southeasterly side of Morris avenue, and being at least thirty-three feet in width, and about one and three quarter miles in length, and forming a connection with a permanently improved road, be improved by the construction of a macadamized roadway in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled, "An act providing for the Permanent Improvement of Public Roads in this State," revision of 1905, and the supplements and amendments thereto.

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On motion of Freeholder Cady received and recommendation adopted without dissent.

By the Committee on Bradford Avenue Bridge, Westfield, N. J.

The appropriation for the building of this bridge was $250. The lowest bid which was accepted was $49. At the time that the plans were drawn the curbing of the street had not been laid, and it was not known just how the gutter inlets should be built, so that this item was not included in the original plans. The gutter inlets have since been settled upon by reason of the final establishing of grades on the street and the decision of the owners to build concrete curbs, which work has been started elsewhere in the property.

Your committee therefore authorized the addition to the bridge of two gutter inlets, at an additional cost of $25.

Your committee would therefore recommend the increasing of the appropriation for this bridge by the sum of $24, to cover the additional cost of the gutter inlets.

Respectfully submitted,
JOSEPH PERRY,
AARON D. CRANE,
GEORGE B. CLADEK,
Committee.

NEW BUSINESS.

By Freeholder Adams.

Resolved, That the County Collector be directed to draw a duplicate check to Freeholder Perry for $30 and to Cornelius Reagan for $30.

On motion of Freeholder Krouse the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Stephan.

Resolved, That a committee of three with power to repair the planking on Meadow avenue bridge, Rahway, N. J., the cost not to exceed $120, as the same is in a dangerous condition.

On motion of Freeholder Robison the resolution was adopted without dissent, and the Director appointed as the said committee Freeholders Stephan, Martin and Haviland.

Resolution that when this board adjourns it adjourn to meet again


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Bridges—Davis & Thornton, $10; A. E. Sandford Company, $10.53; Edward Grau, $9; F. J. Hubbard, $50, $200, $27; Commonwealth Con. Co., $500; Paul Molitor, $57; Lehigh Contracting Co., $2,757.75; T. F. & H. C. Sayre, $8.95; Alexander Dixon, Jr., $40; John T. Melbourne, $15; W. E. Dilmars, $41; J. L. Bauer, $67.85, $37.25, $42.50, $5, $37.50; D. H. Voorhees, $17.88, $45.56, $33.98, $49.88; John K. Applegate's Sons, $220; Philip Freehauf, $21; Charles B. Heckel, $9.25; Duncan Bros., $2.60, $13.81; J. D. Loizeaux Lumber Co., $110.88; Alwin C. Kammerer, $20; A. L. Burnett, $7.97; David H. Totten, $2.50; Charles Castles, $7.92; Charles H. French, $249 James G. Moore, $15.50, $28.80; Wilfred A. Cole, $10; Milton H. Yale, $600; inhabitants of City of Plainfield, $4.82; James B. Farley, $8.57.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Clark Hardware Company, $9; The Cudahy Packing Company, $12; Henry P. Vandevere, $22; The Hildebrant Company, $2.60; Katherine Runyon, $27; Reliable N. I. Laundry Company, $7.50; W. H. Hulskamper, $125, $13.75; C. C. Denton, $9.35, $5.95; John Conrad, $45, $45; J. E. E. Levanseller, $2; John R. Rankin, $34.05; Howard R. Mulford, $20.52; Brucklacher Bros., $34.15; Elizabeth Ice Company, $134.80; Pubzlic Service Corporation, $38.88, $170.96; Mulford Coal and Lumber Co., $33.-28; N. Y. Telephone Company, $8.75, $5.87, $10.45, $5.10, $3.40, $6.15, $5.35, $9.35; James J. Carey, $60.

Elections—John J. Tuite, $38; Olaf Sangstad, $30; William Young, $8, $30; Max Newman, $30, $8; Crane Bros., $38; Philip VanArsdale, $8, $22; The Quion Investment Co., $8, $30; Antonio Scavuzzo, $30, $8; Barry A. Smith, $40; James M. Schatz, $23; Charles Knudson, $65; George Messing, $5; Ewald Wilputz, $8, $30; John F. Higgins, $38; John F. Kenah, $465.90.

Jail—R. T. Potts, $74.15, $33.99; Central Beef Company, $60.90, $57.-36; The Hildebrant Co., $46.33; J. O. Brokaw, $16.72; H. J. Schmdt, $8; W. C. Tubbs, $7.20; C. W. Dodd, $125; $4.78; Fanny Dodd, $80; John Dyer, $30; Thomas Hanna, $30 Fred Krauss, $60; F. S. Schaefer & Co., $41.43.

Children's Guardians—N. J. State Board Children's Guardians, $41.21.

Lunacy—N. J. Hospital, $3,058.-65; N. J. State Hospital at Trenton, $8.86.

Stationery—Elizabeth Novelty Co., $6.75, $62.85, $25.00, $21.50, 25c, $2.53, $7.97; F. E. Norris & Co., $19.10, $3.35, $2.55, $5.29; Henry Cook, $19, $7.50, $41.25, $14.25, 6.75; Elliott Fisher Co., $2.30, $13.-18; J. F. Myers, $81; P. H. Charlock, $21.24.

Publications—Courier News Pub. Co., $6.97, $31.25; Cranford Chronicle, $31.25.

Incidentals—J. Madison Drake, $38.87; Frank H. Smith, $505.92; Peter R. Meisel, $75; Benjamin S. King, $40; W. R. Codington, $69.11, $123; F. W. Westcott, $47.25; W. A. Bourdon, $87; John Keron & Son, $4; John A. Potter, $2.50; Weldon & Bauer Co., $50; Henry Cook, $6.-75; A. L. Johnson, $26; Sidney W. Eldridge, $5, $100; Florence G. Stiles, $50.

County Road Repairs—Weldon Contracting Co., $228.51.

State Aid Road Repairs—Weldon Contracting Co., $26.83, $2,817.70.

Surrogate—George T. Parrot, $458.33; W. B. Parrot, $208.34; Rosabel Allin, $100; Ethel Dilks, $60.

Members' Pay—W. H. Swain, $26; P. H. Meisel, $30; George B. Cladek, $46; Thomas F. Haviland, $40; Joseph Perry, $42; John H. Stephan, $46; Benjamin King, $36 Elston Darby, $34, $22; S. P. T. Wilbur, $28; Charles A. Smith, $34; E. K. Adams, $44; J. N. Cady, $34; J. Hervey Doane, $30; John Robison, $26; Jacob Martin, $38; Bradford Jones, $32; William H. Garrison, $32; Henry Krouse, $48.

Members' Expenses—Thomas F. Haviland, $5.20; Peter H. Meisel, $2.95; John H. Stephan, $6.14; Benjamin King, $23.69; Elston Darby, $13; S. P. T. Wilbur, $15.50; W. H. Barton, $2, $1.75; John N. Cady, $10.20; William H. Garrison, $14, J. Hervey Doane, $17.35; John Robison, $6; Jacob Martin, $5.20; Bradford Jones, $1.75; Joseph Perry, $13.55; George B. Cladek, $35.55; E. K. Adams, $26.40; Charles A. Smith, $16; Henry Krouse, $32.40.

Salaries—James W. Fink, $75; N. H. Leavit, $208.33.

Sheriff—W. H. Wright, $208.33; Robert J. Kirkland, $458.33, $198.-64; James H. Clark, $108.33.

Registrar—Frank H. Smith, $229.-17, $39.60; Ida M. Courser, $21.60; Edward Bauer, $104.17; Ottilie Reuter, $10.80; Emma S. Graunalt, $35; Irene Donaldson, $35; Jessie L. Garthwaite, $35; Aime Dumazeaud, $20.

County Clrek—James C. Calvert, $229.16; Irene M. Calvert, $35; Z. K. Norman, $104.16; Neil McLeod, Jr., $43.34; C. W. Runyon, $50; Frances M. McCabe, $26.

New State Aid Roads—Warren Travell, $459.77; Weldon Contracting Co., $4,160; F. J. Hubbard, $220.69; E. C. Humphrey & Co., $3,-305.37, $2,056, $775.68, $54.54; Clarence H. Winans, $6,790.76, $150; J. L. Bauer, $32.60, $733.60; Alex. Kerr & Son, $487, $10.20, $165.

Freeholder Cladek moved to adjourn, which was carried. The Director declared the meeting adjourned until Wednesday, December 29, 1909.

N. R. LEAVITT,
Clerk Pro Tem.

## A STORY OF CANINE FIDELITY.

It is a touching story of canine fidelity which Enos A. Mills tells of his dog "Scotch" in "Wild Life on the Rockies," says Youth's Companion. Master and dog had been out on a four days' excursion on the bleak mountain tops, when a little above timber-line Mr. Mills stopped to take some photographs. To do this he had to take off his sheepskin mittens, which he placed securely in his coat pocket, but not securely, as it proved later. He goes on:

From time to time, as I climbed the summit of he continental divide, I stopped to take photographs, but on the summit the cold pierced my silk gloves, and I felt for my mittens, to find that one of them was lost.

I stopped, put an arm around Scotch, and told him I had lost a mitten, and that I wanted him to go down for it to save me trouble.

Instead of starting off willingly, as he had invariably done before in obedience to my commands, he stood still. I thought he had misunderstood me, so I patted him, and then pointing down the slope, said, "Go for the mitten, Scotch. I will wait here for you.

He started for it, but went unwillingly. He had always served me so cheerfully that I could not understand, and it was not until late the next afternoon that I realized that he had not understood me, but that he had loyally, and at the risk of his life, tried to obey me.

My cabin, eighteen miles away, was the nearest house, and the region was utterly wild. I waited a reasonable time for Scotch to return, but he did not come back. As it was late in the afternoon, and growing colder, I decided to go on toward my cabin, along a route that I felt sure he would follow, and I reasoned that he would overtake me.

When at midnight he had not come, I felt something was wrong. I slept two hours and decided to go to meet him. The thermometer showed fourteen below zero. I kept on going, and at 2 in the afternoon, twenty-four hours after I had sent Scotch back, I pasued on a crag and looked below. There in the snowy world of white he lay by the mitten in the snow. He had misunderstood me, and had gone back to guard the mitten instead of to get it.

After waiting for him to eat a luncheon, we started merrily toward home, where we arrived at 1 o'clock in the morning.

Had I not returned, I suppose Scotch would have died beside the mitten. In a region cold, cheerless, oppressive, without fod, and perhaps to die, he lay down by the mitten because he understood that I told him to. In the annals of dog heroism I know of no greater deed.

## Arrival and Departure of Mails

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August 1, 1909.

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Close—8.15 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 9.00 p. m.

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Close—6.30, 8.15, 9.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00 p. m.

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Arrive—1.00, 6.45 p. m.
Close—9.00 a. m., 5.30 p. m.

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Of course the best thing with which to feather your nest is cash down.

If you have any doubts about a strange bed, look before you sleep.

A married man can always get a little off his sentence for bad behavior.

If wishes were horses there wouldn't be any room in the world for automobiles.

Lots of politeness is wasted on people who are too slick to be taken in by it.

Virtue, being its own reward, you can't very well blame a man if he is good for nothing.

Some fellows act as though they were afraid to sneeze for fear of blowing their brains out.

The fellow who was weighed in the balance and found wanting must have neglected to drop a cent in the slot.

## THE BROADWAY KNOCKER.

Women wouldn't be half as interesting if they were men.

A chaperon is merely a fender for keeping a girl from colliding with the wrong man.

The average man is a willing worker—when he meets another man who is willing to be worked.

When some people get busy it is always in connection with something that is none of their business.

Many a man imagines he is wielding a big stick when in reality he is only using a small hammer.

As a matter of fact, your neighbors think just as disagreeable things about you as you think about them.

Lots of people delight in doing a charitable stunt—after concluding arrangements with the limelight man.

It's well to have a song in your heart. If you haven't the right kind of a voice, it's also well to keep it there.

One idea of a padded-cell candidate is a woman who fondles a dog for the purpose of trying to arouse a man's jealousy.

If you had to live your life over again, the chances are you would make a different kind of a fool of yourself.—New York Telegraph.

## WORKADAY DON'TS.

A rule for prevention is better than a law for cure.

Caution is a best friend to you and the worst enemy is anger.

Don't cover up a mistake, but let it get away never to return.

A foregone conclusion often forego's the pleasure of success.

A "pull" may get you there, but you have to be strong enough to stay.

The detriments to success may be small but a lot of them make a rough road.

Kicking at a trifle is as ridiculous as kicking at a fly—trifles fly and fly trifles.

Don't merely apply for a position. When a man wants an employe for a position he really means for you to come and get it if you can.

Don't make the mistake of talking to all men in the same manner. Men are as different as animals. Some will give the good of "get out" and others the rub of "come in."

## OUT OF THE GINGER JAR

The liar is always ashamed of the naked truth.

When you can't tell the truth, don't tell anything.

The rural mailbox is a sort of post office on one leg.

There is no place in any well-kept pantry for family jars.

Did anybody ever ask the weeping willow why it does it?

If you are ever beaten it will be by your own self. Nobody else can beat you.

A wishbone won't do a man much good unless along with it goes a deal of backbone.

Many public speeches may be compared to a wheel—the longer they spoke the greater the tire.

We are never satisfied to have our happiness on the installment plan. We want it all at once.—Farm Journal.

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## MOURN FOR DR. RICHARDS

### Dr. Zelie Pays T[illegible]e to De[illegible]parted [illegible] Large[illegible]ed Meeting.

### AT CRESCENT AVENUE CHURCH.

**Memorial Service to Be Held By His Former Congregation—Reference at Hope Chapel.**

The sudden death of Rev. Dr. William Rogers Richards, formerly pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, which occurred at his home in New York city, yesterday, resulted in an unusually large attendance at the meeting held in the local church, last night, under the auspices of the Young People's Association. Rev. Dr. Stanley White, secretary of the foreign mission board, was engaged to speak and there was no change in the program. W. Lester Glenney was in charge of the meeting.

Prior to the talk on missions by Dr. White, a few remarks were made by Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, pastor, relative to the death of Dr. Richards. He expressed the deep sorrow felt by all in the sad death of the latter and of the great loss to the Presbyterian church as well as the cause of religion. He said that the news came as a great shock to him, and he was loth to speak of it until he was absolutely sure it was true. He asked the prayers of all for Dr. Richards' family. In view of Dr. Richards' known interest in missions, Dr. Zelie said that it was decided to hold the meeting as planned.

Dr. White prefaced his talk by a few words of eulogy concerning Dr. Richards. He said that for more than twenty years he had been his companion in the work and when he was a member of this Synod he was brought in close touch with the departed minister. He referred affectionately to his untiring zeal and devotion to the cause of Christ and missions, and added that every member of the Presbyterian Board of Missions had experienced a distinct and severe loss.

Everyone present was deeply impressed with the words spoken and after Dr. White's talk there was a short season of prayer, during which many petitions were offered to the Heavenly Master in behalf of the bereaved family.

Dr. White brought a message to the church of the mission work in Korea and South America, more especially the latter country, from which Robert E. Speer recently returned.

The speaker referred to the increasing knowledge of the foreign countries where missionaries are at work, of the improved method used and the fact that missionaries are not now devoting so much time to tearing down other religions, but are using greater efforts in presenting the true religion of Christ.

Dr. White said that according to the reports brought back by Mr. Speer, together with other knowledge on the subject, India cannot be compared with South America for moral degradation. The country is steeped in the blackest sin and is bound down by superstition.

Interesting reference was made to the Republic of Panama, Guatemala,

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## M'INTYRE ANNOUNCES HIS CONCERT PROGRAM

In announcing the program for the last of his chamber music concerts at the High School auditorium Monday evening, Joseph McIntyre sprung two pleasant surprises today. Not only will the instrumental portion of the program contain a quartette for piano, violin, viola and cello, but the concluding number will be a trio for piano, violin and cello. Then again instead of giving the usual two groups of three songs each Miss Christine Miller, the contralto, will sing four numbers in each group. Recalling the ovation that was accorded this artist upon her previous appearance here it is safe to predict that Monday evening's audience will demand one or more encore numbers.

Those artists who will participate in the quartette are: Joseph McIntyre, piano; Arthur Lichstein, violin; Otto K. Shill, viola, and Vladimir Dubinsky, cello.

The program is as follows:

Beethoven's opus 16, quartette for piano, violin, viola and cello. (a), Grave Allegro ma non Troppo; (b), Andante Cantabile; (c), Allegro mia non Troppo. Song group, Miss Miller—(a), Botschaft, Brahms; (b), Die Abloesung, Hollaender; (c), In the Time of Roses, Reichardt; (d), Floods of Spring, Rachmaninoff. Violin solo, Mr. Lichstein, "Faust" Fantasie. Song group, Miss Miller—(a), A Summer Idyl, Coleridge Taylor; (b), My Love and I, McDowell; (c), The Danza, Chadwick; (d), Sunshine Song, Bliss. Saint-Saens' Serenade, piano, violin and cello.

## AGITATION BEGINS FOR NEW Y.M.C.A. BUILDING

A larger home is needed for the local Y. M. C. A., according to the ideas of some of the prominent members of the association. Since the present building was erected sixteen years ago the association has flourished to such an extent as to create a necessity for more commodious quarters.

There has been a live sentiment in the association for the past two years to dispose of the present structure and erect a more modern building to compare favorably with Y. M. C. A. homes in the larger cities, but the ideas have failed to crystallize sufficiently to warrant a concerted movement in that direction.

Now it is probable that the matter will be broached at a near meeting of the board of trustees and until that body takes decisive steps nothing definite can be said.

The property, as it stands, including the land, is rated at between $75,000 and $100,000. The present structure cost about $50,000.

**Harry Milligan in Town.**

Harry Milligan, of this city, who was formerly in the employ of the Public Service Corporation in various capacities, is visiting his mother, of this city. Mr. Milligan left Plainfield three years ago to assume the superintendency of the Attleboro, Mass., Traction Company, which position he now holds.

—Tickets for the McIntyre concert next Monday evening, now selling at Armstrong's. *** 1 5 4

## DUNELLEN PASTORS WIN

### No New Liquor Licenses will Be Granted for That Borough Now.

### JUDGE LYON SO DECLARES.

**Clergyman and W. C. T. U. Offer Strong Remonstrance to Middlesex Court Against Application.**

Charles Shafer wants a license to conduct a hotel in Dunellen, but after what happened in Judge Lyon's court at New Brunswick yesterday, his chances cannot be said to be particularly bright.

Senator George S. Silzer appeared for the applicant, and asked that consideration be laid over for a week. Rev. W. A. Knox, of the Dunellen Methodist church, and Rev. Ernest O. Brown, of the Dunellen Presbyterian church, protested against this action. They said they had expected that the matter would be considered yesterday, and had come over for the purpose of protesting.

Rev. Mr. Brown handed in a petition of protest from members of his congregation, and Rev. Mr. Knox presented a similar one from his church, one from the Dunellen W. C. T. U. and others from private individuals.

Mr. Knox told the court that the place is not needed, that it is at one end of the town where there are few houses, and where its only source of patronage would be from employes of a factory. There are two licensed places in Dunellen now, the minister said, and he thought these sufficient. To establish another, he said, would add only to the trouble and expense of maintaining order in the borough.

"The court has already stated its policy not to grant new applications for license," said Judge Lyon, "and I cannot think that this will be an exception. Even before these protests were filed I had practically made up my mind."

Senator Silzer asked time to answer the protest before the court announced its decision.

"The case will be laid over for one week," said Judge Lyon, "to give the applicant an opportunity to be heard. The opponents need not appear at that time. If after hearing what the applicant has to say I desire to hear the other side, the matter will be adjourned for another week to give them the opportunity.

The place for which Mr. Shafer wants a license is the one formerly kept as a wholesale house by William Wyckoff, near the Levering and Garrigues Iron Works. Wyckoff served a term of sixty days in jail for selling at retail without a license which sentence was imposed by Judge Booraem.

Rev. Mr. Knox told the court this morning that if necessary he could get a petition against the place signed by three qurters of the citizens of Dunellen. The court intimated that he needn't bother.

**Starting the New Year Right.**

DeWitt P. Brokaw, of 38 Sycamore avenue, lost a bunch of keys and advertised the loss in The Daily Press. The keys were found by W. J. Ulmer, of 131 Elmwood place, who, seeing the advertisement, returned the lost property to the owner.

## CRUELTY CHARGES TRIED

### Thomas Hand and Herbert Van Fleet Defendants in City Court This Morning.

### MRS. VAN HOESEN PROSECUTES.

**Judge Runyon Reserves Decision Until Next Saturday—Dog Was Chicken Thief.**

The celebrated case of the N. J. S. P. C. A. against Thomas Hand and Herbert VanFleet was tried this morning before City Judge Runyon and after hearing witnesses on both sides of the question the judge reserved decision for a week. Mrs. Eva Van Hoesen, a member of the S. P. C. A. was the complainant against Hand and Van Fleet, and she was represented by W. A. Codington. Hand and Van Fleet were defended by Walter Hetfield, Sr.

According to the testimony given by the Kiely family, whose dogs were shot by Hand and Van Fleet, one of the dogs suffered with a great wound in the throat from Saturday, December 4, until Thursday, December 9, and it was on a charge of cruelty to this dog that Mrs. VanHoesen made the complaint. The animal was finally shot by Detective Sergeant John Flynn on the ninth of the month after a consultation between Mrs. VanHoesen, Veterinary Surgeon Carpenter and Sergeant Flynn.

Hand said that he had complained of these dogs for killing his chickens and on the morning of December 4 he found two of Kiely's dogs killing a fat hen in his chicken house. Knowing to whom the dogs belonged he went to Kiely's house and tried to see James Kiely, the owner of the dogs, but as he was not at home he notified Mr. Kiely's son of what had happened. The son, so Mr. Hand averred, told him to shoot the dogs. Hand thereupon sent for his hired man Van Fleet, who came, and afterwards sent for his gun and some shells and the two started for the Kiely place on South avenue to shoot the dogs.

In the melee one of the dogs was killed after being shot twice while the other one shot in the throat was able to crawl to Guttridge's barn, several hundred feet away, where it remained in hiding until it was found on Thursday. This part is where the charge of cruelty comes in. The men who shot the dogs should have assured themselves of the animal's death before leaving the premises. Mr. Hetfield pleaded for leniency for the two accused men and Mr. Codington said he would be satisfied if the judge would find they had been technically guilty of cruelty and impose a sentence in conformity with that finding. Judge Runyon will decide the case and render his verdict next Saturday.

## "MYSTERY PLAY" GIVEN AT HOLY CROSS CHURCH

Before an audience which completely filled the parish house of the Church of the Holy Cross last night the Junior Auxiliary of the parish assisted by Miss Louise Bristol, Mrs. George Warner, wife of the rector, and a dozen boys from the choir gave a most beautiful interpretation of an old English Mystery play and judging from the comments made at the end of the play it was the best performance ever given in this progressive church.

Mrs. Warner rendered several violin selections which were appreciated and Miss Bristol added charm to the music by her splendid singing. Miss Bristol was heard in duets with Allen Diman, an alto in the choir, and their blended voices was particularly pleasing. Will O'Brien presided at the piano with his usual skill and if applause had been permissible all these musicians would have received encores.

James Lindzey who had charge of the scenery made a success of his work and was ably assisted by William Little, who had the electrical effects completely under his command. The working of the electric lights had much to do with the success of the play.

A goodly sum was realized from the performance which will be devoted to the field of Domestic Missions.

The play had to do with the nativity of Christ and many of the scenes given showed that the Bible story had been faithfully followed. Marjory Heaton represented Mary and Grace Wakefield took the part of Joseph, and both were admirably acted. The presentation of gifts to the infant Saviour was remarkably well done. The whole play in fact was a pleasing thing to see.

## WILL VOTE ON SEWERS

### Borough Sewerage Commission Ready for Election for Necessary Bond Issue.

### MAYOR MAKES APPOINTMENTS.

**The Park Commission and Shade Tree Commission Are Named—Two New Call Men Are Announced.**

The tracks are now cleared for the borough to have sewers and all additional legal steps are to be gone through at a speedy clip in preparation for the special election for the issuance of bonds. William J. Buttfield, chairman of the sewer commission, who was present at the session, informed Mayor Smalley and the Council last night, that there was an understanding that the North Plainfield township committee was willing to establish the disposal beds at the Zvolnacw farm, which is located at the extreme westerly boundary of the township. The Township Committee will formally grant the petition at a meeting to be held at Watchung next Thursday afternoon.

Petitions to the committee and to the township Board of Health as prepared by Sherrerd Depew, Esq., counsel for the commission, were unanimously approved, and the documents will be submitted to the township authorities on Thursday. The petitions are identical in wording to the ones submitted last year. Mr. Buttfield explained the preparation of the new ones were necessary, in order to comply with all of the conformities of the law, relative to the establishment of sewerage plants. According to the law such petitions must be acted on in the same year as presented. The 1909 petitions were presented too late in the year for action to the township authorities, consequently they became invalid on January 1.

In order to rush matters along the Council authorized the commission to prepare petitions to submit to property owners in the borough for their signatures as soon as the township committee and Board of Health acts on the petition, in which permits will be granted for locating the disposal beds in the township. Six of these petitions will be prepared and circulated.

Before the arrival of Mr. Buttfield the Council confirmed the reappointment of the commission made by Mayor Smalley. The personnel of the commission is William J. Buttfield, J. O. Osgood, E. S. Boyer, John P. Emmons, C. L. Nicholl and Sherrerd Depew, of Newark, as counsel.

In the reappointment of the park commission, George T. Rogers, H. A. Bonn and Robert Clark, Jr., Mayor Smalley again advocated the establishment of a park in the western section of the borough along Greenbrook. He also suggested that the borough purchase sites of land, which are now apparently worthless, and utilize them for public parks. He called attention to a tract of land along Stony Brook, near the home of the late Colonel Wilson, which he believed was an excellent spot for a small park.

Mayor Smalley also lauded the labors of the Shade Tree Commission and reappointed H. C. White and John Barrett to continue in that capacity.

Three new call men were added to the fire department, the appointments being George Morton, Claude Hann and William Hogan.

Permission was given the New York Telephone Company to erect two poles facing the properties situated at 150 and 185 Grove street.

In the miscellaneous business Councilman Stahl reported expenditures of $40 in the fire department for the month; claims amounting to $53.25 were ordered paid.

**New Board Members.**

At the meeting of the Board of Trade Thursday night, the following were elected to membership: John Manley, Taylor J. Irwin, J. C. Thorn, John J. Swan, N. H. Stringham, W. E. Benjamin, Nelson A. Miller, H. A. Woodruff, Jas. L. Arrowsmith, W. C. MacNaughton, Jas. A. Ayers, John I. Brower, C. W. Fogarty, Chas. H. Dutcher, A. L. C. Marsh, W. J. Hudson, M. B. Stutsman, C. H. Hand, Jacob Sklarew, J. V. E. Vanderhoef, Dacey Richmond, F. E. Smith, E. Schloss Co., Dr. B. F. Leonard, Chas. Smith, P. A. McVoy, O. P. Crane, A. F. Marsh, Elmer E. Runyon.

**Hudson Touring Car at $1,150.**

The Hudson Motor Car. Co. have just brought out a new touring car selling at $1,150. Mr. Thompson, the local representative, says this will be a big surprise at the Garden show, as this car unlike others selling below $1,500, will have beauty and refinements found only in high grade cars. ***

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## WIFE'S DAILY RATIONS WERE TWO SANDWICHES

Because she had not had enough to eat for the past week Mrs. Anna Dilts raised a disturbance in the room she and her husband occupy at 304 West Second street, last night, and the scrap between the two was so violent that police headquarters was notified and Patrolman Flatley instructed to gather in the warring couple.

When the officer arrived on the scene of the conflict he found the room in disorder and a map of Hoboken engraved on the face of Charles Dilts, the husband. Broken crockery decorated the floor and other evidences of a mighty struggle were abundant.

In court this morning Mrs. Dilts told Judge Runyon that her food had consisted of two egg sandwishes a day for the past week and even that was grudgingly given. She would be very well satisfied if her husband would provide at least one square meal a day, but he didn't seem to be willing to give her enough money to buy the grub.

Dilts tried to explain that he was anxious to get to housekeeping and as his wife was ill she did not care to eat much and anyway they had a good time drinking beer at a certain hotel previous to the row and both were slightly under the influence of drink.

Judge Runyon believed that the wife had cause to raise a rumpus so he fined her husband $5 and suspended sentence in her case. She will have had a good hot meal before tonight.

## MAYOR'S MESSAGE DUE MONDAY NIGHT

Mayor Fisk will have some entirely new propositions to put before the taxpayers and will make a number of sound suggestions, which will be welcomed by the general public, in his annual message to be read at the Common Council meeting on Monday night. The message, it is reliably reported, covers nearly 100 typewritten pages and notwithstanding this the whole matter is condensed. Each department of the municipal government, in turn, is treated separately and some interesting facts and figures not generally known are given.

A general invitation is extended to all interested citizens to attend the Common Council meeting to hear this message. It will be well worth the while of any taxpayer to be present. The meeting will begin at 8 o'clock sharp and there is plenty of room for all.

**"THE QUEST OF QUESNAY" BY BOOTH TARKINGTON.**

The opening chapters of "The Guest of Quesnay," by Booth Tarkington, appear in this issue. "The Guest of Quesnay" tells the story of a pure woman's love and sacrifice for a debased, misled, pleasure loving man; it tells in captivating vein of picturesque Paris, too—of the cosmopolitan life of the famous capital. Its character sketches of continental society as well as peasantry are unmistakable in their picturing, and its romance, its mystery and its refreshing comedy give the same qualities to the novel that placed the author's "Monsieur Beaucaire" among the masterpieces of contemporaneous fiction.

**MISS ALTHEA VAIL DIES AT FORDHAM, N. Y.**

Miss Althea F. Vail, daughter of the late Samuel and Sarah Vail, died at the Fordham Home for Incurables, 183d street and Third avenue, New York city, on Thursday. Miss Vail was a life long members of the First Baptist church and is survived by one sister, Mrs. Philip Cottrell, of 612 East Second street.

The funeral will be held on Tuesday afternoon, January 11, at 2:30, from Mrs. Cottrell's residence. Miss Vail was taken to the Fordham Home about two years ago, when it was ascertained that her disease was incurable.

**Will Hold Special Services.**

Special services will be held at the Salvation Army headquarters tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, conducted by Mrs. Jackson, wife of Adjutant Jackson, who have recently come here to take charge of the industrial work of the army. The service will be in the nature of a welcome to Adjutant and Mrs. Jackson.

**Rev. Dr. Wilson to Preach.**

Rev. Dr. Wilson, who was pastor of a Baptist church at Long Branch for seven years, and who recently resigned, will occupy the pulpit at the Park Avenue Baptist church, tomorrow morning and night as a candidate.

## A FAREWELL "JAMBOREE"

### This Saloonkeeper Dispensed Liquor at Cut Rates on His "Last Night."

### AND GAVE IT AWAY TOO.

**Celebration Ended With Great Hilarity In Which Proprietor Is Punched By Rum-Crazed Guests.**

Fred Hetterick made his exit from the retail liquor business at Scotch Plains in a highly satisfied style to the drinking element of that village last night. Hettrick's license expired at midnight and his emporium is closed today, because of the opposition he encountered in his effort to secure a renewal of his license in the Union County Court.

Realizing that he had little chance of getting a renewal, Walter L. Hetfield, Hettrick's counsel, withdrew the application yesterday. This course will give Hettrick the privilege of filing another application, whereas if the application was refused the law would not permit him to apply for one year.

The closing ceremonies were noisy and exciting and many were the "woozey-woozey" heads in the village at daybreak this morning. Cut rates on all grades of stock prevailed and free drinks were thrown in by Hettrick every once in a while to keep things moving.

Fifteen cent whiskey was marked down, it is said to ten cents and the cheaper grades to five cents per glass. Beer was passed over the bar at the rate of two and three glasses for a nickel, it is reported.

At 11:50 o'clock, ten minutes before closing time, the real excitement of the occasion came. There was quite a quantity of the fiery fluid left, and Hettrick announced that all selling would stop and that the unconsummed stuff would be given away scot free.

This was too much for "Red Noze" Pete and "Mike the Bite" from Grassland Cave vicinity, who with some other members of the "jag brigade" made a rush for a full barrel. After the bunghole of the receptacle was tapped there was a wild scramble from all parts of the bar room. "Pat the Itch," a tramp character, "got too fresh" in his efforts to get his share of the spoils, and a fight resulted.

The climax came when Hettrick took a hand with a view of restoring peace. The result was that he was bounced about the bar room like a ship on an ocean wave by his rum-crazed guests, and in the riot he was severely beaten.

At this stage of the proceedings somebody put the lights out and the crowd dispersed. A few of the faithful, however, remained and divided the contents of the whiskey barrel.

Citizens of the village are highly elated over the outcome of the fight against Hettrick which was headed by the Rev. Franklin K. Mathiews, pastor of the Baptist church.

## MR. TRAVELL'S CRUSADE AGAINST THE CIGARETTE

Superintendent of School Ira W. Travell, of Morristown, formerly a member of the Plainfield High School faculty, is one of the chief leaders in a crusade against the sale of cigarettes to boys in that town.

The agitation against the sale of "coffin tacks" resulted in an order being issued by Chief of Police Halloway warning all storekeepers to desist in the practise.

Many boys who had been discovered smoking, and when questioned refused to furnish information to the crusaders, but since Chief Halloway's order the sales have been checked.

**Organ Recital in Grace Church.**

The organ recital to be given tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock by organist and choirmaster, S. Frederick Smith, of Grace Episcopal church, will comprise the following numbers: March of the Holy Grail, Wagner; Scherzo in G minor, Macfarlane; Slumber Song, Nevin, and Offertoire in D flat. Salome. The offertory anthem to be sung at the choral service at 4:30 will be Harris' "There Shall Come a Star."

**Borough Franchise Taxes.**

The December report of Tax Collector George Brown, of the borough, showed that North Plainfield received $1,272.28 for franchise taxes last year, divided as follows: Public Service Corporation, $742.47; Plainfield Water Company, $344.40; New York and New Jersey Telephone Company, $185.41.

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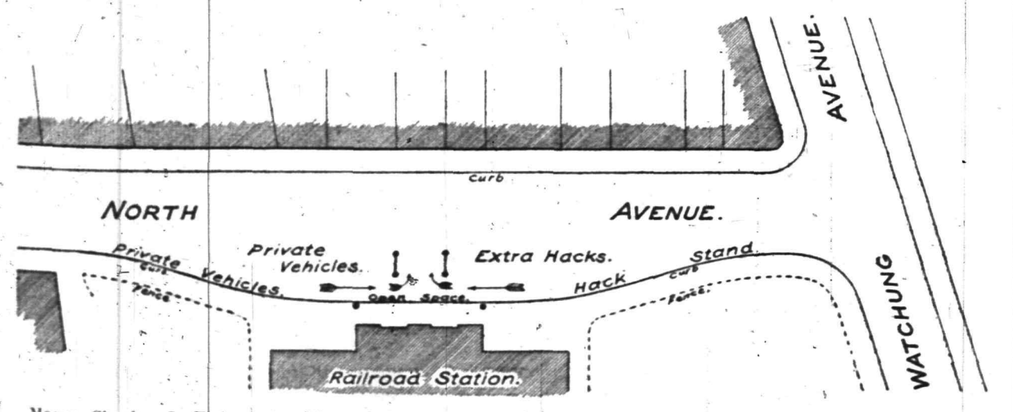
## NEW TRAFFIC REGULATIONS AT THE NORTH AVENUE STATION PUT IN FORCE TODAY




Mayor Charles J. Fisk met with the police committee of the Common Council and Chief of Police P. S. Kiely last night and adopted the new traffic regulations which are to be enforced at the North Avenue station. The regulations have been tried out during the past two nights and have been found excellent in their workings. Chief Kiely has been personally on the job and believes that the new arrangement will be of benefit to everybody concerned.

A diagram of the station and the approaches showing the points of approach and departure from the hack line is printed above so that none may be mistaken in the provisions, which are as follows:

Private vehicles waiting must stand in line at the west end of station with right side next curb, the first vehicle not beyond the west end main building. Public hacks will stand at east end, left side to curb, and first hack in line not beyond east end main building. A police pole will be placed at each of these points to plainly incidate the place, and a lighted green lantern will hang on the pole after dark.

Space on the curb between these points must be kept clear, and vehicles will only be allowed to stand while loading and unloading passengers. Hackmen must take first person applying and patrons are requested to take, as far as possible, first hack in line. No hack will be allowed to wait in hack line for any special person. These regulations are made for the good and convenience of all, and everyone is requested to comply and assist the officers in enforcing them.

By order of the Police Board.

P. S. KIELY, Chief of Police.

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Made of all wool plain and mixed materials; values up to $15.

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Superior quality, best skin; value $90.

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Full length, satin lined; value $30.

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In silk and wool at less than cost to make.
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**Ladies' Coats Long Covert Coats for $6.50**
Handsomely tailored, partly satin lined; value $8.50.

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Full length, coverts and mixtures; value $15.00.

**Ladies' Coats for $12.98**
Made of fine Broadcloth, full length, satin lined; values up to $18.

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17. Lonesome Land Song.
18. Gee, You're a Grand Little Girl.
19. Margarita.
20. Moon Bird.

At the Plainfield Theatre Next Monday Night.

In "The Flight of Princess Iris" at the Plainfield Theatre, Wednesday Night, January 12.

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

An absolutely unique play, a beautiful production and a splendid cast are promised in Channing Pollock's dramatization of "In the Bishop's Carriage," which is to appear at the Plainfield theatre on January 12. Nance Olden, the leading character, is a beautiful little thief, a sort of female raffles, who falls into the hands of a clever young criminal lawyer. He is in his way a Sherlock Holmes, and quickly sees under the reckless nonchalance of "Nance the Nipper" a longing for better things. It arouses his pity. He strikes off the shackles of crime which chain her to the past and shows her the way to respectability and, as pity is akin to love, the curtain descends on the lawyer and the thief girl facing a happy future. This fascinating role is played by Stephanie Longfellow, one of the most gifted of your younger actresses, whose work as Princess Yetive in "Graustark," brought her into national repute. The play has been elaborately staged by Baker & Castle.

Marshall P. Wilder, among other celebrities, has his biography in "Who's Who In Amecira." It is seldom that a press agent has to refer to its pages for press material, but that is what happened to the press agent at Manila when he had to do the advance work for Wilder on his recent trip around the world. The Manila press agent knew of course that Wilder was coming direct from the court of the Mikado, but he did not know his awful past. In despair he went to "Who's Who." There he found a conservative and dignified biography of the little man's triumphant procession through the world of society (with a big S) and published it verbatum. The result was that Wilder was received as the world's celebrity (which he is) in Manila, and also came near receiving a salute from the fort on his arrival. Mr. Wilder will positively appear at every performance with Mildred and Rouclere, the illusionists, as a special added attraction. The date here is January 12.

## N. Y. AMUSEMENTS.

A three-fold interest is attached to the appearance of the comedian Francis Wilson, in the comedy "The Bachelor's Baby" at the Criterion theatre next Monday night. This season Mr. Wilson comes to New York as author, stage director and chief actor in a three-act comedy that has appealed to those who have seen and heard it rather more for its genuine note of humanness—for a kindly, homely quality of humor than for any of that farcical comedy with which Francis Wilson has been so long associated. It is something for a comedian who has scrambled to the heights of fame and because of the eccentricity of his legs to develop naturally into a legitimate comedian of wit as well as humor by a persistent experiment in a better form of stage comedy. It is real progress to advance from the buffoonery of "Erminie" to the intelligent humor and likely reality of "The Bachelor's Baby."

Little Mary L. Clark, of Buffalo, N. Y., attended the matinee performance at the New York Hippodrome this afternoon, having made a special trip covering 500 miles in order to see the show. Little Miss Clark is the daughter of Thomas M. Clark, general manager of Norman E. Mark's publications, including the Buffalo Daily and Sunday Times, the National Monthly, etc. Little Mary Clark's visit to the Hippodrome was the fulfillment of a promise made to the child by her parents last 4th of July, on which day the little girl was badly burned while playing with fireworks, so that for months afterwards her life was despaired of. Mr. and Mrs. Clark returned to Buffalo after the matinee performance the day, fulfillment of the promise made to their little daughter costing $1[illegible] for the one day's visit to New York and the New York Hippodrome.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. Dr. H. M. Pogson, of New York, will preach at the First Baptist church, tomorrow, morning and night.

Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church, will preach his annual New Year's sermon at the morning service tomorrow.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church will meet tomorrow night at 6:45 o'clock. The topic will be "Bringing Others to Christ," and the leader will be Miss A. VanCleef.

Rev. Dr. Halliday made a short address at the quarterly meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, yesterday afternoon. At the same time letters were read acknowledging the receipt of missionary boxes.

### Taken Back to Asylum.

Elizabeth, Jan. 8.—Detective Nolan, with Policemen Savage and Fuller, Thursday night captured at the parents' home, 528 First avenue, Henry Baier, twenty-nine years old, a fugitive from the Morris Plains Insane Asylum, from which he recently escaped. He was lodged in the Union County Jail and yesterday was taken back to the asylum. He is unmarried.

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### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

A joint meeting of the missionary societies of the Methodist church will be held at the parsonage Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Frances E. Gardner has resumed her studies at Englewood after spending the holidays with her parents.

Miss Carolyn Mattis substituted for Miss Ethel Rogers at the Whittier School owing to the latter's illness.

Charles H. Thornton, who went to Europe for his health, will return the middle of next month.

B. Siriski and family have taken possession of their new house on Lincoln avenue.

The Woman's Missionary Circle raised $70 during last year for missionary circles.

Miss Merle Randolph has returned home after a visit with relatives on Staten Island.

I. P. Hull has taken a position with an iron works in Philadelphia.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The John Sobeiski society have decided on holding a dance on January 22. The members of the society are exerting all their energies to make this the most successful dance that has been held in a number of years.

Three beautiful statues were presented to the Sacred Heart church as a New Year's gift by an unknown friend.

William Norman is making extensive improvements on his property here.

Miss Lillian Hogan is suffering from an attack of grip.

Miss Lorene Harris is suffering from a slight illness.

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Miss McGowan, of the corps of teachers at the school, was taken ill while spending her holiday vacation at her home in Pennsylvania and was unable to resume her work when school opened Tuesday morning. Mrs. Thomas M. Paff, Jr., has been acting as substitute teacher during her absence.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be held at the usual hours: Morning preaching, 10:45; vesper service, 4 p. m.; B. Y. P. U. meeting, 7:15 in the evening.

Emil Jahn, who has been spending the holidays with his mother, Mrs. Robert Jahn, of Park avenue, has returned to his studies at Syracuse University, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hollingsworth, who have been visiting Mrs. Hollingsworth's mother, Mrs. John R. Marsh, have returned to their home at Buffalo, N. Y.

Several hundred invitations have been sent out by the Bachelors' Club for its fourth dance, which will be held Tuesday night in the hall.

Joseph Alberts, of Westfield avenue, has been detained at home for several days on account of an affliction of the throat.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harper and children, of Front street, are visiting relatives in Brooklyn.

Rev. Mr. Hollingshead will lead the weekly prayer meeting tonight at the Mthodist church.

### $200,000,000 IN A BIG NATURAL GAS PROJECT.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 8.—A deal which involves approximately $200,000,000, and by which New York capital, said to be backed by the Standard Oil Company, will control the entire gas output of West Virginia, has practically been closed.

For some time the New York interests have controlled the gas situation throughout the northern and central parts of the State, and by the new deal they will gain control of the Southern fields also.

The deal involves the United Fuel Gas Company of Pittsburg, which only recently took over the extensive holdings of the United States Natural Gas Company in this State at the Columbia Gas Company, which supplies Cincinnati; the Interstate Gas Company, the Ohio Fuel Supply and others, all of which draw their supply from southern West Virginia. It is said to be the intention of the New York men to pipe gas to New York, Philadelphia and other seaboard cities.


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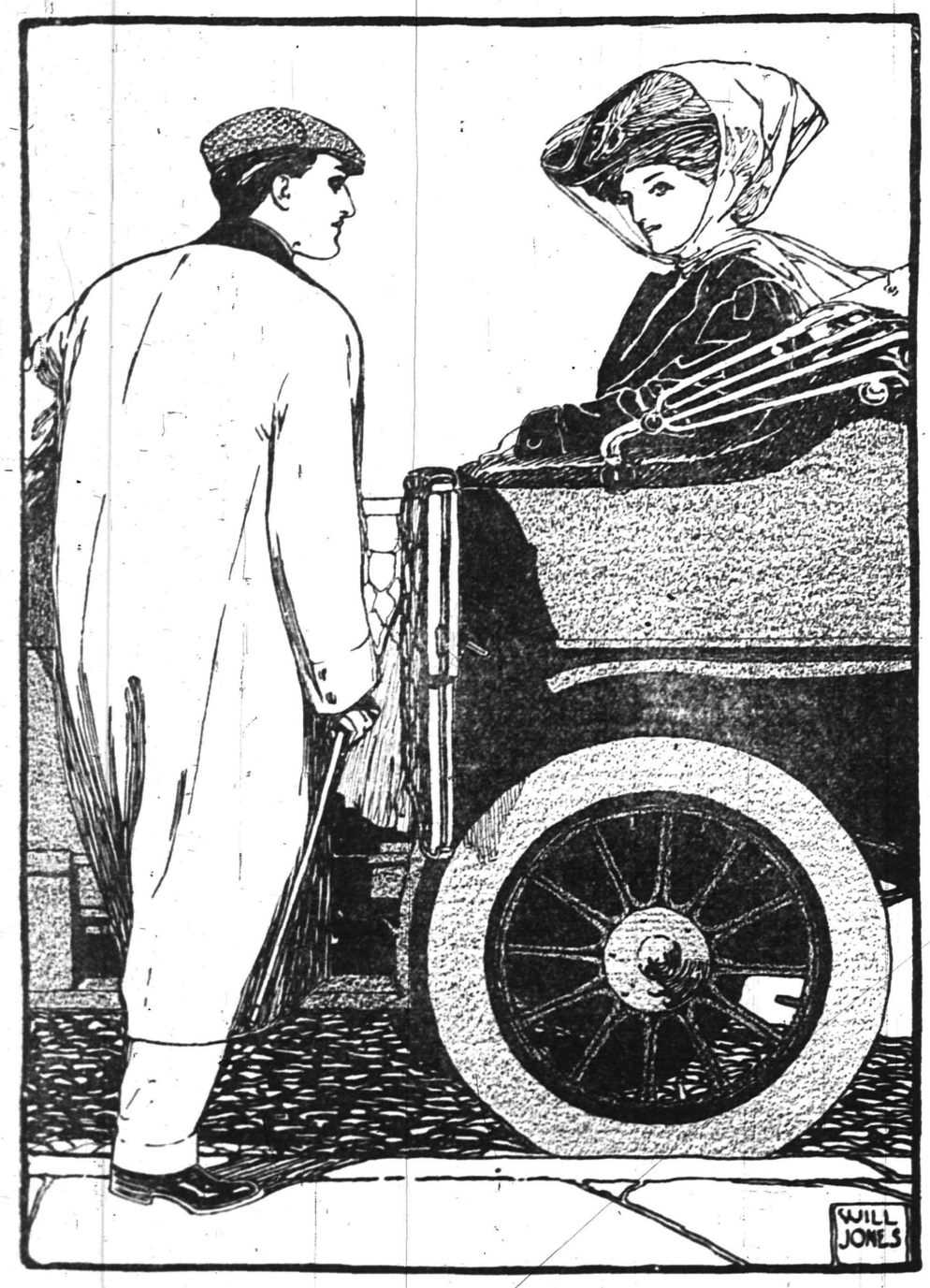


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# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## GOLF.

Unless the present situation changes before the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association in New York, January 27, the amateur championship is likely to be awarded to the Country Club, of Brookline, the suburban Boston organization, which has tendered the use of its lately improved links. The contest is due geographically in the New England section in 1910.

The Chicago Golf Club, of Wheaton, Ill., where the same event was held this year, has offered its course for the national open championship.

No direct tender has been made for the women's championship, but four clubs have extended the use of their courses for any event—the Fox Hills Club, of Staten Island, N. Y.; the Essex County Club, of Manchester-by-the-Sea, Mass.; the Atlantic City (N. J.) Country Club, and the Philadelphia Cricket Club.

It is believed that the decision of the Metropolitan Golf Association to do what it can in the way of codifying local rules will start the thinkers to work in other sections. The Royal and Ancient Golf Club furnishes the following recommendations for local rules:

When necessary, local rules should be made for such obstructions as trees, hedges, fixed seats, fence gates, railways and walls; for such difficulties as hoofmarks and other damage done by animals, and for such local conditions as the existence of mud, which may be held to interfere with the proper playing of the game.

Many of the clubs have printed on the back of the score card the local rules, while at others it is necessary for the home golfer to instruct the visitor as to the rules as they journey round the course. A suggestion has been made that a small sign be attached to the tee box on every hole indicating the local rule governing such hole. These signs would doubtless be a blessing, not only to strangers, but to many home players as well, who will not take the time to acquaint themselves even with the rules peculiar to their course.

Word has been received that Willie Anderson, open champion of the Western Golf Association, has been engaged for the coming season by the Philadelphia Cricket Club. Last season Anderson had a green at St. Louis, but he gave this up because of a desire to return East. It was while at Apawamis that this redoubtable player won the national open three times in succession. He is again spending the winter at St. Augustine, being assisted by his brother Tom. The best eighteen-hole score made there this winter is 70, by Willie Anderson, who returned two 35's. Tom has made 71 going out in 34 and home in 37.

**Wagner For First Base.**

Hans Wagner will not be a "has-been" as soon as the dope has him slated for the baseball infirmary. For some time the fact that Wagner no longer is a spring chicken has been patent to President Dreyfuss and Manger Clarke. But where to find the fountain of perpetual youth that should keep strong and sinewy the greatest player of all? Whence the preservation of those qualities that had been so much lauded, and proved so valuable to the Pittsburg club? Finally, a happy idea struck the genial Barney—or perhaps the astute, non-garrulous Clarke. Anyway, it was born between these two, and either one of them may be proud to be known as the father of the plan. As revealed during one of Mr. Dreyfuss' recent visits to Cincinnati, the play simply is this: Use Wagner at first base. Doesn't sound like a big thing—but it is.

**Exhibition and Basketball Game.**

A gymnastic exhibition and basketball game will be held under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium classes on Monday night, January 31, at the Y. W. C. A. There will also be folk dances in costume.

## PERSONAL.

Frank Krewson, of Summit avenue, is detained at home by illness.

Fred Hall, of this city, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Hall, of Readington.

Mrs. Charles Winn and children, of the borough, have returned from a visit at East Millstone.

Miss Stella Kline, of Somerset street, has returned home from a visit in Washington, D. C.

Mrs. M. E. Edgerton, of East Front street, is registered at the Belmont Hotel, New York city.

James R. Joy, of the borough, who has been absent from the city on business, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Waldron, of this city, have returned from a visit with relatives at South Branch.

William Kitchen, who has been visiting his father, John Kitchen, of this city, has returned to Boston, Mass.

Miss Anna Case, soprano, and Miss Jessamine Burd, contralto, will be among the artists at a concert to be given in the Second Reformed church, Somerville, February 24.

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1821—James Longstreet, distinguished soldier, born in Edgefield district, South Carolina; died Jan. 2, 1904.

1849—George Croghan, hero of the battles of Tippecanoe, Fort Meigs and Sandusky, died in New Orleans; born 1791.

1902—General Francis J. Herron, noted Federal officer in the civil war, died; born 1840.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:46, rises 7:20; moon rises 5:58 a. m.; planet Mercury visible; 9 p. m., planet Neptune at opposition with the sun, 180 degrees therefrom in either direction.

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By Druid

Good morrow! doubtful stranger, good New Year!
Janus-faced firstling of cold Janiveer!
What cheer wilt bring to me this time, I wonder?
Will February, mocking, snow me under
Till March shall smite me with his bitter blow?
April will find me still her Fool, I know.
Ah, if kind May will bring her blossomy boon,
And glow my heart into a radiant June!
Let July zephyrs waft their soothing balm,
And August's mellowing mood all frettings calm.
May sweet September's sunset solace spread
To gild October's gloom o'er summer fled;
Then, should November bring me wintry woes,
I'll hail December's Merry Christmas close.
(So we suppose, but, Lord! who knows?)

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One's main regret that Uncle Sam so complacently keeps on losing that trifle of $63,000,000 every year on his second-class mail business, is that he doesn't make the odd three millions of a Christmas gift to the sixty millions and let us all fetch our own mail. Then there's his yearly deficit of $28,000,000 on rural free delivery. It's a free country, of course, yet taxpayers somehow have to fork out a pretty penny pretty often to pay for the various sorts of freedom we enjoy. Uncle Sam should set his genius to work to devise plans by which these deficits would have to be paid solely by those who luxuriate on second class mail stuff, and not by those who like it the better the less they get of it. In these latter days it costs more and more to buy the liberty of living. But the cry is: "Don't compel us to pay for smuggling foreign made luxuries; we demand the freedom to spend our pin money in ways that don't benefit our working folk, brothers and sisters."

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Here comes the beautiful, beautiful snow in full feathery fall. So exquisitely soft, as it hardens your sole, so gentle in its fondling of us, so tonic and inspiring as it insinuates itself between collar and neck and evaporates in its progress down the tingling spine. How good housewifelike it spreads its sheet over the beds of grass and absentee flowers. How droll its whim to blanket earth's floor with its snowy sheet as a carpet, which becomes a stretcher when you spy your feet between your eyes and the sky. The humour of Merry old Father Christmas is delightful, when you tumble to it. Why do we call harmless October the "fall?" It's a shameful libel. But we do usually rise again and the leaves don't. Unless we are what they call "snow dunder."

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Among the cheapest and stalest newspaper "jokes" are those loaded on the back of our old bogey the sea serpent. The fancied "joke" is that because the creature has not been caught and clapped into a dime museum; there aint no sich a thing, not nohow. The poverty of this substitute for humour is as lamentable as the absence of faith in things unseen. Nothing so conspicuously brands the simpleton who sneers at the sea serpent as his provincial delusion that what is beyond his sight as a native of Waybackville, is therefore non-existent and inconceivable. Having in my time swallowed innumerable eels in stews and pies, fried and spitchcocked, I hold that I have given comfortable inside accommodation to perhaps a sea serpent a mile or two long, if he had not kindly offered himself in convenient instalments. If eels inhabit gentle rivers and giant eels the sea, if whales are a reality and not a delusion, if we dig up the bones and fossils of sixty-feet long amphibious creatures which we thoughtlessly say are extinct because we don't see them gallivanting off Coney Island, then none but a sheer fool can doubt the possible and probable existence of land animals and deep sea inhabitants as yet wise enough not to court acquaintance with mere two-legged midges who mistake themselves for godlings.

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Of course the aforesaid sceptic on sea snakes knows all about the "extinct" dinosaur, so I need not describe it. Within the last two or three months sundry natives of British Africa have told of seeing a strange animal or animals in certain districts. The following is quoted from the London correspondent of the "Sun." The creature is described as a huge monster, half elephant, half dragon, dwelling in the depths of the great swamps, and may be some kind of dinosaur seemingly akin to the Brontesaurus.

"On December 14, the dinosaur reasserted himself in the columns of the Bulawayo Chronicle. A correspondent of that paper declares that he has investigated the matter and has met two natives who affirm in the most positive manner that they have actually seen the dinosaur. Neither of these natives knew the other and both were shown separately a number of sketches, some wholly imaginary and others constructed from illustrations of prehistoric reptiles.

"Both natives immediately picked the same sketch as closely resembling the monster they had seen. Each, however, called the attention of the sketcher to the omission in his picture of what from their description would appear to be something in the nature of propulsory flippers.

"The creature is supposed to inhabit a lake between the rivers Lunga and Kafoe. Juding from the description given by the two natives it would seem to possess the head and tail of a crocodile, the horns of a rhinoceros, the neck of a python and the body of a hippopotamus, with the addition of propulsory flippers. Thus one specimen would in itself form a very fair mixed bag of big game."


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## MOURN FOR DR. RICHARDS

(Continued from page 1.)

Brazil and other central points, showing the great need for more work in mission effort. The speaker referred to the moral condition of South America, which he said it would be impossible for him to explain before such an audience. In view of the conditions as found, Dr. White felt sure that the church has a great message to send to the people of South America. He gave a number of interesting facts which were obtained from Mr. Speer, showing the character of the priesthood in South America. The speaker said that he did not believe the Roman Catholic church in South America was representative of that church everywhere.

At the week of prayer service at Hope chapel, last night, F. H. Andrews, who was in charge, made personal reference to the death of Dr. Richards. He was a close friend of the departed minister and spoke of him in terms of great affection, telling of his unfailing interest not only in the Crescent Avenue church, where he was pastor for eighteen years, but in the work at the chapel. Other remarks of an informal nature were made concerning Dr. Richards.

Following the meeting at the Crescent Avenue church, last night, the session decided to hold a memorial service for Dr. Richards at the church on Sunday night, January 16. The plans are not definitely arranged, but due announcement will be made giving the names of the speakers and other information.

The New York Tribune under the title of "A Living Example," paid this tribute to Dr. Richards in this morning's issue:

"The death of the pastor of the Brick Presbyterian church, yesterday, ended a life of much sweetness and beauty and a public career of more than ordinary usefulness to the community. There are probably other ministers in this city who are better known to the general public, but it may be doubted if there is one who has labored more earnestly or more efficiently to do the real work of the pastor of a numerous, needful and exacting congregation. The church which was his is one of the historic churches of New York, and it is one which has not declined with age but rather has continued to increase in numbers and influence, in the variety and scope of its activities, and therefore in the demands which it makes upon its pastor's time and strength. How well Dr. Richards served it, as spiritual exhorter and guide, as intellectual instructor, as administrator of practical affairs and in the tender and intimate personal relationships of sympathy and consolation, cannot be told but must be deeply realized by those who had the privilege of association with him.

"The example of his life affords what should be a convincing answer to those who are quaveringly inquiring how the churches are to be filled and how the people are to be interested in them. Here was a preacher who sought no adventitious aids to attract attention, yet who never lacked a great and deeply interested congregation. Here was a pastor who never indulged in exploits outside the limits of pastorale duty, yet who never was distressed by desertions from his parish. Here was a religious teacher who sought no new fantasies of faith and who discarded none of the vital and robust doctrines of his belief, and yet who never had occasion to lament the decline of faith or the failure of Christianity to lay hold upon the hearts and lives of men and women. His was a living example of the way in which to make the churches prosperous and Christianity a triumphant force in the world; and it will remain a living and potent example in his death as it was in his life.

### DR. RICHARDS.

Living among us many happy years,
He preached in life and word "Good will to men."
We knew his sweetness and his greatness—then,
As thousands know and see them now, through tears.
Our sorrow is as their's,—and yet one fears
To ask "Why not the three score years and ten'
For him?" He never queried "Why?" nor "When?"
'Where is thy sting?" is all the cry one hears.

Ours is the precious memory of those days,
When boy he seemed as well as priest and man.
His ready smile, his blue eyes, piercing, sad,
His voice, that loved the tuneful song to raise;
We do not these forget, nor ever can.
He dwelt among us long: let us be glad! M. C. P.

### NURSE CRUSHED BY ELEVATOR.

**Caught Between Car Floor and Ceiling—Body Fell Twenty Feet.**

Miss May Coombe, twenty-one years old, a student nurse in the Mercer Hospital's training school, was caught between the floor of the elevator and a ceiling and crushed yesterday at Trenton. She died shortly after the accident without having regained consciousness.

The accident was caused by Miss Coombe having turned the operating wheel of the elevator too far in her effort to raise the lift a little after she had stopped it.

Nurses about the hospital heard a cry of agony from the unfortunate woman. They rushed to the elevator shaft just in time to see the unconscious form being carried upward. At the second floor her body was released, and it fell to the base of the shaft, a distance of twenty feet.

Andrew Vanderbeek, of the borough, who has been detained at home with a severe attack of lumbago, is able to be out again.

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## RAHWAY MAN'S DEATH WAS CAUSED BY BLOW

Rahway, Jan. 8.—Former Mayor C. B. Holmes held his first official coroner's inquest Thursday. It was on the case of Sylvester J. Kelley, who died within two hours after being received into the Alexian Brothers' Hospital, at Elizabeth, three weeks ago. Conflicting stories have been in circulation since his death, stating, among other things, that he was seriously injured six weeks previously, while at work in the Royal manufacturing plant, this city, and another report stating that he died from an overdose of medicine.

It was learned at the trial Thursday that an examination by the authorities at the hospital, and by County Physician Westcott, showed the man's skull had been fractured and a tumor had formed on the brain.

The jury Thursday was composed of R. D. Uhler, Walter C. Ayers, John Van Beuren, William Bunhard and W. A. Clark. Charles Addison Swift, prosecutor, officiated. The witnesses called were Dr. Otto Wagner, Dr. Lynch, of the Alexian Hospital; Dr. G. E. Gallaway, Mrs. Robert Keyes, nurse; Maurice Inman, Stanley Eiserman, Samuel Hummiston, W. J. Schoenfield and John Marsh. The jury adjourned to inspect the works where the accident occurred.

The substance of the verdict rendered after inspection by the jury was that death resulted from a blow received on the head from a revolving ball on the indicator at the boiler, the result of an accidental collision with the same, September 25. The result may have been hastened by an overdose of medicine taken by himself to cure his headache.

### EDISON SEES GREAT DAY BUT IT'S LONG WAY OFF.

Thomas A. Edison has taken a peep into the future, and prophesies that the world will be a much better one, particularly for the poor man, 200 years from now. In an interview, published here, he says:

"In 2110, by the cheapening of commodities, the ordinary laborer will live as well as a man does now with $200,000 annual income. Automatic machinery and scientific agriculture will bring about this result. There will be no manual labor in the factories of the future. The men employed will all be superintendents, watching the machinery, to see that it works right.

"The work-day will be eight hours or less. It will be work with the brain, done in wholesome, pleasant surroundings. Less and less man will be used as an engine or as a horse.

"The clothes of the future, by the way, will be so cheap that every young woman will be able to follow the fashions promptly, and there will be plenty of fashions.

"The aeroplane of the future will, I think, have to be on the helicopter principle. A successful air machine must be able to defy the winds. If the Wright brothers' aeroplane had one-twentieth of its surface the wind would not affect it. The helicopter principle is the only way to rise above atmospheric conditions. By increasing the velocity of propeller revolutions the size of the machine can be diminished, and thereby we vanquish the hostility of the wind. A helicopter could have foot-size planes distributed on a 100 to 150-foot circle and controlled from the centre by wires.

"Society will have to stop this whiskey business, which is like throwing sand in the bearings of a steam engine.

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"That's just it. I have had trouble enough with a solid south."—Washington Evening Star.

### Luck.

"Does you believe it's lucky to see de new moon over yoh right shoulder?"

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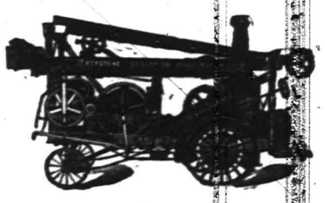

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**Baptist.**

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Park Avenue—10:30, sermon, Rev. Dr. Wilson, of Long Branch; 2:45, Bible school; 7:45, sermon, Dr. Wilson.

**Temple—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor**—2:45, Sunday-school; 2:45, Baraca class; 11:00, preaching, subject, "Possibilities Through Divine Power;" 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching, subject, "Forgiving and Forgetting."

**Mt. Olive—M. W. Vaughan, D. D., pastor—11:00, preaching. 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.**

**Ebenezer**—Rev. G. E. Scruggs, pastor. 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., preaching; 2:00, Sunday-school.

**Calvary—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—10:45, preaching; 3:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.**

Shiloh—Rev. Edward Roberts, pastor, will preach at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

**Reformed.**

**Trinity**—Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor; Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor-emeritus—10:30, topic, "The Secret of Blessedness;" 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class; 6:45, Christian Endeavor meeting, topic, "Bringing Others to Christ;" leader, Miss Abbie VanCleef; 7:45, topic, "Shall We Recognize Each Other in Heaven."

Netherwood Reformed Church, Leland and Midway avenues—Royal A. Stout, pastor in charge—10:30, preaching by James T. Venckiassen, of New Brunswick Theological Seminary; 11:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching by Mr. Venckiassen.

**German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; no evening service.**

**Marconnier chapel—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00 Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.**

**Presbyterian.**

First Presbyterian—Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor—11:00, preaching by the pastor; 10:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching by the pastor.

**Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridon Zelie, pastor—12:00, Sunday-school, 10:30, preaching; 7:45, preaching; the organist, R. Laslett Smith, will give an organ recital every Sunday evening from 7:30 to 7:45.**

**Hope chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—10:30, preaching; 7:45, communion service.**

**Warren chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—10:30, preaching; 8:00, preaching.**

**Bethel chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. 2 p. m., 25th anniversary services.**

**Episcopal.**

Grace Church—Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector; Rev. Elory G. Bowers, assistant. 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. First Sunday, Holy Communion and sermon; 4:00 p. m., organ recital; 4:30 p. m., Choral Evensong and sermon.

**Church of the Heavenly Rest**—Rev. Cortlandt H. Mallery, rector—8:00, Holy Eucharist; 11:00, matins and sermon (Holy Eucharist first Sunday in the month). 7:30 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

**St. Stephen's—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 7:45, evensong.**

Holy Cross Church—Rector, Rev. Geo. A. Warner. Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 every Sunday morning; 9:45, Sunday-school; 10:00, rector's Bible class for young men; 11:00, morning prayer and sermon; 7:45, evensong and sermon. On the first Sunday of the month a second celebration of Holy Communion at the 11:00 o'clock service.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Sunday evening, 8:00, Evensong and sermon; Holy Communion on the Third Sunday in the month at 7:30 a. m.

**Methodist Episcopal.**

First—Rev. Dr. Charles M. Anderson, pastor—2:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching by the pastor, "A New Year's Sermon;" men's Bible class meets after close of morning service, Nelson Miller, teacher; 7:00, Epworth League; 7:45, preaching by pastor.

Monroe Avenue M. E.—Rev. Charles S. Kemble, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, p. m., Sunday-school; 7:15, Epworth League; 8:00, preaching.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Ora J. Shoop, pastor—10:30, communion and reception of new members; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, topic, "The God of the Second Chance."

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. John T. Diggs, pastor—11:00, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 8:00, preaching.

**Roman Catholics.**

**St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.**

**St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.**

**Congregational.**

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching by the pastor, subject, "John's Two Thoughts of Jesus;" 11:45, honor day in the Sunday-school; 7:45, a New Year's sermon, singing led by young people's chorus.

**Swedish Evangelical Pilgrim church**—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, Sunday-school; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching.

**Friends.**

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

**Lutheran.**

St. Peter's Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street and Mercer avenue—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, sermon in English first Sunday in each month, all other Sundays in German; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**

Babcock Building—Service 11:00 a. m., preaching.

**Unitarian.**

**All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, sermon by the pastor; Sunday-school at 12 o'clock.**

**Not Classified.**

**Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30.**

**Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting at the hall; 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class in hall; 8:00 p. m., great salvation meeting conducted by Mrs. Jackson, wife of Adjutant Jackson. Special music.**

There will be preaching of the Gospel at 209 East Front street at 7:30 p. m.

**Plainfield Rescue Mission—In W. C. T. U. rooms, 7:45, Bethany Mission workers in charge and W. W. Morrison will speak.**

**West End Tabernacle—3:00 p. m., Sunday-school and Baraca class; 8:00 p. m., Gospel address by Hughes Fawcett.**

W. C. T. U.—4:00, Meeting in charge of Bethany Mission workers, of Brooklyn.

Y. W. C. A.—4:00 p. m., vesper service.

**Wilson Memorial Chapel—7:45, an address.**

# MR. FOWLER GIVES HIS FINANCE VIEWS

In the form of facts and figures, Charles N. Fowler, of Elizabeth, representative in Congress from the Fifth District of this State, makes known in The Atlantic Monthly for January his ideas for "Essential Financial and Banking Reforms." The public has already in a measure been made familiar with Congressman Fowler's ideas while he was chairman of the Banking and Currency Committee of the House. But in The Atlantic Monthly article he presents his ideas in even more concise and effective form. He considers his whole subject under "governmental finance," "banking," "currency," "reserves," "unification of our banks," "savings." The United States Treasury should "cease exercising all banking functions;" it should be "relieved from the burden of maintaining $346,000,000 of United States notes on a parity with gold by the retirement of these United States notes." Two hundred million dollars, uncovered by gold, should be converted into gold certificates. The $600,000,000 silver certificates should be turned into one and two dollar certificates and silver dollars coined into subsidiary coin, and further purchase of silver for small coin lessened. National bank notes, now amounting to "more than $700,000,000, should be redeemed, not by the government at the Treasury, but by the banks themselves over their own counters." The government should not be engaged in "the collateral loan business." The government should "accept the checks and drafts of national banks," its creatures, in "payment of all obligations due it." The government "should not draw a check upon itself, but upon its banking agent."

In maintaining a currency to meet the demand of contracting and expending business there should be provision for a reserve system and a currency which independently of each other contract and expand, and yet reciprocate to meet demands. "From an economic point of view," says Mr. Fowler, "our currency system has been no currency system at all." The measure of bank credit should be gold and of the bank reserve also, and "gold alone" in order to prevent inflation by the use of forms of credit. The forty-seven States furnishing as many kinds of banking laws should have uniform laws. It is also pointed out that a simplified, harmonious system should be evolved not only for the sake of economy and protection to commerce, but to prevent the use of the people's savings indiscriminatingly for speculative purposes. Finally, "geographically, politically, economically and practically the establishment of a central bank in the United States today is unthinkable; unless the sole purpose of starting such an institution is to serve some special interest to the incalculable and never-ending injury and cost of the American people."

## MAN RUN OVER AND KILLED BY AUTOMOBILE.

### Horse Threw Rider and Rear Wheel Passed Over His Chest.

Robert Lieber, twenty-seven years old, of Rockaway, was run over by an automobile owned by the Morris County Traction Company at Rockaway, yesterday morning, and died in Morristown Memorial Hospital late yesterday afternoon. Lieber was riding a horse when he met the automobile coming toward Morristown. The horse was skittish, and the chauffeur of the machine, Robert Buchana, of Dover, turned out into the gutter, but the horse threw Lieber under the machine, and one of the rear wheels passed over his chest.

In the car was General Manager Henry H. Archer, of the traction company, and he sent the machine after physicians. Dr. Flagg, of Rockaway, ordered Lieber's removal to the hospital, and he was brought there in the automobile. The physicians found that the man was suffering from a ruptured windpipe, and could do nothing to save his life. Coroner Francis H. Glazebrook secured an ante-mortem statement from Lieber in which he exonerated Buchanan from all blame, and the coroner deems an inquest unnecessary. Lieber leaves a wife.

# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The birds from the Sunswick Poultry Farm here were very successful at the Baltimore Poultry Show, winning twenty-one prizes. The birds were in charge of Manager John Arnot and the owner, Rufus Delafield.

George May, formerly of this place, is now managing the Kellerstras Poultry Farm near Kansas City, Mo.

The roll of honor of the local school for the month of December is as follows: Primary department—Miss Lulu M. Cosen, teacher, Martin Kaine, Gilbert Solt, Judson TenEyck, George Woodin, Theodore Pace, the Misses Ruth Boss, Margaret Kaine, Elizabeth Horan, Anna Hamilton, Bertha Pyatt, Esther Shields, Rilla Waldron. Intermediate department, Miss M. Soper teacher—Grace Boss, Mary Nelson, Rose Horan, Helen Richards and Alfred Wodin. Grammar department, Miss J. DeBor, teacher—Nellie Harlow, Lena Pyatt, Peter McDonough.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

## FOUR-YEAR-OLD GIRL SHOT.

### Man Whose Pistol Was Found Near Her Held As Witness.

Michael Conte, a mason builder, of No. 39 Cone street, Orange, is locked up in the Orange police station as a witness to a peculiar shooting which occurred yesterday morning in his boarding house, and in which Katherine, the four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donato Gabrielle, was shot through the right lung. The pistol from which the bullet came belonged to Conte, and he was the only one near when the shooting occurred. He disappeared soon after the affair, but gave himself up yesterday afternoon when he learned that the police were looking for him.

The child was wounded a few minutes after 7 o'clock yesterday morning, when the family was just rising for the day. Conte, the injured child and its sister and another boarder were the only ones dressed at the time. Conte was outside his room, about to wipe his hands after washing them, he said, when he and the rest of the family were startled by a shot. Running to his room, where he heard the shot, Conte saw the child on the floor, screaming with pain. His own pistol, which he had kept in a trunk, was on the floor by her side, with one chamber discharged.

## MONEY IN CIRCULATION.

*Washington, Jan. 8.*—Thirty-four dollars and eighty-three cents is what every man, woman and child in the United States ought to have if the $3,122,154,538 which is in circulation were equally divided among them. That is the statement made by the Treasury Department on the basis of an estimated population of 89,644,000. The total amount of money in circulation is about $30,000,000 more than a year ago at this time.

Of the total amount of national bank notes outstanding, viz., $710,354,253, that secured by bonds amounts to $683,401,523, the remainder being secured by lawful money. The total amount of national bank notes outstanding is about $33,000,000 more than a year ago.


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## DIED

VAIL—In New York city, on Thursday, January 6, 1910, Althea F., daughter of the late Samuel and Sarah Vail.

Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. Philip Cottrell, 612 East Second street, on Tuesday, January 11, at 2:30 p. m.

MILLER—On Thursday, January 6, 1910, Henry Kempster, son of the late Joseph and Esther Kempster Miller.

Services at his late residence, 919 East Seventh street, on Sunday, January 9, at 2 p. m. 1 7 2


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# Classified Advertisements

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—Experienced girl in family of three; must be good cook and laundress; with references. Call today or Sunday at 48 Albert street, one block from West Front St.

WANTED—White girl to do general housework. Call today or Sunday before 10 a. m., at 99 Rockview avenue.

WANTED—Girl who understands all kinds of sewing. Call 424 West Front St. 1 7 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Corey, 736 Carlton Ave. 1 7 2

WANTED—Girl for general housework, at 772 Kensington Ave. 1 7 3

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 6 3

WANTED—Competent white girl as cook and laundress; references required. 718 Madison Ave. 1 6 tf

GIRL wanted for chamber work and waiting (white); must have good references. Apply evenings, 41 Sycamore avenue. 1 6 3

WANTED—Two girls, one for cooking, washing and ironing; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 5 tf

GENERAL houseworkers wanted immediately, white and colored; also cook and laundress, colored. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue. 1 8 2

WANTED—A neat young white girl to assist with care of child; good reference. 90 Myrtle Ave. 1 3 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

LADY, experienced typewriter, wants position; in last employment five years. 7 Grove St. 1 8 3

WANTED—Position as companion or housekeeper; competent to take charge of invalid; highest reference given. Telephone 115, Plainfield. 1 6 6

### Help Wanted Male.

TWO boys to learn plumbing. 440 Watchung avenue.

WANTED—Two boys to learn plumbing. Apply 204 Watchung avenue. 1 8 3

WANTED—At once, ten lathe hands. Apply Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 8 6

WANTED—An engineer for local concern; state experience and salary expected. Address Engineer, care Press. 1 7 3

WANTED—Young man stenographer and typewriter. Apply Ransome Concrete Machinery Co., Dunellen, N. J. 1 7 2

### Rooms and Board.

VERY large room, select house; table strictly first class. Mrs. L. R. Williams, 137 Crescent Ave. 1 7 6

PLEASANT room, nicely furnished, man and wife preferred; stationary wash stand, good table, 'Phone. Address A. S., care Press. 1 5 5

COMFORTABLE furnished rooms to let; central location; terms reasonable. 7 Grove street 12 11 1m

**GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf**

COMFORTABLE, pleasant, handsomely furnished rooms, reasonable. Call evenings, after 7, 148 Somerset street. 1 7 3

**THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath; also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf**

LARGE and small front rooms, well heated, with or without board; all conveniences; telephone. 62 Sandford avenue. 12 16 1m

NEWLY papered, newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

**FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf**

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

ROOM to refined young couple in family of no children or other boarders; all conveniences. Address Z., care Press. 1 6 3

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Black fur scarf, in rear aisle of Proctor's theatre Friday night. Reward, Mrs. C. H. Holbrook, Truell Court. 1 8 3

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

### Situations Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man, colored, wishes position at anything; A1 references. 521 South Second St. 1 7 3

A POSITION wanted as coachman or handy man, by a sober, reliable man; willing and good references. Address Ernest, care Daily Press. 1 6 3

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—A MODERN HOUSE, 12-14 ROOMS TO RENT FROM MAY 1 NEXT; GOOD LOCATION ADDRESS REASONABLE, PRESS OFFICE. 1 8 6

WANTED—A seven room house with modern improvements; state location, rent desired, etc.; must be in the city. Address David, care of Daily Press office. 1 8 2

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### For Sale.

FOR SALE—English setter puppies; best field trial blood. 730 Monroe avenue. 1 6 3

**OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf**

FIRST CLASS large cook stove for sale cheap. 511 West Third St. 1 7 3

80 CORDS of excellent fire wood, oak, hickory and beech, for sale cheap. 924 Field Ave. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

GOOD office stove for sale cheap. 19 Prospect place. 1 8 6

FOR SALE—Good two-seated sleigh. Apply 402 East Fifth St. 1 8 3

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 12

FOR SALE—Building lot on Norwood avenue, 80-179 feet; will sell all or part. Call 60 Norwood. 1 3 6

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

**NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf**

### Real Estate Agents.

WE have clients waiting to buy and rent desirable property. Cannot we have yours? Doane & Van Syckel, 209 North Ave. 1 8 3

**THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf**

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons. 197 North avenue. tf

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

**FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf**

### Real Estate Wanted.

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Money to Loan.

**MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf**

**MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf**

**MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf**

**MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf**

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Chas. J. McNabb, 209 North avenue. Telephone 49. 12 11 1m

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 3 6

**$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf**

**TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf**

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### For Exchange.

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

### For Rent.

**SMALL house to let, 132 Johnston avenue. Apply 409 East Fifth street or 122 Johnston Ave. 1 5 tf**

**TO LET—7-room house, 31 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf**

**LARGE loft; 3,000 square feet, with offices, suitable for manufactory, situation North and Park avenues. Apply C. H. Lyman, North avenue, Plainfield. 12 29 tf w**

**TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf**

APARTMENTS to let in the Lincoln, April 1. Apply 307 Park Ave.

FOR RENT—Three rooms. Inquire Sharkey's grocery store, Richmond and Third Sts.

FARM to let; new buildings; five minutes' walk from trolley. Address Farm, care Press.

**LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf**

TO LET—Furnished rooms, two minutes from station; all improvements; reasonable; telephone. 215 Church St. 1 7 3

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Sleighs For Sale.

SLEIGH FOR SALE—Two-seated sleigh, with pole, in good order; $25. Coachman, 105 Rockview Ave. 12 31 tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

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PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

NOW is the time to buy Rugs. 115 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 12 15 1m

LOWEST prices and easiest terms on pianos at the New Jersey Piano Co., 315 West Front street. Christmas bargains. 12 11 tf

THE New Jersey Piano Company now located in Plainfield, 315 West Front street. Watch for big piano sale. 12 11 tf

HAVE your solid carriage tires applied at Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 12 15 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

**BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf**

**P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf**

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### Wanted Miscellaneous.

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## CRITICISM OF HOME DECLARED UNJUST.

Trenton, Jan. 8.—That the managers of the State Home for Girls in this city were subjected to unjust criticism during the recent investigation of the institution is the belief expressed in the annual report of the home which has been submitted to Governor Fort. The report declares that these criticisms emanated "from one or two hysterical members of the investigating committee before the investigation had been fully completed."

Particular exception is taken by the managers to the comments made relative to inflicting corporal punishment, which, although unpleasant, is regarded as necessary at times. The managers say that if the State will provide a proper house of detention for separating temporarily the vicious girls and those who keep the institution in an uproar there would be no occasion for complaint. It is stated that instances of corporal punishment did not, in fact, average more than one case a month. Such punishment is now administered by the superintendent with the assistance of the women officers and is permitted by express resolution of the board. The report shows that it is not a pleasure to the superintendent to resort to this means of preserving discipline over a vicious and unruly girl.

The managers renew their request for the enactment of a law providing for the removal of certain types of defectives who are now regarded as a menace to the welfare of the home. They would like a law permitting insane girls to be taken to the State Hospital, feeble-minded girls to the Home for Feeble-Minded, tuberculosis patients to Glen Gardner and those requiring surgical treatment to proper hospitals. Unless special provision can be made for the really vicious inmates the managers think State prison would be the better place for them.

## WOMAN STATION AGENT HELD UP BY A NEGRO.

Hackensack, Jan. 8.—Seventy-five dollars in money and $20 worth of stamps were the proceeds of a hold-up on Central avenue, near Prospect street, Thursday night, the loser being Miss Helen Clark, agent at the Prospect Avenue Station of the Susquehanna Railroad.

Miss Clark had closed the station for the night, taking the day's receipts and the supply of postage stamps in the place. It had been her custom to take a trolley car for home, but she missed one and rather than wait half an hour for another decided to walk home. She had gone about 150 feet when she heard steps behind her, but paid no attention to the incident. Suddenly a negro grasped her from behind and attempted to seize her satchel.

The woman struggled and in the fight she fell to the ground. The highwayman then grabbed the satchel and made off.

Miss Clark hurried to the police station and reported the hold-up to the police.

### Fire Damages Feed Warehouse.

Perth Amboy, Jan. 8.—Fire which originated in the second floor of the feed warehouse of Joseph Rachlin, on New street, did $4,000 damage Thursday night. At 9 o'clock yesterday morning the firemen were called out by a second alarm because the flames had broken out again. Rachlin and several employes were at work on the first floor of the building, when they smelled smoke, and an investigation showed several bales of hay on fire on the floor above. The men attempted to put out the fire and found that bales of hay in several parts of the room were ablaze. There is no clue to the origin of the fire.

### Young Man Confesses to Robbery.

Paterson, Jan. 8.—Benjamin Haar, a young man living at 31 North First street, when taken before Chief Bimson late Thursday afternoon, admitted to systematically robbing his employers, H. & J. Coven, butter and eggs merchants, of 5 Main street. The Covens were aware that they were being robbed for several months past, but were unable to find the thief. At 5 o'clock last night Joseph Coven noticed Haar hand a package to a small boy. Coven took the package and insisted on knowing its contents. He pressed Haar, and finally the package was opened. It contained butter valued at $4.

### Went to Look for Work; Missing.

Washington, N. J., Jan. 8.—Raymond Opdyke, eighteen years, son of John Opdyke, a Jackson Valley farmer, has been absent from his home since Monday morning. When he left home it was with the intention of going to the Washington High School, where he is enrolled as a student. Instead he boarded the 9 o'clock trolley for Phillipsburg, saying he was going to Allentown, Pa., to look for work. His parents have not heard from him since. When he left home he wore a brown suit, cap, sweater and overcoat.

### Soil Lectures Before Pupils.

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## JUDGE THOUGHT MARTIN STILL IS ASSEMBLYMAN.

Morristown, Jan. 8.—Judge Alfred Elmer Mills is abreast of the times, but one important political event in the history of New Jersey has escaped him. It is that former Assemblyman William P. Martin, of Newark, is not a member of the present Legislature.

Mr. Martin appeared before Judge Mills yesterday morning in the Orphans' Court to have a day fixed for the hearing on a caveat filed against the probate of the will of Cornelius P. Simpson. Mr. Martin represented the caveators and Prosecutor Rathbun the proponents. After wishing everybody a happy New Year, the court included, Mr. Martin made his application for a day to be fixed for the hearing.

The first Tuesday in March was suggested. Mr. Martin nodded assent, as did Mr. Rathbun.

"No, that won't do," said the judge, "Mr. Martin, I believe, is a member of the Legislature."

Mr. Martin smiled, as did others in the courtroom, and answered, "No, I am not."

### NEW CLEVELAND PICTURE.

New York, Jan. 8.—A new picture of Grover Cleveland, painted by John W. Alexander, and representing the late President as he was the later years of his life at Princeton, is to hang on the walls of the New York Chamber of Commerce alongside the notable paintings of Alexander Hamilton and other distinguished Americans of a former day.

Mr. Cleveland was long a member of the Chamber of Commerce and delivered the oration at the dedication of its present bulding.

### Brewery Company Wins Suit.

New Brunswick, Jan. 8.—The Frank Brewery Company recovered a verdict of $1,200 and interest of $283 on a bond and mortgage given in 1906 by Leo Schwartz of Perth Amboy, at the trial of the suit before Judge Lloyd Wednesday. The defense endeavored to show that the brewery company owned the property on which the mortgage was given and that Schwartz was simply the company's agent. The court overruled this defense inasmuch as it had not been set up in the pleadings. The Second People's Building and Loan Association, of this city, held a first mortgage on the saloon and foreclosed. Sufficient was realized at the sale to pay this mortgage.

### Morgan Heights Wants Annexation.

South Amboy, Jan. 8.—Joseph Crawford, of Newark, secretary for the Morgan Heights Land Association, appeared before the Board of Trade at their meeting Tuesday night in advocacy of a proposition to annex Morgan Heights to this city. Morgan Heights is a tract in Savreville Township, near Morgan Station. The Board of Trade viewed the suggestion with favor and a committee was named to bring the matter to the attention of the Mayor and Council. Legislation will be required to accomplish the annexation.

### Strike for a Union Shop.

South River, Jan. 8.—Union employes of the Lyle Clay Works here are on a strike to compel a union shop. Union and non-union men are employed at the plant without discrimination. Three hundred more employes quit, refusing to work with non-union men. This led to the shutdown of the plant. The office force is taking stock during the shutdown.

### Peddie Alumni Banquet.

The Peddie Institute Alumni Association will hold its annual banquet and reunion at the Hotel Empire in New York, Friday night, January 28. A number of Plainfield members will attend. Officers for the coming year will be elected at a meeting to be held in connection with the banquet.

### Newton Man Seeks Divorce.

Newton, Jan. 8.—Oscar F. Kern, of this place, has applied to the Court of Chancery for a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Ursula R. Kern, on statutory grounds. Mrs. Kern is now said to be a resident of Bangor, Me.

## Arrival and Departure of Mails

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Close—11.50 a. m. and 7.15 p. m.

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Close—11.20 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 and 7.45 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA, WEST OF EASTON.
Close—6.30 and 8.00 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 p. m.

ELIZABETH, DIRECT.
Arrive—8.40 a. m., 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—8.15 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 9.00 p. m.

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Close—6.30, 8.15, 9.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00 p. m.

WATCHUNG.
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Close—9.00 a. m., 5.20 p. m.

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CHAPTER I.

THERE are old Parisians who will tell you pompously that the boulevards, like the political cafes, have ceased to exist, but this means only that the boulevards no longer gossip of Louis Napoleon, the return of the Bourbons or of General Boulanger, for these highways are always too busily stirring with present movements not to be forgetful of their yesterdays. In the shade of the buildings and awnings the loungers, the lookers-on in Paris, the audience of the boulevard, sit at little tables, sipping coffee from long glasses, drinking absinth or bright colored sirups and gazing over the heads of throngs afoot at others borne along through the sunshine of the street in carriages, in cabs, in glittering automobiles or high on the tops of omnibuses.

From all the continents the multitudes come to join in that procession—Americans tagged with race cards and intending hilarious disturbances, puzzled Americans worn with guidebook plodding, Chinese princes in silk, queer Antillean dandies of swarthy origin and fortune, ruddy English thinking of nothing, pallid English with upper teeth bared and eyes hungrily searching for signboards of tea rooms, over-Europeanized Japanese unpleasantly immaculate, burnoosed sheiks from the desert and red fezzed Semitic peddlers, Italian nobles in English tweeds, Sudanese negroes swaggering in frock coats, stiff Spaniards, squat Turks, travelers, idlers, exiles, fugitives, sportsmen. All the tribes and kinds of men are tributary here to the Parisian stream, which on a fair day in spring already overflows the banks with its own much mingled waters—soberly clad burgesses, bearded, amiable and in no fatal hurry; well kept men of the world swirling by in miraculous limousines, legless cripples flopping on hands and leather pads, thin whiskered students in velveteen, walrus mustached veterans in broadcloths, keen faced old prelates, shabby young priests, cavalrymen in casque and cuirass, workingmen tussed horse and harnessed to carts, sidewalk jesters, itinerant venders of questionable wares, shady loafers dressed to resemble gold showering America, motor cyclists in leather, hairy musicians, blue gendarmes, baggy red zouaves, purple faced, glazed hatted, scarlet waistcoated, cigarette smoking cabmen, calling one another "onions," "camels" and names even more terrible. Women are prevalent over all the concourse—fair women, dark women, pretty women, gilded women, haughty women, indifferent women, friendly women, merry women, fine women in fine clothes, rich women in fine clothes, poor women in fine clothes, worldly old women reclining befurred in electric landaulets, wordy old women holdenishly trundling carts full of flowers, wonderful automobile women, quick glimpsed, in multiple veils of white and brown and sea green; women in rags and tags and women draped, coifed and befrilled in the delirium of maddened poet-milliners and the hasheesh dreams of ladies' tailors.

So if you sit at the little tables often enough—that is, if you become an amateur boulevardier—you begin to recognize the transient stars of the pageant, those to whom the boulevard allows a dubious and fugitive role of celebrity and whom it greets with a slight flutter, the turning of heads, a murmur of comment and the incredulous boulevard smile, which seems to say: "You see—madame and monsieur passing there. Evidently they think we still believe in them."

This flutter heralded and followed the passing of a white touring car with the procession one afternoon just before the Grand Prix, though it needed no boulevard celebrity to make the man who lolled in the tonneau conspicuous. Simply for that notoriety was superfluous; so were the remarkable size and power of his car; so was the elaborate touring costume of flannels and pongee he wore; so was even the enameled presence of the dancer who sat beside him. His face would have done it without accessories.

My old friend George Ward and I had met for our aperitif at the Terrace Larue, by the Madeleine, when the white automobile came snaking its way craftily through the traffic. Turning in to pass a victoria on the wrong side, it was forced down to a snail's pace near the curb and not far from our table, where it paused, checked by a blockade at the next corner. I heard Ward utter a half suppressed guttural of what I took to be amazement, and I did not wonder.

The face of the man in the tonneau detached him to the spectator's gaze and singled him out of the concourse with an effect almost ludicrous in its incongruity. The hair was dark, lustrous and thick, the forehead broad and finely modeled and certain other ruinous vestiges of youth and good looks remained, but whatever the features might once have shown of honor, worth or kindly semblance had disappeared beyond all tracing in a blurred distortion. The lids of one eye were discolored and swollen almost together. Other traces of a recent battering were not lacking, nor was cosmetic evidence of a heroic struggle on the part of some valet of infinite pains to efface them. The nose lost outline in the discolorations of the puffed cheeks. The chin, tufted with a small imperial, trembled beneath a sagging gray lip.

The figure was fat, but loose and sprawling, seemingly without the will to hold itself together. In truth, the man appeared to be almost in a semi-stupor, and, contrasted with this powdered Silenus, even the woman beside him gained something of human dignity. At least, she was thoroughly alive, bold, predatory and, in spite of the gross embonpoint that threatened her, still savagely graceful. A purple veil dotted with gold floated about her hat, from which green dyed ostrich plumes cascaded down across a cheek enameled dead white. Her hair was plastered in blue-black waves, parted low on the forehead. Her lips were splashed a startling carmine, the eyelids painted blue, and from between lashes gummed into little spikes of blacking she favored her companion with a glance of carelessly simulated tenderness—a look all too vividly suggesting the ghastly calculations of a cook wheedling a chicken nearer the kitchen door.

"Who is it?" I asked, staring at the man in the automobile and not turning toward Ward.

"That is Mariana—'la bella Mariana la Murciana.'" George answered—"one of those women who come to Paris from the tropics to form themselves on the legend of the one great famous and infamous Spanish dancer who died a long while ago. Mariana did very well for a time. I've heard that the revolutionary societies intend striking medals in her honor. She's done worse things to royalty than all the anarchists in Europe! She danced at the Folie Rouge last week."

*"That is Mariana—'la bella Mariana la Murciana.'"*

"Thank you, George," I said gratefully. "I hope you'll point out the Louvre and the Eiffel tower to me some day. I didn't mean Mariana."

"What did you mean?"

What I had meant was so obvious that I turned to my friend in surprise.

"I meant the man with her," I said.

"Oh!" He laughed sourly. "That carrion?"

"You seem to be an acquaintance."

"Everybody on the boulevard knows who he is," said Ward curtly, paused and laughed again with very little mirth. "So do you," he continued, "and as for my acquaintance with him—yes, I had once the distinction of being his rival in a small way, a way so small, in fact, that it ended in his becoming a connection of mine by marriage. He's Larrabee Harman."

That was a name somewhat familiar to readers of American newspapers even before its bearer was fairly out of college. But frolic degenerated into brawl and debauch. What had been scrapes for the boy became scandals for the man, and he gathered a more and more unsavory reputation until its like was not to be found outside a penitentiary. The crux of his career in his own country was reached during a midnight quarrel in Chicago, when he shot a negro gambler. Harman's wife left him, and the papers recorded her application for a divorce. She was George Ward's second cousin, the daughter of a Baltimore clergyman; a belle in a season and town of belles and a delightful headstrong creature from all accounts. She had made a runaway match of it with Harman three years before, their affair having been earnestly opposed by all her relatives, especially by poor George, who came over to Paris just after the wedding in a miserable frame of mind.

Harman next began a trip round the world with an orgy which continued from San Francisco to Bangkok, where, in the company of some congenial fellow travelers, he interfered in a native ceremonial with the result that one of his companions was drowned. In Rome he was rescued with difficulty from a street mob that unreasonably refused to accept intoxication as an excuse for his riding down a child on his way to the hunt. Later we had been hearing from Monte Carlo of his disastrous plunges at roulette.

I still take three home newspapers, trying to follow the people I knew and the things that happen, and the ubiquity of so worthless a creature as Larrabee Harman in the columns I dredged for real news had long been a point of irritation to this present exile. Not only that. He had usurped space in the continental papers, and of late my favorite Parisian journal had served him to me with my morning coffee, only hinting his name, but offering him with that gracious satire characteristic of the Gallic journalist writing of anything American. And so this grotesque wreck of a man was well known to the boulevard—one of its sights. That was to be perceived by the flutter he caused, by the turning of heads in his direction and the low laughter of the people at the little tables. Three or four in the rear ranks had risen to their feet.

Some one behind us chuckled aloud, "They say Mariana beats him."

"Evidently!"

The dancer was aware of the flutter and called Harman's attention to it with a touch upon his arm and a laugh and a nod of her violent plumage.

At that he seemed to rouse himself somewhat. His head rolled heavily over upon his shoulder, the lids lifted a little from the red shot eyes, showing a strange pride when his gaze fell upon the many staring faces.

Ward pulled my sleeve.

"Come," he said, "let us go over to the Luxembourg gardens where the air is cleaner."

Ward is a portrait painter, and in the matter of vogue there seem to be no pinnacles left for him to surmount.

He has painted most of the very rich women of fashion who have come to Paris of late years, and he has become so prosperous, has such a polite celebrity and his opinions upon art are so conclusively quoted that the friendship of some of us who started with him has been dangerously strained.

His sister, Miss Elizabeth, looks after him now. She came with him when he returned to Paris after his disappointment in the unfortunate Harman affair, and she took charge of all his business as well as his social arrangements (she has been accused of a theory that the two things may be happily combined), making him lease a house in an expensively modish quarter near the Avenue du Bois de Boulogne. Miss Elizabeth is an instinctively fashionable woman, practical withal, and to her mind success should be not only respectable, but "smart."

It was George's habit to come often to see me. He always really liked the sort of society his sister had brought about him, but now and then there were intervals when it wore on him a little, I think. Sometimes he came for me in his automobile, and we would make a mild excursion to breakfast in the country, and that is what happened one morning about three weeks after the day when we had sought pure air in the Luxembourg gardens.

We drove out through the Bois and by Suresnes, striking into a roundabout road to Versailles beyond St. Cloud. It was June, a dustless and balmy noon, the air thinly gilded by a faint haze, and I know few things pleasanter than that road on a fair day of the early summer and no sweeter way to course it than in an open car.

"After all," said George, with a placid wave of the hand, "I sometimes wish that the landscape had called me. You outdoor men have all the health and pleasure of living in the open, and as for the work—oh, you fellows think you work, but you don't know what it means."

He indicated the white road running before us between open fields to a curve, where it descended to pass beneath an old stone culvert. Beyond stood a thick grove with a clear sky flickering among the branches. An old peasant woman was pushing a heavy cart round the curve, a scarlet handkerchief knotted about her head.

"You think it's easy?" I asked.

"Easy! Two hours ought to do it as well as it could be done—at least the way you fellows do it!"

He was interrupted by an outrageous uproar, the grisly scream of a siren and the cannonade of a powerful exhaust, as a great white touring car swung round us from behind at a speed that sickened me to see and, snorting thunder, passed us.

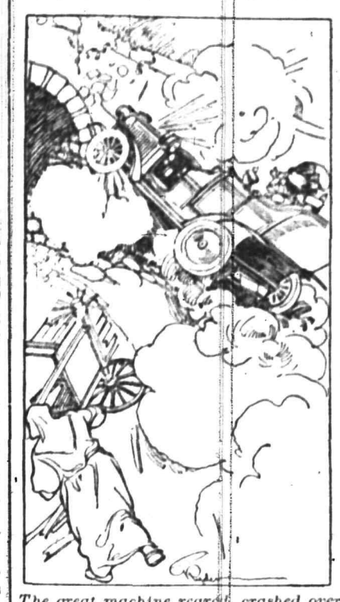
"Seventy miles an hour!" gasped George. "Those are the— Oh, Lord! There they go!"

CHAPTER II.

SWINGING out to pass us and then sweeping in upon the reverse curve to clear the narrow arch of the culvert were too much for the white car. In the middle of the road, ten feet from the culvert, the old woman struggled frantically to get her cart out of the way. The howl of the siren frightened her perhaps, for she went to the wrong side. Then the shriek of the machine drowned the human scream as the automobile struck.

The great machine left the road for the fields on the right, reared, fell, leaped against the stone side of the culvert, apparently trying to climb it, stood straight on end, whirled backward in a half somersault, crashed over on its side, flashed with flame and explosion and lay hidden under a cloud of dust and smoke.

The peasant's cart, tossed into a clump of weeds, rested on its side. A



*The great machine reared, crashed over on its side and lay hidden.*

pair of smashed goggles crunched beneath my foot as I sprang out of Ward's car, and a big brass lamp had fallen in the middle of the road, crumpled like waste paper. Beside it lay a gold rouge box.

The old woman had somehow saved herself, or perhaps her saint had helped her, for she was sitting in the grass by the roadside wailing hysterically and quite unhurt. The body of a man lay in a heap beneath the stone archway, and from his clothes I guessed that he had been the driver of the white car. I say "had been" because there were reasons for needing no second glance to comprehend that the man was dead.

Ward meanwhile was dragging a woman out of the wreck, and after a moment I went to help him carry her into the fresh air. She pushed our hands angrily aside and completed the untanglement herself, revealing the scratched and smeared face of Mariana, the dancer.

"Oh, the pain!" she cried. "That imbecile! If he has let me break my leg! A pretty dancer I should be! I hope he is killed!"

Another automobile had already come up, and the occupants were hastily alighting. Ward shouted to the foremost to go for a doctor.

"I am a doctor," the man answered, advancing and kneeling quickly by the dancer. "And you—you may be of help yonder."

We turned toward the ruined car, where Ward's driver was shouting for us.

"What is it?" called Ward as we ran toward him.

"Monsieur," he replied, "there is some one under the tonneau here!"

From beneath the overturned tonneau projected the lower part of a man's leg clad in a brown puttee and a russet shoe. Ward's driver had brought his tools, had jacked up the car as high as possible, but was still unable to release the imprisoned body.

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## SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

The annual meeting of the South Jersey Farmers' Exchange will be held at Woodstown this afternoon.

Appropriations to the amount of $182,064.90 have been made for Ocean City's running expenses for the year.

James Newell, for many years one of the soloists in the choir of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Trenton, will make his debut next week in vaudeville in a local house.

After serving as foreman of the Salem Gas Light Works for forty years, Samuel Rutherford has resigned, and as a remembrance the company has presented him with a check for $100.

The Gloucester Council last night decided to bunch eight outstanding demand notes into one of $75,000, which represents various loans. This debt may be funded by a bond issue later.

According to the records of Chief Engineer Ryan at the Salem water plant, 244,725,715 gallons of water were pumped during the past year. Each month shows an increase over last year.

As chairman of the committee of citizens making arrangements for the annual meeting of the State Charities and Corrections conference in Camden on February 13, 14 and 15, Mayor Ellis Thursday named committees to map out the detailed work.

Owing to the popularity of the horse show held on the Million-Dollar Pier, Atlantic City, last Easter, the officers have decided to enlarge the seating capacity, from 3,000 to 4,000, and have added another day, making the session cover four days instead of three.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, employed at the hotel of William Matthews, in Pennington, were Thursday afternoon arraigned before Justice of the Peace Manfred Naar, on a charge of assault and battery, preferred by Mrs. Mayme Dickinson, also of Pennington. The Smiths, on the strength of the evidence submitted by the complainant and her witnesses, were held under $100 bail each for the grand jury.

Steps are being taken by owners of ocean-front land at Ocean City to have the riparian line extended 1,000 feet east from the boardwalk. The exterior line established by the Riparian Commission some time since is now almost on the shore, this being due to the accretion of sand by the action of the sea currents, and land owners feel that, under the present conditions, they will not get all the riparian rights to which they should be entitled for the money required of them.

### AGITATION GROWS TO MOVE COUNTY SEAT.

Phillipsburg, Jan. 8.—The agitation in favor of having the county seat of Warren transferred to a more convenient location promises to increase within a few days, and it is the opinion of many leading citizens of the county that a majority of the residents favor Phillipsburg as the proper place. Belvidere, the present county seat, it is pointed out, is entirely without facilities to hold the county buildings and business.

The condition of the old jail, courthouse and other county offices is such that costly alterations must be made, or new buildings erected in the near future, which gives further reason why in the opinion of many residents here, a better location should be decided upon at this time. Washington is the only rival Phillipsburg has on this question, and Washington's only claim to the county seat is that it is centrally located. That is generally admitted, but that claim, it is contended, is discounted by the facilities offered at Phillipsburg.

Five big railroad companies and a trolley line extending out through two-thirds of the width of the county are among the inducements to move the county seat here.

The Board of Trade, which was incorporated in Phillipsburg a few months ago, will discuss preliminary plans for the transfer of the county seat at its next meeting on Thursday, January 20.

### SHOW CLOSED, REFUSED RENT.

Elizabeth, Jan. 8.—In the Elizabeth District Court yesterday an interesting suit was tried in which the Mayor, the health inspector and city clerk all figure.

The Mayor some time ago closed up a moving picture show at 855 Elizabeth avenue, here, on the ground that it was immoral, also that the sanitary conditions were bad, and the place as a whole was a public nuisance.

The proprietor of the show refused to pay rent, on the ground that he was not responsible for anything, owing to the fact that his business was interfered with and he was put to much expense by the summary action of the Mayor. The owner of the building then brought a suit for $30 damages against the picture show man. The Mayor and other city officials were subpoened as witnesses. The trial lasted most of the day.

Robert Cuzen, of New York city, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Cuzen, of West Front street, has returned home.

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| R. R. and other bonds (book value) | $ 580,475.36 | Capital Stock | $ 100,000.00 | | |
| [Market value $593,730.50] | | Surplus and Undivided Profits. | 202,501.53 | | |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 | Accrued Interest | 4,249.15 | | |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 | Deposits— Time $1,015,641.78 Demand 1,799,562.16 | 2,815,203.94 | 1908 / Deposits— $2,098,154.41 | 1909 / $2,815,203.94 |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 | | | Surplus and Profits— $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 | | | | |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 | | | | |
| Overdrafts, None | | | | | |
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## LITERARY

The January number of the Burr McIntosh Monthly, the first in its new form, is on all news stands. It contains the usual range of fine pictures in considerable variety and reproduced in the manner for which this magazine is famous. The special color plates are unusually attractive, being reproductions of two of the works of Sorolla, the Spanish artist, who made such an impression last spring with his exhibition of pictures in New York, Buffalo and Boston.

With the dawn of the new year, the magazine world puts its best foot forward, and proceeds to fulfil promises made in enticing forecasts or good things to come. One of the most interesting of these 1910 publications is the January Lippincott's, which doesn't at all suffer by comparison with its attention-attracting Christmas issue. The complete novel is "The Heaven of the Unexpected," by Lucy Meacham Thruston.

"The Crime of a Central Bank," Hon. Charles N. Fowler, in the January Atlantic. Geographically, politically, economically and practically the establishment of a Central Bank in the United States today is unthinkable, unless the sole purpose of starting such an institution is to serve some special interest to the incalculable and never-ending injury and cost of the American people.

The American Magazine by its astonishing articles on "Barbarous Mexico" has awakened throughout the country an intense indignation. In its January issue, the editors bring forward further and absolutely convincing proofs of the truth of their statements and they reaffirm that slavery is existing at the present moment in Mexico, that that country is rife with barbarous political persecution, that there is imprisonment for free speaking and that personal and political liberty is being suppressed.

It's the fit that counts in underwear today, since Paris still clings to the slim silhouette. Fullness and billowy frills seem gradually disappearing, and combination underwear is more in demand than ever. One of the most practical garments now in fashion is the combination corset-cover and knickerbockers. It does away entirely with all superfluous material and makes but one thickness at the waistline instead of two.—Grace Margaret Gould in Woman's Home Companion for January.

The salient article of the January Century is easily Walter Camp's chatty discussion of "Personality in Football," in which he asks and answers the pertinent question, "Are our boys trained to set up a false standard of hero-worship?" and shows at length what contributions to the real progress of the game have been made by such players and coaches as Lee McClung, Arthur Poe, John De Witt, George Chadwick, Tipton of West Point, Daly of Harvard, "and a host of others." It is a valuable and lively presentation of one of the absorbing questions of the day; and besides the photographs shown there are reproductions in tint of three stirring drawings by Leyendecker.

Everybody's January number opens with a poem "America," by Herbert Kaufman, of the type that our British cousins are used to calling "brag." Of course, when they make this accusation against us, they forget their own song, "Rule Britannia." And anyway, all prejudice aside, even those aforesaid cousins could hardly refuse to admit that if we must brag, it were well that we bragged in the lordly rhythm of this new "America."

The January number of "Success Magazine" opens with a big political feature entitled "The End of Cannonism," by J. C. Welliver. "Business Control of the Press, the Parties and the Government" is the second of a series of articles by Charles Edward Russell under the general title, "The Power Behind the Republic." How the negro faces the problem of marriage is shown by Harris Dickson in "The Negro's Idea of Marriage." "Fighting Faces of Our Senators," by Sloane Gordon is illustrated with interesting caricatures by Vet Anderson.

Scribner's Magazine for January is the first number of its 24th year—a year during which it will reach the largest audience ever held by a magazine of any similar class. During most of the coming year Theodore Roosevelt's great series on his African trip will be continued, and will include his elephant hunt, his journey 'round Lake Victoria Nyanza and into Uganda, culminating with his journey down the Nile to Khartoum, where he expects to arrive on March 15th, and thence to Cairo over the usual route.

If you are a fisherman you will be amused by James J. Carroll's story "An Understudy to Tantalus" which appears in The Red Book Magazine for January.

A passing glance at the January cover of the National Magazine shows the New Year's impress. The avuncular genius of America obeys the injunction regarding the correct treatment of coming and departing guests, and with one hand Uncle Sam welcomes the cherubic young New Year, while with the other he gently ushers out the Old Year, with a Godspeed. The frontispiece of the January issue is a rare picture, never before published, showing the roadbed for the first railway construction in the United States.

—The annual meeting of the Plainfield Society for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis will be held at Grace church parish house on Thursday night.

## RED MEN DEFEATED BY THE PONIES' TEAM

The Red Men lost their first game in the Fraternal Tourney, last night, at Campbell's alleys, when the Ponies made away with the second game.

In the first and third games the Red Men disposed of their opponents with very little difficulty.

Nash's 235 was high for the series.

The scores:

| Red Men. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Radin | 171 | 144 | 159 |
| Skelly | 203 | 169 | 149 |
| Willett | 149 | 190 | 208 |
| Meyer | 175 | 156 | 194 |
| Nash | 235 | 179 | 150 |
| | 933 | 838 | 863 |
| **Ponies.** | | | |
| Vail | 167 | 162 | 161 |
| Eller | 113 | 216 | 197 |
| Conover | 147 | 169 | 111 |
| Skinner | 133 | 184 | 130 |
| Vanderbilt | 190 | 169 | 173 |
| | 750 | 900 | 772 |

## ADELPHI ACADEMY TOO MUCH FOR P.H.S.

The P. H. S. basketball team went down to defeat before the Adelphi Academy at Brooklyn last night, with score of 63 to 19. The local boys were completely outplayed throughout the game. In the second half they picked up a little, but it was too late then. Halstead and Frenkmen played the star game of the opponents, while Overton and Clark played very good games for P. H. S. Morris held his end of forward up strong.

The lineup: P. H. S.—Forwards, Morris, Woodhull, Clark; centre, Lidgate; guards, Overton, Doane. Adelphi—Forwards, G. Halstead, Samm, Ray; centre, H. Halstead; guards, F. Frenkmen and E. Frenkmen. Time of halves, 15 and 20 minutes; referee, Fisher; umpire Bristol. Goals, Morris, 2; Clarke, 2; Lidgate, 3; Overton, 2; Doane, 1 foul goal; Samm, 2; Ray, 3; H. Halstead, 10; F. Frenkmen, 3; E. Frenkmen, 12.

The P. H. S. basketball team will play the Bayonne High School five on Wednesday, January 12, at the local High School gym.

## NEW Y.M.C.A. ATHLETIC FIELD TO COST $10,000

Physical Director Listman is having rosy dreams of the projected Y. M. C. A. athletic field. It is the aim of the association to have the field ready for the 1910 football season, and it may be possible that the field may be put in condition for baseball purposes although the association holds a three years' lease on Crescent Oval, which adjoins their own tract.

The grounds will be up-to-date in every way and will cost $10,000. The park will be inclosed by a fence and a commodious grand stand erected. Dressing rooms and shower baths will also be installed for the convenience of athletes.

In addition to a fast ball diamond a track will also be built for field events.

## BASKETBALL.

Devotes of basketball sport are sure to witness an exciting contest at the Y. M. C. A. tonight when the locals will clash with the Orange Y. M. C. A.. The Y. M. C. A. second team will play the Marathons, of Westfield.

Because of a misunderstanding regarding the time for starting the game, the contest scheduled for last night between the Business Men and N. P. H. S. basketball teams did not take place. The Boys Y. M. C. A. and N. P. H. S. second five played, however, the former winning by the score of 30 to 9.

Basketball players of the William N. Runyon Bible class of Hope chapel have organized a team. The players are Jack Martin, Adam Schott, Norman Barnes, Clifford Randolph, Russell Randolph, and Al Snyder. Russell Randolph is manager.

### After the Trolley Company.

Mayor Fisk has arranged for a conference between the councilmanic public affairs committee and the Board of Trade's special committee on Tuesday night to consider the general lamentable condition of the trolley service and trolley cars. The "pie crust promises" of the P. S. C. to put on decent cars here and to maintain a schedule will be fully gone into and some definite line of concerted action will be agreed upon.

### White Plague Donation.

The Plainfield Society for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis acknowledges the receipt of $30, a contribution from the Housewives Social Club.

## STATE'S REVENUE FROM ITS INTEREST

An increase of over 100 per cent. in the amount of money received by State Treasurer Voorhees, as interest on State moneys, will be shown in the annual report of State Comptroller West to the Legislature. This demonstrates the wisdom with which Treasurer Voorhees has handled the State's funds. The interest is paid on deposits in various banks in New Jersey.

The fiscal year ended October 31 last, and at that time $84,000 had been received in interest from State deposits. For the previous year from similar sources the State received $47,490.19.

In 1907-08 the expenses of the comptroller's office totaled $20,295.55, and those of the treasurer $17,799.91, while $4,332.37 added expense was entailed in the two offices as the result of the new system of compelling all institutions to draw their appropriated funds on requisitions showing exact expenditures. Thus the total departments was $42,377.87, showing a net profit of $5,112.32 over the cost of administering State finances.

The comptroller's office cost about $1,000 less to administer in 1908-09 than the year previous, making the outlay $19,000 in round figures. The treasurer's office cost slightly more than a year ago, for here the total cost was approximately $18,000, while there is an added expense of about $5,000 for handling the new system of accounting for money spent by institutions. These sums deducted from the income of $84,000 received from the deposits show that there is a net profit of $42,000 on account of interest.

It is not likely that the record made last year will be equaled the ensuing year. The State has had large sums of money on deposit and has reecived the interest pending the distribution of the funds. The revenue derived from interest on State funds covers the cost of maintaining the State comptroller's and State treasurer's offices, with a balance of about $40,000 besides for the use of the treasury.

### Surprised George Hartfelder.

A surprise party was tendered to George Hartfelder, of 36 Whitewood avenue, last night. Games were played and there was instrumental music by Miss Lillian Hartfelder; also dancing and at midnight refreshments were served. Those present were the Misses Jennie and Mary Viana, Hattie Emmons, Harriett Gardner, Nora Bergen, Bertha Boylan, and Benjamin Ammerman, William Emmons, John Richards, Clarence Patrick, Roy Scott, Murville and Nathan Boylan and George Hartfelder.

### Somerset Society Gets Fine.

Acting on the advice of Colonel Edwards, president of the State S. P. C. A., Recorder Dolliver, of the borough, has turned the $30 fine collected in the Geer cruelty to animal case, over to the Somerset County Society. Mrs. Eva Van Hoesen, the Union county agent, who prosecuted the case, will render a bill to the Somerset Society for expenses involved in the case.

### Dr. Dager to Speak Here.

Rev. Dr. Forest E. Dager, who taught the Sunday school lesson at the First Baptist church last Tuesday night, will again teach the lesson and give practical hints and suggestions for Sunday school superintendents and teachers on Tuesday night at the same place. Dr. Dager is well known here and many doubtless will avail themselves of the opportunity of hearing him.

### Men's Club Election.

The Men's Club, of Warren chapel, at its annual meeting last night elected the following officers: President, George Hoagland; first vice president, Alexander Dresselt; second vice president, Theodore Martin; corresponding secretary, Charles D. Wheeler; financial secretary and treasurer, William Bacon.

### Y. W. C. A. Glee Club.

The Glee Club of the Young Women's Christian Association will start rehearsing this month for their next concert. S. Frederick Smith, organist of Grace Episcopal church, has been engaged as conductor. The program for the next concert will be announced later.

Nelson Johnson, of 209 East Front street, who has been laid up with a severe attack of the grip is convalescing.

Mrs. Charles F. Dayton, of East Sixth street, has returned from Millville, where she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law.

Evangelistic services are held at the W. C. T. U. rooms every evening at 7:45 under the direction of Rev. W. W. Morrison, of Pittsburg.

The contribution of money from the Park Avenue Baptist church to The Day Nursery at Christmas time, amounted to $35.27. This was omitted in enumerating the various donations to The Nursery.

### Often Happens.

"Yes, I'm married."

"Well, can two live as cheaply as one?"

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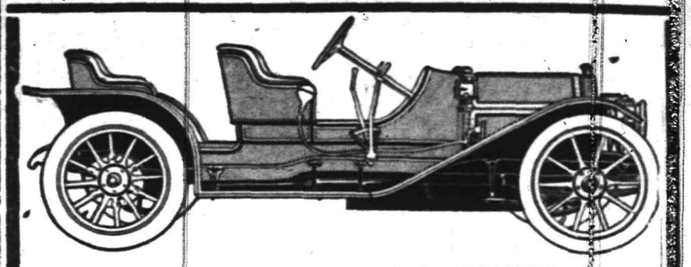

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## THREE YOUNG VANDALS

### Trio Admitted They Were Intoxicated When They Did Damage.

EACH GIVES $50 CASH BAIL.

When Arraigned In City Court Prisoners Confess—To Be Sentenced Next Monday.

One of the most violent outbreaks of vandalism ever brought to the notice of the police in this city was that committed early Sunday morning by three young men who amused themselves tearing out merchants and doctors signs and otherwise mushere upon confession of their guilt arrested by Patrolman Charles Flynn and lodged in police headquarters, where upon confession of their guilt they were released upon depositing a cash bail of $50 each. They gave their names as William Hahn, of 303 East Second street; Theodore Merklinger, of 895 Sixteenth street, Newark, and the other Frank Tetlow, of South Bound Brook.

The offenses committed by the trio included the cutting and ripping of awnings at A. E. Giddes' shoe store; Shirley and Johnson's, The Paris women's shop, Weinberger's clothing store, George J. Finger's gents furnishing store, and tearing out the metal sign of Dr. David G. Atwood, of 308 West Front street.

All three young men admitted being under the influence of drink, which they had obtained at a party on the night before in Charles Glazner's, it is said. They were making efforts this morning to have the merchants whose property had been damaged to estimate the loss so that they could make it good. The money deposited at police headquarters will be disbursed according to the amount it costs to repair the damage and on next Monday morning Judge William Runyon will give the case further consideration.

This is not the first time that similar acts of vandalism have been committed in this city. On previous occasions screen doors have been cut from their frames, ancient eggs thrown and broken against front doors and tobacco juice spattered against show windows. These young men are not accused of the former acts, but they will be given an opportunity to clear up some of the things on their next appearance in court. Merklinger claims to be a college graduate, while the others are clerks employed in this city.

### THROWN FROM SLEIGH; SEARCH FOR A HORSE.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Medbury, of Denmark road, while sleigh riding on West Front street, near Grant avenue, yesterday morning, met with an accident when they were thrown out of the sleigh. They were driving William Callahan's horse, "Prince," when the animal shied at a trolley car.

The runners of the sleigh got in the trolley tracks and before Mr. Medbury could get the horse under control, the sleigh went over, throwing his wife and himself in the roadway. The horse ran away. Hr. and Mrs. Medbery returned home and notified Mr. Callahan, from whom they procured the horse and sleigh.

In the meantime, someone told William Dealman, of West Front street, that his horse had run away. His son, Walter, had gone out earlier in the morning for a ride. The elder Dealman was directed toward Bound Brook. He took a trolley car to the car barns then walked to Bound Brook and half way to Chimney Rock in search of the horse. After all his trouble he learned that the horse belonged to Mr. Callahan.

After Mr. Callahan was notified of the accident, he started with another horse and sleigh for Bound Brook after the runaway horse. On the way out he met John J. Hines, a friend, and asked him to go along. Just beyond Lincoln, the horse, which was being driven by Mr. Hines for a few minutes, got in the trolley tracks and that sleigh was upset and the animal went into a telephone pole. Quick action prevented another runaway. Later Mr. Callahan got his other horse in a livery stable at Bound Brook.

### Hen Dug Out of Snowbank.

Flanders, Jan. 10.—William E. Coursen, of Succasunna, who has a small poultry yard, noticed on Thursday that one of his white Leghorn hens, which he had missed since the snow storm nearly a fortnight before, was preening her feathers in the back yard at his home. Wonderment at her appearance led him to look about to see from whence she had come and he discovered a hole in the snow, which the warmer weather and rain had softened and made possible her escape. She was none the worse for her imprisonment

## SPANISH WAR WOUND FATAL TO M'GAULEY

Hugh McGauley, aged 48 years, died this morning at Muhlenberg Hospital from pneumonia with which he had been ill for more than a month. His death is believed to be indirectly due to an injury he received while serving in the Spanish-American War, when because of an injury he lost a rib. He never fully recovered. He served during the war as a member of the 201st N. Y. Vols., and was a member of Camp Bagley, Spanish-American War Veterans, of this city.

Mr. McGauley was born in Ireland and had resided in this city for twenty years. He resided on West Front street, near Madison avenue. He was employed in the electric light department of the Public Service Corporation for several years. Three brothers, Patrick, Luke and Barney, survive. Notice of funeral will be given later.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL PRIZE A SILVER LOVING CUP

Superintendent J. M. Whiton, of the Congregational Sunday school, introduced an innovation yesterday at the regular session of the school, which is well calculated to stimulate the attendance and increase the membership. At least, those are the objects which Mr. Whiton hopes to accomplish. Honor Day in the school was something new and the development of its meaning was a surprise to every pupil there.

No one knew just what the term "honor day" meant until explained by the superintendent. The regular session was shortened somewhat in order to give Mr. Whiton ample time to divulge the momentous secret. He did the explaining by inviting four of the pupils to come up to the platform and receive books for a special reward in faithfully fulfilling their pledges to the Sunday school funds. These were Florence Neilson, Edna and Clark Mundy and Carter Goodrich. For punctual attendance Nettie Steiner and Lester Allen received silver pins while Harold Mundy received honorable mention.

For best average in attendance an American Flag is given and the class which has been most successful in this competition has been that taught by Miss Stella Winkler. This class has been awarded the flag several times in succession.

The surprise of the day came, however, when a silver loving cup was presented to the school by Mr. Whiton. This cup will eventually go to some individual, but it will have to be won by one class at least three times before the pupil in that class can have it for a personal trophy. The idea here is to present to the class having the best average in punctuality and attendance at the end of the year the cup with the name of the class engraved upon it. If this class wins the cup three times whether in succession or not, then it becomes the property of that class. Then the pupil of the winning class having the best general average is to become the owner of the cup.

Of course there are conditions attached to the holding of the cup which will involve some work on the part of the boys and girls, but the trophy is worth working for. A committee comprised of Miss Mary E. Jackson, Mrs. D. F. Updike and James McClymont will have charge of the cup and will make the award each year. There was a very large attendance yesterday and every pupil of the school was interested.

After the awarding of the prizes M. W. Harris addressed the school taking for his topic "Real Honor."

### Department Officers Coming.

Past Commander Atkins, of Elizabeth, will install the officers-elect of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., tomorrow night. Department Commander Connolly, of Newark, and staff, will be present. Mrs. S. Elizabeth Wilkes, of Trenton, will install the officers of the Women's Relief Corps at the same time. Department President Mrs. Sparmaker, of Trenton, and staff, will attend.

### Will Lecture on Holy Land.

L. V. F. Randolph will give an illustrated lecture at the First Baptist church, Sunday night, on the subject of "Baal-Bek trip in Palestine via. Jerusalem and Damascus," it being an illustrated lecture of his tour through the Holy Land.

### Fell and Broke Arm.

While hanging clothes to a line in her yard one day last week Mrs. Aaron J. Mattox, of 15 Spruce street, slipped on the snow, fell and broke her right arm.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## BURMESE YOUNG WOMAN TELLS OF OPPORTUNITIES

About one hundred young women gathered in the auditorium of the Young Women's Christian Association yesterday afternoon to listen to Miss Yaba, a Burmese young woman who is completing her studies in this country preparatory to taking up association work in Burmah. Miss Yaba was attired in Oriental costume, adding the picturesque to the earnest in her remarks of the need of Christianization in America.

Miss Yaba emphasized the need of Christian work in this country and contrasted the opportunities offered here as compared with those of her country. There is so much difference that it stands out prominently. Here the young American woman has opportunities all around her to do the Master's work while in Burmah, as in other countries of the far East, the opportunities have to be sought and when found are made the most of.

Miss Yaba's father as a boy received his earlier education in the public schools of this city and, she said, "I have the feeling of a strong bond of friendship for this place." Miss Dreuse sang several solos in keeping with the service and subject. There will be a meeting on Thursday evening at which Miss Isabel Arnold, of the Seminary, will speak to the members.

## CHIEF MEYER MAY NOT BE ELIGIBLE TO SERVE

Can a non-resident of the town be elected to a township office? This is a question that is raising ructions among the members of the Fanwood township fire department, and the question has been put up to the Township Committee and by them referred to Counsel W. L. Hetfield, Jr., for an opinion.

The trouble started over the election of Charles Meyer as chief of the department at the election held Tuesday night. Meyer, who was the B. & E. Co. candidate, defeated William Reynolds, Excelsior's candidate, by two votes in one of the hottest elections the department has ever held, Meyer being elected by a majority of two votes. After the smoke of the battle had cleared away, some of the members of Excelsior Company raised the question of Meyer's eligibility for that office on account of his being a resident of Somerset county and North Plainfield township, his house being just across the county line.

The question was put up to the Township Committee by Excelsior members and they reserved decision until they could get a legal decision on the question.

In case Meyer cannot serve it will be necessary to hold another election and if this should happen there will be some excitement as the B. & E. Co. members feel sore over the eleventh hour kick as they call it. Meyer has been a member of the department for eleven years, and has a large following of friends among the firemen.

### JOHN HERRMANN, OF BOUND BROOK, PASSES AWAY.

John Herrmann, of Bound Brook, father of John and Emma Herrmann, of Somerset street, died in Bound Brook, on Friday in his seventy-fourth year. The funeral was held this afternoon at Bound Brook at 3 o'clock. Mr. Herrmann was one of the best known and most highly respected citizens of Bound Brook and will be mourned by many.

Mr. Herrmann is survived by four sisters, Mrs. Peter Vroom, of Pluckemin; Mrs. Philip Ecker, of Somerville; Mrs. Isaac Titus, of Dunellen, and Miss Mary Herrmann, of Elizabeth; also two brothers, Martin Herrmann, of Bound Brook, and Charles Hermann, of Elizabeth, besides his son and daughter, of Somerset street.

### Hudson Touring Car at $1,150

Was a big surprise at the opening of the Garden Automobile Show Saturday evening. It was generally admitted that this was the classiest and best car selling below $1,500. Andrew C. Thompson, the local representative, has already booked orders for fourteen out of twenty-five available Hudson cars for 1910, and advises placing orders without delay, as he expects to be practically sold out at the end of this week. ***

### Mr. and Mrs. Edsall Ill.

Seely Edsall, formerly of Sandford avenue, has been seriously ill since November 1. He does not seem to improve and there is little hope of his recovery. Mrs. Edsall has been detained at her home since the middle of October with rheumatism. Mr. and Mrs. Edsall are now living at Bloomfield.

## KAPP COMMITTS SUICIDE

### Former Plainfielder Ended His Own Life Without Known Reason.

A PROSPEROUS MANUFACTURER

Supposition That He Become Temporarily Insane—Some Years Ago He Had a Plant Here.

Edward Kapp, a former skirt and underwear manufacturer of this city, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head, on Saturday in a lavatory connected with the offices of Albert Sittner, 101 Fifth avenue, New York city. Mr. Sittner was the distributing agent for the product of the Kapp factory.

No cause can be assigned for the act, but it is believed by his business associates that Mr. Kapp became suddenly insane and ended his life while under the spell.

Mr. Kapp was for several years engaged in the manufacture of silk skirts in this city and occupied the old rink building on Watchung avenue near Fourth street. At the time of his removal in 1905, he was in partnership with Louis Herzig, and the firm name was Herzig and Kapp. The original business was the making of silk skirts for which the firm became famous.

With the advent of one Nat Levy the productions of the firm were added to and a fine line of women's underwear was manufactured. This new venture failed to prosper and the firm went into bankruptcy and finally removed to New York city, where a new and prosperous business was established, and is still in existence under the firm name of Nat Levy & Co.

When in this city Mr. Kapp and his family lived at the corner of Watchung avenue and Grandview. The news of Mr. Kapp's untimely end was received with many expressions of regret by the many friends he had made in Plainfield. He left here about September 1, 1905.

## FORT FISHER HERO SUCCUMBS SUDDENLY

Many Plainfielders who recall the appearance here on February 12 last of Brevet Maj.-General Newton Martin Curtis, when he made an address at the Lincoln Day celebration at the First Baptist church, will learn with regret of his sudden death in New York city Saturday afternoon, from apoplexy. He was stricken in Irving place shortly after noon and died in the street before aid could reach him. His body was taken to his home in Irving place and today was sent to Ogdensburg, N. Y., for burial.

Gen. Curtis, who was known as "the hero of Fort Fisher," had an enviable reputation and record as a soldier, scholar and author. His height, six feet six inches, served as an introduction to Abraham Lincoln in 1856, when young Curtis, then a school teacher in Illinois, entered a railroad station where Lincoln was waiting. The latter, then as a lawyer, proposed to measure his heighth with Mr. Curtis after introducing himself. Mr. Curtis proved the taller, whereupon Lincoln exclaimed: "He's ten feet taller than a rod, straight as an arrow, thin as a shingle and without a knothole." The two were firm friends thereafter.

When Gen. Curtis spoke here about a year ago, he told the above story, which many will remember. He was a member of many clubs; also the New York Commandery, Military Order Loyal Legion, where he was a familiar figure at every meeting.

### Rev. Dr. Pogson Preaches Here.

Rev. Dr. M. H. Pogson, financial secretary of the Baptist Missionary Society, occupied the pulpit at the First Baptist church yesterday, morning and night. In the morning he presented the needs of the society in an interesting way, showing what has already been accomplished in the past. Last night, Dr. Pogson preached a ten minute sermon so that he might catch a certain train for home. The choir sang several anthems and altogether the services were inspiring.

### Death of Former Resident.

Daniel Galbraith, a former resident of this city, died at South Norwalk, Conn., on Saturday. He was about 65 years of age and removed to the Nutmeg State two years ago. He is survived by one daughter, Miss Teskey Galbraith, of South Norwalk, and a son, Joseph Galbraith, of Glenside Park. The remains will be brought to this city tomorrow and interment made in St. Mary's cemetery.

## POSTMASTER EXPLAINS DELIVERY COMPLAINTS

Postmaster E. H. Bird a few days ago received an anonymous communication relative to the alleged poor mail delivery service along West Fourth street, where the writer complains that the residents have been receiving but one delivery a day. It was also stated that the people living on Spooner avenue have been getting three deliveries a day, and adds that people living along the rural free delivery route get as much as one delivery a day.

In conversation with a reporter for The Daily Press today, Mr. Bird explained that unusual weather conditions, heavy snow, ice, together with a heavy mail had compelled him to furnish but one delivery a day in some sections, but the regular schedule is now in force again. He said that it was impossible to deliver the mail on time or to get in the regular deliveries in all parts of the city during the holidays and since while the traveling was so bad.

Mr. Bird added that the people on Spooner avenue do not get three deliveries a day nor have they ever had as many as that. He simply asks the indulgence of the people while weather conditions are so bad. Quoting from a report of the Postmaster-General, Mr. Bird showed that the same conditions have existed in all parts of the country since the holidays.

## NEW SPECIE OF BIRDS ON A VISIT TO CITY

The arrival of a flock of birds at fire headquarters on New Year's day, the species of which is entirely new to this vicinity, according to Chief Doane, present a problem for local ornithologists to solve.

There are about a dozen of the feathered tribe in the flock. In size they are larger than a robin with a dark gray plumage and a white bill.

The birds have become very friendly with the firemen, who have been nursing their appetits by scattering crackers and crumbs on the snow-covered ground. The birds also feed on the berries on the English ivy vines on the westerly side of the fire house.

Some of the birds are so tame and trusting that they approach the sills of the open windows of Chief Doane's office and eat the crumbs provided by the firemen.

Chief Doane, who is familiar in a large degree with the birds who visit this climate, declares he is at a loss to furnish the names of the visitors, and he suggested to a Daily Press reporter that local students of the bird world visit fire headquarters for the purpose of identifying the species.

### FORESTRY COMMISSIONER TO GIVE ILLUSTRATED TALK.

James S. Whipple, of New York, commissioner of forests, fish and game, will deliver an address at the Hartridge School auditorium tomorrow night at 8:15 o'clock. Forest views with the stereopticon will be presented.

Mr. Whipple is an able and fluent speaker and his address will be new and instructive. The State of New York has made great progress in forestry and reforestration during the administration of the present commissioner; his lectures and up to date methods have enlisted the interest of the people so that this branch of the public service has been financially well supported by the State.

Tree gardens have been located, and during the year 1909 more than one million trees were sold to private land owners. A fire organization to protect the forest lands was perfected last year with excellent results.

Invitations have been issued by Orville T. Waring, Alexander Gilbert, George P. Mellick, L. V. F. Randolph, Charles I. McCutchen and Charles C. Burke.

### The "Chalmers" Exhibit at the Garden Auto. Show

Was generally conceded to be the finest there. Saturday night's reception was one of the greatest tributes ever paid to an automobile. Andrew C. Thompson, the local representative, has already booked orders for 24 out of 35 available Chalmers cars for 1910. Mr. Thompson will make his headquarters this week at the Chamlers exhibit. ***

### Will Speak at Y. W. C. A.

Miss Isabel Arnold, of the Seminary, will address the Thursday evening meeting at the Young Women's Christian Association. Her subject will be "Books." All members of the association are invited to be present.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## NEW POSTOFFICE FUND RECEIVES $15,000 BOOST

The chances of this city getting its $100,000 postoffice building are brightening. A report from Washington states that Acting Secretary Charles D. Norton, of the treasury department, has recommended to Congress that an additional appropriation of $15,000 be made to the original appropraion.

Secretary Norton's recommendation has been referred to the Committee on Appropriations. United States Senator John Kean, who has been pushing the matter, is confident that it will be endorsed and with a little more waiting local citizens will have their new postoffice.

The additional appropriation brings the amount up to $85,000 or within $15,000 of $100,000, the total sum required for the new structure.

## "FORGIVE AND FORGET" SAYS REV. MR. MUSSON

"Forgiving and Forgetting" was the topic of an interesting sermon delivered by Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor at the Temple Baptist church, last night. "Forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors," were the words upon which the discourse was based. In part Mr. Musson said:

"In reading this prayer which we call 'The Lord's Prayer,' because Jesus give it to his disciples as a model, or a pattern of how they should pray, you will notice that the petition of the text for forgiveness follows the petition for daily bread.

"We see here a prayer for forgiveness, a condition of forgiveness and there is here a standard of forgiveness. First, Jesus teaches us to pray, 'Father forgive us our debts.' Luke puts it thus, 'Father forgive us our sins.' So the sins means indebtedness to God. It means that we have failed to meet our obligations.

"We should offer this prayer for three reasons, first, because we are debtors; secondly, we should pray this pray because no one can forgive a debt but the creditor to whom the debt is due; thirdly, that Jesus taught us to pray this prayer because God is willing to forgive.

"The selfish man tells you that everybody is selfish, while the generous person delights to speak of the noble generosity he finds in others. Forgive us our debts, as we forgive others. How solemn is this prayer. Our forgiveness of our fellowmen is absolutely essential to our receiving forgiveness from God. Nothing else will take its place.

"One of the signs or evidences that we have been forgiven is that we possess and display the spirit of forgiveness. We want God to forgive us fully. I mean by that we want God to forgive our every sin. Not only our small sins, but our great sins. Have we not provoked him in many ways? And yet has He ever refused to forgive? No! He says, 'Though your sins be as scarlet, I will make them like snow; though they be red like crimson, they shall be as wool.'

"Suppose God were to say to you, 'I will forgive every other sin that you have committed, but there is one sin of which you have been guilty, that I cannot overlook.' What a sad plight you would be in. One sin would shut you out of heaven forever. God says, 'I will blot them out of the book of my remembrance. I will not remember thy sin.'

"We must forgive and forget the sins of others against us. What do the Scriptures mean, then, when they say that God will not remember our sins? It means this, that He will treat us just as though we had never sinned. And that is just how we must forgive, or our professed forgiveness will be only a mockery and a sham. There are two ways in which we can cultivate the forgiving spirit. First, by keeping in mind our great need of continually receiving forgiveness from God, and secondly, never to speak of an offense when you say you have forgiven the offender. Let it pass."

### New Year's Sermon.

Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church, preached a New Year's sermon at the morning service, yesterday, in which he reviewed the past year's work in the church and Sunday school and predicted even better things for the coming year with the earnest co-operation of pastor and people.

### Legislature Tomorrow.

The 134th Legislature will convene at the State House at Trenton tomorrow at noon.

—Stevens-Duryea touring car, top, speedometer, prestolite tank, Autochime horn, trunk rack, extra tires, etc., unusual fine shape; $650 to quick buyer. Thompson's garage. ***

## PLAYGROUND FOR P.H.S.

### And Perhaps for Others—Mr. Parker Submits Plans to the Pupils This Morning.

FINE CINDER RUNNING TRACK.

Baseball, Football and Other Sports to Be Conducted—Cost About $20,000.

Andrew McClean Parker announced to the High School this morning the purchase of a tract of land running parallel to Crescent Oval which he will fit up as an athletic field for the school. This is something which has long been needed by the school and will be appreciated to its full value by the students, and Mr. Parker received the assurances of the students' approval by a hearty cheer after the announcement was made.

All the latest improvements, including a grandstand, will be added to the field, besides a running track built in the most approved fashion with a two-hundred and twenty yards' straight away track. Under the grandstand dressing rooms and shower baths and all the conveniences for the athletes will be found. The grounds will be loaned for the use of the local Y. M. C. A. when not in use of the High School boys.

Mr. Parker is a graduate of the local high school and in his presentation speech said that he had long known of the need of the field for outdoor sports and since his retirement from his profession of civil engineer had had in mind this project for the benefit of the school.

He was chief engineer on the new Manhattan Bridge and only retired recently. Mr. Parker will deliver a lecture before the Men's Club of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow night, taking for his subject, "The Manhattan Bridge."

In is understood that this field will be for the use of the public as a playground and is one which has long been under consideration by Mayor Fisk and Mr. Parker, but no confirmation of the proposed consolidation with the Y. M. C. A. could be obtained this afternoon. It is understood that the new athletic field will cost $20,000.

### Two Coasting Accidents.

Coasting on Spencer's Hill, near Scotch Plains, was never better than during the past couple of weeks, the care old residenters of that section. While the young folk have been having a big time two accidents marred the sport on Saturday. James Corrona and George Kuehn, both of Scotch Plains, had their hands severely cut by falling off their bobsleds and scraping them on the snow.

### Dr. J. A. Funk to Speak.

Dr. J. A. Funk, one of the medical missionaries of the Presbyterian church, in Persia, will speak at the meeting of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, tomorrow afternoon, in the large parlor at 3:30 o'clock.

### Miss Conover Broke Arm.

Miss Emma Conover, of New York, and who is stopping with relatives at 16 Jackson avenue, is confined to the house with a broken arm which was sustained last Friday as a result of a fall in the house. She was attended by Dr. A. H. Dunlon.

### Mrs. Henrietta Pernell.

Mrs. Henrietta Pernell, widow of the late John Pernell, of Chestnut street, Dunellen, died on Saturday in her fifty-sixth year. The funeral will be held from her late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30.

### Jacob Voehl Very Ill.

Jacob Voehl, of Prospect place, is seriously ill at his home. Mr. Voehl was taken ill about ten days ago. Miss Tina Voehl, a daughter, is also confined to the house with an attack of quinsy sore throat.

### To Conduct Special Services.

Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor of Hope chapel, will be in Atlanta, Ga., for ten days, where he will conduct special services at Atlanta University. He will be away from January 11 to 22.

### S. S. Swackhamer to Speak.

The Men's club of the First Baptist church will meet tonight, when S. S. Swackhamer will make an address. There will also be music and refreshments.

### Birthday Party.

Morrit Lascoe, of Rahway road, entertained about twenty friends yesterday in honor of his son's birthday.

—Neuman Bros. are offering Pillsbury, Hecker's Superlative and Gold Medal flour, all high grade goods, at special prices for a few days, by the barrel.

Cornelius K. Compton, of Duer street, is ill at his home with the grip.

This Sale Begins Tomorrow Tuesday

# A. E. Force & Co.

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This Sale Begins Tomorrow Tuesday

## Art Goods and Gloves

98c BUREAU SCARFS AND CENTRE PIECES, open work embroidery, sale price .69

50c PILLOW TOPS, Plainfield High School, Harvard and Columbia; sale price .35

$1.00 LADIES' KID GLOVES, in a broken assortment of colors and designs, sale price .50

$1.19 MYERS' LADIES' CREPE GLOVES, in all sizes, sale price .98

25c CHILDREN'S GLOVES, knit wool, all colors, plain and fancy, sale price .19

$1.49 COUCH PILLOWS, satin top, silk floss filled, sale price .98

## RIBBONS and NECKWEAR

20c AND 25c RIBBONS, in a broken line of various widths, plain and fancy, sale price .15

25c LADIES' EMBROIDERED LAUNDERED TURN OVER COLLARS, all sizes, sale price .15

25c RUCHING, colors, white and black, sale price .15

15c TO 25c LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS will be put together in one lot for this sale, your choice .10

25c VEILINGS, Chiffon and fancy meshes, black and colors, sale price .15

50c, 75c AND 98c LADIES' NECKWEAR will be placed in one lot at the low price of .39

## HOUSEFURNISHINGS

5c ROLL TOILET PAPER. A. E. Force & Co. Special 1,000 sheet rolls, sale price, 7 for .25

5c KIRKMAN'S BORAX SOAP, sale price, 10 for .36

Limit 10 to a customer. No 'phone or C. O. D. orders taken at this price.

$1.50 ALARM MISSION CLOCKS, ornamental and useful, sale price .98

59c THIN TABLE TUMBLERS, plain glass, sale price .39

59c WASTE PAPER BASKETS, assorted sizes & styles, sale price .33

$1.19 MRS. POTTS' SAD IRONS, nickel and japanned, sale price .79

40c PRESERVING KETTLES, 10 quart size, sale price .27

$1.50 WASH BOILERS, No. 8, copper bottom XX tin, sale price. $1.10

# Fourth Annual January Clearance Sale

Following our usual custom we inaugurate this yearly sale to close out all surplus stocks of Fall and Winter goods. Our policy is not to carry over from one season to another, any class of merchandise but the most staple lines. In order to make this the most successful sale ever held by us, the cost is not considered. It will be a clearance sale in which every department in the store is represented. Come and participate in this GREAT BARGAIN SALE—it occurs but once a year.

## WHITE GOODS

$1.19 PIECE OF LONG CLOTH, 36 inches wide, 12 yard piece, sale price .89

12½c INDIA LINON, 40 inch, fine and sheer, sale price .10

20c MADRAS, in figured and stripes, 27 in. wide, sale price .15

## LACES and EMBROIDERIES

18c EMBROIDERIES on lawn, cambric and nainsook, with insertions to match, sale price .10

10c LACES, cotton and linen torchon, 1½ to 3 inches wide, sale price .03½

## NOTION SALE

15c BOX OF FINE TALCUM POWDER, sale price .05

25c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes assorted odors, sale price .15

15c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes in box, assorted, Armour's, sale price .10

49c LADIES' HAIR BRUSHES, assorted sizes & styles, sale price. .25

25c LADIES' ELASTIC BELTS, metal buckles, assorted sizes and colors, sale price .10

$1.25 LADIES' SHOPPING BAGS, several shapes and styles, sale price .75

15c HAIR NETS, all over brown, black and blond, sale price .07

25c POUND WRITING PAPER, fine cloth finish, envelopes to match, 7c; sale price .15

25c MIRRORS, on wrought iron frames, sale price .05

15c CARD PEARL BUTTONS, one doz. on card, fish eyes, assorted, sale price .10

25c, 39c AND 50c HAIR ROLLS, 24 in., all colors, for .19

25c TO 50c FANCY BRAIDS, assorted kinds, HALF PRICE.

## Sale of Ladies' Suits and Coats

Every Suit and Coat must be closed out at Bargain Prices. It is positively the most important sale ever held in this city at a saving of from $5.00 to $15.00 a Suit.

$20 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$12.00
$25 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$15.98
$30 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$19.98
$35 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$24.00

## Ladies' Tailored Coats

$10.00 COATS reduced to ....$6.98
$12.50 and $15.00 COATS reduced to ....$9.00
$15.00 and $16.50 COATS reduced to ...$12.00
$25.00 and $30.00 COATS reduced to ...$19.00

JACKETS, DRESSES, CAPES, ETC., also reduced to effect a quick Clearance.

## MEN'S FURNISHINGS

$1 MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS, 32 to 46, sale price .79

69c BOYS' OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS, 12, 13 and 14, sale price .49

50c MEN'S UNDERWEAR, ribbed cotton, pants and shirts, sale price .35

59c SUSPENDERS, plain and fancy, arm bands and hose supporters, for .39

25c MEN'S HOSE, black and grey cashmere, all sizes, sale price .19

$1 GENTS' AND YOUTHS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, plain and pleated, sale price .75

$1.00 UMBRELLAS. Men's 26 and 28 inch, assorted handles, sale price .75

$1.25 MEN'S PAJAMAS, small, medium and large, assorted styles, sale price .79

$1.25 MEN'S GLOVES, in beaver, plush and gauntlet, buckskin palms, all sizes, sale price .98

$1.25 MEN'S SILK MUFFLERS, assorted colors, sale price .75

50c MEN'S 4-in-hand NECKTIES, plain and fancy, sale price .25

10c MEN'S WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, also fancy, sale price .05

## DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

22c BEST GRADE TABLE OIL CLOTH, in light, dark and plain white, sale price .15

10c BLEACHED TOWELING, with red and blue borders, good grade, sale price .07

7c HUCK TOWELING, red border, good quality, medium size, sale price .04

10c CREAM SHAKER FLANNEL, good close weave, sale price .07

12½c BLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS, good size, hemstitched, sale price .08

$1.00 ALL LINEN TABLE DAMASK, neat designs, 72 inch; sale price .79

$2.98 NAPKINS, to match the above, 22x22 in. size, sale price. $2.25

20c PILLOW CASES, size 45x36, made of the Rival brand cotton, sale price .15

89c SHEETS, size 2¼x2½, made of Rival brand cotton, sale price .69

15c HUCK TOWELS, red borders, size 22x45 inch, good firm quality, sale price .10

80c AND 85c DIAPER CLOTH, 20 and 22 inches wide, sale price .65

50c SHEETS, unbleached, 2x2½ yds., good firm muslin, sale price .39

## Clearance Sale Millinery

All of our BEAUTIFUL TRIMMED HATS, ranging in price from $6 to $9, for $5.98

All Hats that sold up to $5.50, sale price $3.98

UNTRIMMED HATS that sold up to $2.98, will be sold for .98

Hats bought here will be trimmed free of charge during this Clearance Sale.

## Wash Goods

7c PRINTED COTTON CHALLIES of the best designs, sale price .04½

8c AMOSKEAG APRON GINGHAM, in a big range of the best styles, sale price .06

9c EVERETT CLASSICS GINGHAMS, all the best styles, sale price .06½

10c OUTING FLANNEL, in light & dark stripes and checks, sale price .07

12c MARCILLE PERCALES, in the newest printed designs, light and dark colors, sale price .09

50c FINE GAUZE, two style stripes, and one style check, twelve shades, sale price .25

20c AND 25c MIXED LOT OF WASH GOODS will be put into one lot at sale price .09

## RUGS and DRAPERIES

$39 ROYAL WILTON, 9x12, perfect rugs, Oriental designs; tans, green and blue; ten only at this price $28.98

$25 AXMINSTER RUGS, 9x12, perfect, Oriental designs; only six at this price $18.98

$35 ROYAL WILTON RUGS, 8x10, tans and greens, Oriental designs; only five at this price $27.49

$3.98 RUGS, Axminster and Smyrnas, size 36x72, Oriental designs, only twelve at this price $2.98

$1.19 SMYRNA RUGS, 18x36, all wool Orientals, sale price .79

12½c SILKALINES, in a variety of figures, light and dark colors, sale price .09

15c CURTAIN MATERIALS, 20 pieces to select from, sale price .10

## Bissels Carpet Sweepers

We cannot cut the price on these sweepers, but with every purchase you get $5 worth of Green Trading Stamps.

## CLOSING PRICES on FURS

The balance of what furs there is left will be disposed of during this sale for practically manufacturer's cost.

## SALE of LAWN WAISTS

$1.00 WAISTS FOR .49c
$1.25 WAISTS FOR .75c

# Silks and Dress Goods Half Price

On our aisle Bargain Tables we will display about $3,000 worth of SILKS and DRESS GOODS at prices that will startle you. Every piece new and desirable in weave and color. The lot includes Broadcloths, Serges, Cashmeres, Cheviots, Panamas, Poplin, Plaids, Checks and Stripes. Silks include plain colors and fancy weaves. Range of reg. prices from 50c to $2. All will go at HALF PRICE.


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### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Miss Ethel Rogers has recovered from her illness and resumed her duties as teacher at the Whittier School.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church, will hold an important meeting tomorrow afternoon.

Miss Loretta Thornton has returned to Jersey City, after renewing acquaintances in the village.

The Middlesex County Grange will meet in Friendship hall on Thursday night and install officers.

Rev. Mr. Greenwood, of Harrison, occupied the pulpit of the First Baptist church last night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Walker, entertained W. R. Dunbar and family, of Piscataway, yesterday.

Miss Cora Dayton spent last week at the home of her brother, Charles Dayton, in Plainfield.

Miss Cora Dayton will entertain the G. E. club tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster A. Sofield entertained company over Sunday.

Mrs. C. N. Meeker has recovered from a severe cold.

### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The fourth of the series of winter dances being held by the Bachelors' Club will be held tomorrow night in the hall. From present indications the friends of the club will be out in force.

"Bringing Others to Christ; Who Should do it? How is it Done?" was the topic of an interesting meeting of the B. Y. P. U., held last night in the parlors of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Backer, of Plainfield, were the guests over Sunday of Mrs. Backer's mother, Mrs. Robert Jahn, of Park avenue.

The weekly meeting of the Epworth League was held last night in the class room of the Methodist church.

Salvatore Sabino, of Park avenue, has returned from a visit with friends in Elizabeth.

Miss Adelaide Harper, of Front street, is visiting relatives in Brooklyn for a week.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Colburn, of Plainfield, visited Mrs. Colburn's mother, Mrs. Carl Nelson, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horn entertained out of town friends yesterday.

A large crowd turned out to enjoy the skating on the pond yesterday.

Miss Elizabeth Horan is suffering from a severe attack of gastritis.

George Mullison, of Perth Amboy, visited Melvin Teeple yesterday.

George Sandhen is suffering from a bad attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. John Maguire visited friends in Newark yesterday.

### SOMERVILLE.

The Bible Fellowship Club of the Second Reformed church will conduct a concert on February 24. Among the artists engaged is De Pue, the organist, who presides at the organ in the Wanamaker store. The vocal music will be rendered by Miss Anna Case, soprano; Miss Jesamine Burd, contralto; John Barnes Wells, tenor, and J. B. Carnes, bass.

At the annual business meeting of the First Baptist church on Thursday night, James L. Ten Eyck and John Lindsley were elected trustees for two years, to succeed T. W. McConnel and Peter Van Fleet. Mr. Van Fleet has served nine years, and refused re-election.

Rehearsals are being held daily for the business men's carnival, which is to be held in the new armory on January 24 and 25 under the management of the Somerville Public Library. About 250 persons are in the different choruses and sketches.

The organ, which has been used for many years in the First Reformed church, is being dismantled this week and will be shipped to a mission church in Grand Rapids, Mich. The new $7,000 organ will be installed in the near future.

Among those who have recently purchased automobiles are the following: Louis P. Gaston, Dr. Thomas Flynn, John A. Maxwell, Alfred Renskouf, John D. Gaston, Chester A. Cawley and Frank Lisser.

Mrs. Francis S. Vander Veer, of East Main street, entertained General Frelinghuysen Chapter, D. A. R., Friday afternoon. The paper was read by Mrs. Sterling.

Miss Blanche Van Fleet resumed her dancing class after the Christmas holidays Friday afternoon in the new armory.

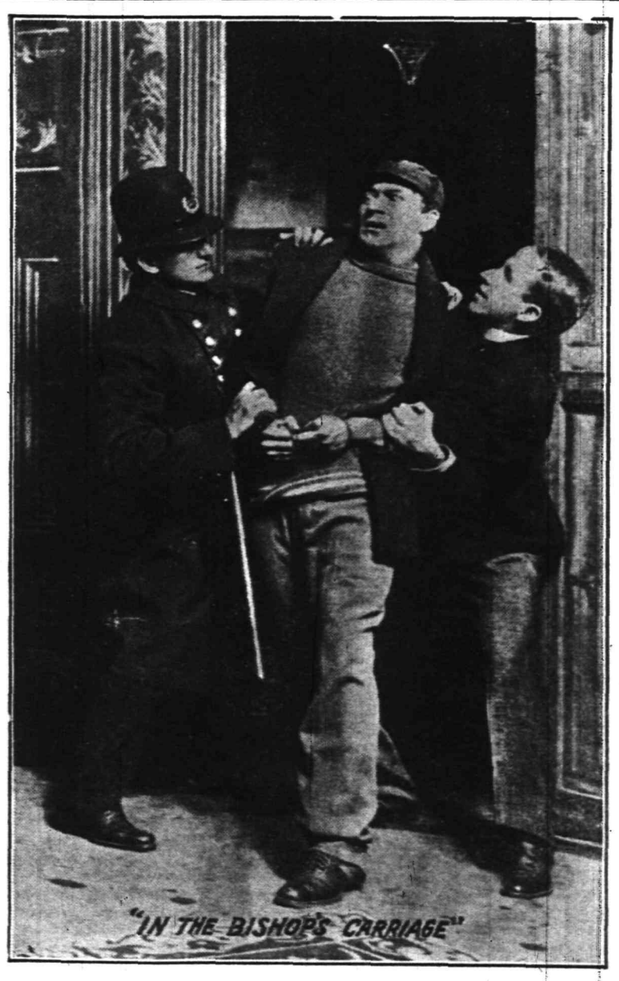
Miss Mary Dodd, of Orange, was in Somerville Friday, attending the funeral of Mrs. Porter, on West Cliff street.

Rev. E. G. Reid, of Plainfield, spent Friday in Somerville.

Miss Ida Poma, of West Hoboken, has returned after a visit with friends here.

Miss Mary Gallagher, of New York city, is visiting Miss Reginia Menze, of the New Madison.

Gerald H. Underhill, of Watchung, has returned from Liberty, N. Y., where he has been visiting.

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# Our January Clearance Sale Grows Greater as it Goes On

## Tomorrow We Bring Forward More Sale Offerings

The one dominating purpose now is to clear racks of ready-to-wear garments and counters, shelves and stock rooms of Winter Goods. Clearance and price-cutting here go hand in hand. To move out goods we mark down prices. And as they must go quickly we cut costs deeply. The clearance shall be speedy and complete.

Values veer to heretofore unreached heights as prices reach heretofore unrecorded low levels. Daily is demonstrated in new offerings the clear fact that this event is our greatest value-giving effort.

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... 15c

*Kid Gloves*—20 dozen black and colored kid gloves; regular value 75c, on sale ..... 59c

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard ..... 14c

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale ,at yard ..... 29c

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... 10c

30 Pieces Outing Flannel, light styles; regular 8c value; sale, yard ..... 6c

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# DR. ROBERTS' REPLY TO ASSEMBLY DISPUTE

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—Rev. Dr. William H. Roberts, stated clerk of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian church, emphatically denied the charge that he held more than one salaried position under the Presbyterian church. The dispute in which Dr. Roberts is involved arose out of a circular letter sent by the Presbytery of Blairsville to all other presbyteries in the United States urging them to co-operate in a movement to have the offices of stated clerk and treasurer of the General Assembly separated. The reasons given for this proposal were that Dr. Roberts, besides holding the position of stated clerk and treasurer, also held positions on thirty-one important boards and committees, and that he had paid out $112,239 as treasurer on his own warrants. In reply to this letter the Advisory Committee of the stated clerk of the General Assembly sent out letters denying the charges. They maintained that the only salaried position held by Dr. Roberts was that of stated clerk and treasurer, and that he had never paid out any moneys on his own warrants, but had merely signed the checks after bills to be paid had been audited and approved. Dr. Roberts said:

"This is my twenty-sixth year as stated clerk and treasurer of the General Assembly, and my accounts have been absolutely straight every year. Now it is said that it is necessary to have a change in the General Assembly. In May, 1909, it was voted not to separate the offices of stated clerk and treasurer, but some of the members of the minority of the assembly took up the matter through the Presbytery of Blairsville, and are seeking a reversal of that decision. As to the merits of the question I have not entered at any time. Any statements to that effect are false. What the Advisory Committee has done and may do is another matter. The committeemen are men highly honored in Philadelphia and will no doubt speak for themselves. Of the alleged fifty-six offices that I hold not one of them is a salaried office except that of stated clerk. The majority of the other positions are ex-officio positions arising from larger positions with which they are connected. For instance, I am secretary of the World's Alliance of the Presbyterian and Reformed churches, and the alliance has a number of committees to which I have an ex-officio relation. The Presbytery of Blairsville counts each of these a separate appointment, when in reality they are an extension of my duty as secretary in order to provide for the unity of the work of the committees. The same is true with my ex-officio positions in the Presbyterian General Assembly and of the Federal Council of the church of America.

"It was stated in a newspaper that the majority of Presbyterians in the United States are against me. There are 293 of these Presbyteries in the United States, and the majority of them have not yet even considered the matter, and quite a number of them have voted against the Pittsburg proposition."

## PERSONAL.

Miss Louise Demarest, of Somerset street, has been visiting relatives at Elizabeth.

The Misses Bartles, of Watchung, have been visiting friends at Rahway for several days.

Miss Sadie Holt, of New York, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Hippolyte Texier, of Watchung.

Miss Lauretta B. W. Anthony, of Crescent avenue, has returned from a visit at Fall River, Mass.

Miss Agnes DeCamp, of Franklin avenue, who has been quite ill with rheumatism, is recovering slowly.

Miss Jeannette Scott, of Whitewood avenue, is at Muhlenberg Hospital, under treatment for rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Williams and daughters, of Jackson avenue, have returned from a visit with Elizabeth relatives.

Miss Anna Walbridge and Miss Helen Walbridge, of Central avenue, are sojourning at Camden, South Carolina.

Mrs. Alfred Schutt, of Bayonne, has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker, of Somerset street.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Welsh, of Delaware, Ohio, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. James H. Joy, of the borough, have returned. Dr. Welsh is president of Wesleyan Ohio University.

Mrs. Elizabeth G. Ashbrook and daughter, Miss Gertrude Ashbrook, of Philadelphia, have returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Walter McGee, of Rockview avenue.

Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Chambliss, of Central avenue, will return this week from Chattanooga, Tenn., where they attended the wedding of their grandson, John A. Chambliss, Jr.

Edward Hewitt, of Newark, who has been at the hospital suffering from a fractured skull the result of trying to jump on a coal train at South Plainfield, is improving slowly.

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## Jan. 10 In American History.

1863—Lyman Beecher, father of the famous family, died; born 1775.

1893—Benjamin Franklin Butler, soldier and statesman, died; born 1818.

1906—Dr. William Rainey Harper, noted Hebrew scholar and president of the University of Chicago, died; born 1856.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:48, rises 7:20; moon rises 8 a. m.; 6:43 a. m., eastern time, new moon with the sun in constellation Sagittarius; 7:06 a. m., moon in conjunction with Uranus, passing from west to east of the planet.

Plainfield, N. J., January 10, 1910

## THE FORUM.

### Night School Needed.

Editor, The Daily Press:

Allow me to call the attention of the Board of Education to the need of maintaining evening classes for foreigners in this city. This fact can not be overlooked. If we want good citizens we must educate them. There are many who can not afford private teaching and would gladly take advantage of night schools if maintained. Hoping that you will bring this before the public I beg to remain very respectfully yours,

HENRY ROSENBAUM.

Plainfield, Jan. 8, 1910.

### ARTHUR F. JENNINGS DIED THIS MORNING.

Arthur F. Jennings, who has suffered from a complication of diseases for about a year, died this morning at his home on Rockview avenue. He was the son of Frederick C. Jennings and was unmarried. The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 and will be conducted by the Plymouth Brethren.

Mr. Jennings was for a number of years in the employ of the Loizeaux Lumber Company and enjoyed a large friendship. He was a graduate of Rutgers College and was fond of literary pursuits.

### Mrs. TenEyck's Funeral.

A large gathering of friends and relatives attended the funeral service of the late Mrs. Israel D. TenEyck, which was conducted at the home of her nephew, Frank Putnam, on East Second street. The service was in charge of the Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First M. E. church, and interment made at Evergreen cemetery, the bearers being Frank Putnam, Frazee Putnam, Jeremiah TenEyck and J. E. Laird, nephews, W. S. Jimmerson and Charles Peterson.

### At Proctor's.

Lorimer Johnstone & Co., in his new playet, "After the Ball," will entertain the patrons of Proctor's theatre this week. The company has given the play over 3,000 times and with great success. It has an excellent plot and is full of comedy. The Seaburys have a novelty in roller skating and juggling. J. W. Holland & Co., present a black face sketch entitled "Chalkers;" Charles Clarence is an up-to-date monologue artist and the best films d'art complete the bill.

### Will Visit the South.

Miss Josephine Kissam, of Duer street, accompanied by her brother, William Kissam, of Long Island, left today for Evergreen, North Carolina, where they will spend the remainder of the winter at the home of her brother, B. T. Kissam. Before returning Miss Kissam and her brother expect to visit various places of interest in Florida.

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WM. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.

Dated, Plainfield, N. J., Dec. 4, 1909.

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### HAD TOOTH EXTRACTED; NOW SERIOUSLY ILL.

Mrs. Charles S. Day, wife of Postmaster Day, of New Market, is seriously ill as a result of complications following the extraction of tooth three weeks ago.

Last week the interior of Mrs. Day's mouth swelled to such an extent as to render eating impossible. Yesterday her condition was so bad that Dr. J. Henry Buchanon was summoned to assist at a consultation in the case with other physicians.

### Miss Christine Miller to Sing.

Miss Christine Miller, who will appear at the McIntyre Chamber Music concert tonight, will give a morning song recital, Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., 75 Belvidere avenue, for the benefit of the Plainfield Society for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis. The recital will be given at 11 o'clock and tickets can be obtained at the Women's Exchange on Watchung avenue.

### McIntyre Concert Tonight.

The last of this season's series of McIntyre chamber music concerts takes place tonight at the High School auditorium. The date of this concert owing to its confliction with that of the Philharmonic orchestra, of New York, was changed from the seventeenth to the tenth, as has been announced several times before. Carriages should be ordered for ten o'clock.

### Thomas Morcom's Funeral.

The funeral service of the late Thomas Morcom was conducted at his late home on Plainfield avenue, Saturday afternoon, with the Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor of the First Methodist church, as the officiating clergyman. Interment was made at the Evergreen cemetery, of which the deceased was a caretaker for several years.

### Congregational Men's Club.

The Men's Club of the Congregational church, will meet at the residence of P. H. Suffern, 955 Kensington avenue, tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, and will listen to an address by James E. Martine, whose subject will be "Municipal Ownership." All the men of the congregation are invited.

### Will Hold Annual Meeting.

Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor of the Temple Baptist church, will give the second of his series of talks, Wednesday night, his theme being, "What Baptists Believe About God and About Man." At 9 o'clock, the annual church meeting will be held for the reception of reports and election of two trustees.

### Will Observe Anniversary.

J. H. Wright, of West Front street, will observe the seventy-fourth anniversary of his birthday tomorrow in a quiet way. He has a large circle of friends who will doubtless avail themselves of the opportunity to congratulate him tomorrow.


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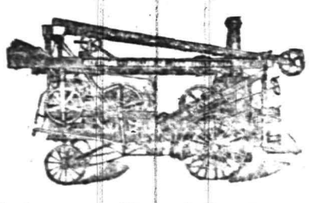

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# NEW YEAR'S THOUGHTS OF REV. MR. GOODRICH

The New Year's sermon preached last night by Rev. Charles L. Goodrich at the Congregational church was full of good advice for the coming year as well as a retrospective look into the year just closed.

Mr. Goodrich said in part: "Another year has gone never to return; each year is shorter than the last and swifter in its flight. Many writers have endeavored to describe the momentous flight of time and the teaching of all is that each year should teach wisdom.

"What have you taken out of the year just closed? What have you gleaned in all the past years? All the good things you have won from your toil are as nothing compared with the spirit which is in every man. Has that spirit increased in you? Have the years brought you to the spiritual reality? If so they have brought you more than you have lost.

"All you can take out with you at the close of the last year or your life is this spirit. How has it grown in you? The spirit of man is the meeting place with God. The fact that God and man are both spirits should alone inspire men and women to make the acquaintance intimate and get the spiritual realities out of life. The inspirations of God are all about us. If we will we may get the warm, powerful impulse of God Himself. Let us recognize all the good impulses of our hearts, no matter what the call may be for the saving and the glory of our souls.

"None of us has attained to the beautiful heights of spirituality which are possible with a complete surrender to Him, whom I pray may be with us all during the coming days of this new year.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The annual meeting of the Baraca class of the Temple Baptist church will be held tomorrow night, with the election of officers.

The Men's club of the Congregational church will be the guests of Philip S. Suffern, of 955 Kensington avenue, tomorrow night.

Rev. Dr. Forest Dager will speak before the members and friends of the Plainfield Sunday School Association at the First Baptist church, tomorrow night. All interested are invited.

Anna Marguerite and Edith LaRue Roseberry, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Roseberry, were baptized at Hope chapel, yesterday morning by the pastor, Rev. L. R. Howard.

The Sunshine Mission Band, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will be held at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon in the church parlors. The subject will be "The Children of Japan at Work and Play," and Dorothy Lyon will be the leader.

Rev. Mr. Halliday, of Park avenue, will supply the pulpit at Hope chapel next Sunday morning. There will be no evening service as the congregation will unite with the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church in a memorial service to the late Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards.

## MUST KEEP SOBER OR JAIL TERM FOR THEIRS.

Newton, Jan. 10.—Judge Hunt put two young men under suspended sentences after they had taken a pledge to abstain from the use of liquors, with the understainding that they would be apprehended if they fell from grace, and be made to serve out their terms.

Daniel Simmons, who confessed to stealing a chicken from his brother-in-law, Alonzo Stevens, of Trinity street, Christmas evere, was sentenced to three months in the county jail. Later sentence was suspended by the court on his promise to obtain work, reporting his behavior to Probation Officer Lewis Van Blarcom.

George Quackenbush, who pleaded guilty to furnishing the prisoners in the county jail with whisky during December of last year, was the first to take the pledge. The judge told him that if he should go to drinking again he would not only break his promise to the court, but his promise to God.

Dallas Van Dyne, a young man of Stanhope, who pleaded guilty to robbing a peddler at Stanhope last fall, was compelled to take the same pledge. If he violates it he will spend not less than a year in the Rahway Reformatory.

Moses Johnson, the negro giant, who pleaded guilty to carrying a forty-four-caliber revolver at Andover early in the winter, was sentenced to two years in State prison. Johnson said his residence was at Philadelphia. Judge Hunt said that the practise of carrying concealed weapons in this county had assumed alarming proportions. This was bad, because many quarrels and accidents had taken place because the weapons were handy. "I mean to try and break up the practise," he said. "I have no doubt that some innocent persons will suffer with the guilty, because the court will be unable to distinguish those needing punishment.

Norma Noonan, of Dover, indicted at the September term for larceny, entered a plea of not guilty.

## WRONG RECIPIENT OF HONOR

### Swedish Monarch Was Naturally Indignant at Ignorance Displayed by His Advisers.

When King Gustavus III. was in Paris, he was visited by a deputation of the Sorbonne. That learned body congratulated the king on the happy fortune which had given him so great a man as Scheele, the discoverer of magnesium, as his subject and fellow-countryman. The king, who took small interest in the progress of science, felt somewhat ashamed that he should be so ignorant as never even to have heard of the renowned chemist. He dispatched a courier at once to Sweden with the laconic order: "Scheele is to be immediately raised to the dignity and title of a count." "His majesty must be obeyed," said the prime minister, as he read the order; "but who in the world is Scheele?" A secretary was told to make inquiries. He came back to the premier with very full information. "Scheele is a good sort of fellow," said he, "a lieutenant in the artillery, a capital shot, and a first-rate hand at billiards." The next day the lieutenant became a count, and the illustrious scholar and scientist remained a simple burgher. The error was not discovered until the king returned home. His majesty was indignant. "You must be all fools," he exclaimed, "not to know who Scheele is!"

## SQUARE HOLE EASILY BORED

### Simple Explanation Disproves General Idea That Achievement Is an Impossibility.

It would seem, on first thought, an impossibility to bore a square hole. In reality nothing is simpler. The basis of the operation is the fact that as a circle rolls on a straight line, the center describes a parallel straight line. For instance, the hub of a carriage wheel moves along at a constant distance from the ground. Hence if we cause a cutter situated at the center of a cylindrical shank to roll on a straight guide the cutter will trace out a straight line. If the guide be broken into four sides of a square the shank will roll on these four sides, *one after the other, and the cutter will* ream out an equal square.

At the same time the motion of the tool is a rotary one, very similar to boring a round hole. The only trouble is that as the shank changes from one side of the square guide to the adjacent one there is a slight irregularity in the motion, so that the corners of the square hole are not sharp, but slightly rounded. This rounding may be reduced to a minimum and it is not a serious objection in any case.

### Cat That Loves His Bath.

"Talk about the Englishman and his bath! He isn't a marker on the cat I saw," said a man who had called the night before on the owners of the cat. "Mark Antony is the son of Julia Pry, who was given her name because she used to pry open the folding doors with her paw. But this Mark Antony would take a dozen baths a day if any one would fill up the tub for him. When he was a kitten he used to be put in the bath tub, where he was deemed safe, as he lived in a flat. The water dripped from the faucet and gave Mark something to amuse himself with. He evidently grew up to love the water, and now when any one comes in the door Mark Antony is there, and would lead even the utmost stranger bathroomward, that he might fill up the tub enough for him to splash in it."

### The Unexpected.

He had wedded a popular actress, much to the dismay of his friends. He was fond of the practical things of life. His friends were sure the professional lady would prove anything but a helpmeet for him.

"It was their first breakfast in the pretty suite in the little flat. The coffee was delicious, and the steak of the exact rareness he preferred, and he had never eaten such rolls. He held one of the latter aloft.

"Why, where do you buy them, my love?" he asked.

She flung him a bewitching smile.

"I created those rolls," she dramatically answered.

"You!" he cried.

"Yes," she replied; "I was cooking in a restaurant when I went on the stage."

### The Cost of Living.

She was having a little bite after the theater with the impecunious man who had gone with her on her pass.

"What sort of Welsh rabbit will you have?" asked the waiter, "plain, with an egg in it, or—"

"I'll have one with an egg in it," said she.

The impecunious man, who had turned quite white, came back to his natural color.

"Thank the Lord you stopped him at the one with an egg in it," said he. "That's only five cents more than the plain, they run up to a dollar apiece, these fancy Welsh rabbits. Didn't you know that?"

### Egyptian Embalming.

The modern embalmer is still ignorant of the secret that was so well known to the men of ancient Egypt. The process followed by the Egyptian embalmers is known only in part, the main part being still a mystery. As to the cost of becoming a mummy, Herodotus and Diodorus tell of three modes of embalming prevalent in Egypt, the first very costly, answering to about $2,000 of our money; the second, $60; the third within the reach of all.

## COASTER SLIDES UNDER TEAM; SKULL IS BROKEN.

Summit, Jan. 10.—Suffering from a fractured skull as the result of a coasting accident, William Conley, twelve-year-old son of William Conley, of Hughes place, lies in Overlook Hospital in a critical condition. Peter Johnson, thirteen years old, of Pearl street, who was on the sled with Conley, sustained severe scalp wounds and bruises.

This morning an operation was performed on Conley by Dr. William H. Lawrence, Jr., head of the hospital staff. The boys were coasting down Morris avenue hill and making a descent ran into a team of horses attached to a lumber wagon as the team was being driven under the Rahway Valley Railroad bridge. One of the horses' feet struck Conley on the head and the skull was broken.

Miss Ethel Perrine, of West Third street, is recovering from a recent illness.

Mrs. Charles Hughes, of Prescott place, is recovering from an attack of tonsilitis.


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PERNELL—At Dunellen, N. J., January 8, 1910, Henrietta Pernell, aged 55 years, 6 months.

Funeral from her late residence, Chestnut street, Dunellen, N. J., on Tuesday, January 11, 1910, at 2:30 p. m.

JENNINGS—At the home of his parents, on the 10th inst., Arthur Frederick, son of Frederick C. Jennings, in his 35th year.

Funeral services at 6 Rockview avenue, North Plainfield, on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 2:30 p. m. Kindly omit flowers. 1 10 2

GALBRAITH—At South Norwalk, Conn., January 9, 1910, Daniel Galbraith.

Funeral services from his late residence, at South Norwalk, Conn., Tuesday, January 11, 1910. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery, Plainfield, N. J., on the arrival of the 1:41 train, Tuesday afternoon.


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WANTED—Girl who understands all kinds of sewing. Call 424 West Front St. 1 7 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework, at 772 Kensington Ave. 1 7 3

WANTED—Competent white girl as cook and laundress; references required. 718 Madison Ave. 1 6 tf

WANTED—Young girl to assist with care of children daily, from 8 to 6. Apply 68 Norwood Ave. 1 10 3

WANTED—Good plain cook and laundress; wages $25. Apply 11 Rockview avenue. 1 10 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. Apply 600 Franklin place, corner of Sixth St. 1 10 3

WANTED — Girl for general housework; three in family; reference. 924 Madison Ave. 1 10 3

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white; reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Two girls, one for cooking, washing and ironing; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 5 tf

GENERAL houseworkers wanted immediately, white and colored; also cook and laundress, colored. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue. 1 8 2

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co 12 23 tf

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WANTED—Boy. 318 West Front St.

WANTED—At once, ten in the hands. Apply Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 8 6

WANTED—An engineer for local concern; state experience and salary expected. Address Engineer, care Press. 1 7 3

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YOUNG man, colored, wishes position at anything; A1 references. 521 South Second St. 1 7 3

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FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

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LOST—Umbrella handle with Greek lettering on same; also fountain pen with gold and black band. Suitable reward at this office. 1 10

LOST—Sunday, pair "rough rider" gloves. Reward at Daily Press office.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4

### For Rent.

SMALL house to let, 132 Johnston avenue. Apply 409 East Fifth street or 122 Johnston Ave. 1 5

TO LET—7-room house, 31 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6

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Channing Pollick's dramatization of "In the Bishop's Carriage," from the novel of Miriam Michelson, which

"The Bishop's Carriage," at Plainfield Theatre Tonight.

will be presented at the Plainfield theatre tonight, is destined to be more than a ripple in this season's dramatic events. "In the Bishop's Carriage" seem adequately the purpose of providing entertainment for those who like strong natural plays, with plenty of heart interest and the phantom of a psycholigical problem. The play opens just after Nance Olden has robbed Edward Ramsey, the tipsey broker, at the Broad Street Station, and made her escape in Bishop Van Wagenen's carriage. The good bishop in his solicitude for the girl whose brain he believes to be affected, and who has won his kindly heart by pretending to mistake him for her father, takes her to the home of his friend, Mrs. Ramsey. Nance goes willingly enough, little expecting that she is being taken to the home of the man she has just robbed, or that she will find there her friend, Tom Dorgan, playing the role of waiter and keeping his eye open for any little stray article of value that may be left lying about. The only one of the party at Ramsey's who sees through Nance and Tom's little game is Latimer, an up-to-date man of the world, with plenty of money and much leisure, which he devotes chiefly to the study of criminology. Interested as he is in the subject, he is peculiarly attracted to Nance. He compels Nance and Tom Dorgan to give up their thefts, thereby gaining the hatred of the man; but he also permits them to depart unmolested, and gains the gratitude of the girl. In the next act Nance exhibits her gratitude by admitting Dorgan to Latimer's apartments, whither she has come to be reformed, but Latimer catches them in the act of looting his rooms and turns the man over to the police. He punishes Nance by putting her on the stage. The third act shows Nance rich and happy, a popular vaudeville idol, dressed in rich laces and jewels, but still true to Dorgan, who is in prison. She spurns Latimer's love and he departs, but returns, however, just in time to find Dorgan has escaped and trying to force Nance to run away. There is then a stiff argument in which Dorgan voices a disclosure of Nance's immorality and Latimer retaliates by striking him, giving him—it is revealed in the next act—a black eye. In the final act Dorgan admits that he lied about his relations with Nance and all is cleared up for the marriage ceremony.

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### Her Little Bluff.

"Ethel," said Lionel Bertram Jones as he dropped his slice of bread in the plate with a noise that set the canary in the gilt cage overhead chirping merrily—"Ethel, I have something to say to you."

They had been married only four weeks, and the time had not arrived when she did all the saying.

"Do you remember the day on which I proposed to you?"

"Yes," she replied. "I will never forget it."

"Do you remember," he went on as he abstractedly drilled a hole in the loaf with the point of a carving knife, "how when I rang the bell you came to the door with your fingers sticky with dough and said you thought it was your little brother who wanted to get in?"

"Yes."

"Oh, Ethel! How could you? How could you?"

"How could I what?" she responded as a guilty look crept into her face.

"How could you make me the victim of such a swindle?"

### It Was Mistaken Charity.

The athletic girl had been out in the woods taking pictures, and at evening she started for the car, wearily lugging the camera and tripod. The cars were thronged with workmen returning to their homes, and she had to wait some time before there came one with even standing room inside. She pushed her way across the platform and just inside the doorway. The legs of the tripod rested on the floor at her side, and she was trying to brace herself against the door when a woman who had been sitting in the corner suddenly rose from her seat and gently but firmly pushed the young woman into it, with the remark, "Now you sit right there, you poor thing!"

The girl remained seated passively and looked puzzled for a moment. Then a dull flush covered her face. "How awful!" she thought. "That woman saw the tripod legs and thought they were crutches. She thinks I'm lame." Then she shrank back in the seat and tried not to show her face.—Exchange.

### The Nerve of a Boy.

"Speaking of the nerve displayed by small boys," said a man who had a trip through the southwest, "reminds me of an incident that occurred in the Santa Ana mountains, in southern California. An eleven-year-old boy, a member of a family making their way to the coast, left the camp early one morning to stalk deer. He found tracks and had followed them until he was five or six miles from camp. In reaching up on a rock he disturbed a huge rattlesnake that was sunning himself, and the snake without warning struck, wounding the boy on the middle finger of his right hand. Knowing that unless prompt action was taken the wound would prove fatal, the youth placed the finger over the muzzle of the gun and pulled the trigger. Making a ligature above the wound to stop the flow of blood, he killed the snake and walked back to camp, where he fainted. The finger was blown off close to his hand, but he recovered."—Exchange.

### Not Appreciated.

Apropos of the "delusion deep rooted in the minds of innumerable voters that a man can only be 'putting up for parliament' in order to better himself one way or another" and that no sacrifice has to be made by the candidate there is the speech that was made by Sir Richard Temple, who had returned poste haste from his duties in India, arriving after his own contest had begun. Sir Richard used words to the following effect, "I have traveled 8,000 miles and surrendered £5,000 a year for the privilege of representing this great constituency," but the proper sense of his generosity and public spirit was entirely marred by a remark from a loud voice in the crowd, "Oh, what a — fool you must be!"—Ian Malcolm in Cornhill Magazine.

### Money and Politics.

In his reminiscences of Grover Cleveland George F. Parker tells a story of the prodigal expenditures in politics. A rich man who had been nibbling at the Democratic nomination for governor of New York asked William C. Whitney's advice. This is the advice: "Of course you ought to run. Make your preliminary canvass, and when you have put in $200,000 you will have become so much interested in it that you will feel like going ahead and spending some money."

### Impossible.

Dr. Chargem—Your friend needs vigorous treatment. I never saw a man in such a state of mental depression. Can't you convince him that the future holds some brightness for him? Sympathetic Friend—That is unfortunately impossible. He has drawn his salary for three weeks ahead and spent the money.—Exchange.

### Police and Press.

It was Senator Evarts who paid this compliment to the police of New York at an annual dinner of the force: "As compared with the press you exhibit a striking contrast. You know a great many things about our citizens that you don't tell, and the press tells a great many things about our citizens that it doesn't know."

### Torture.

A cowboy stopped a stage full of passengers and made them all wait while he read a poem of thirty-two verses dedicated to his Mary Jane. There are some things as bad as shooting.—Argonaut.

The best excuses are never given.—French Proverb

# The Guest of Quesnay

By Booth Tarkington.

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I found that I was looking almost straight down into the upturned face of Larrabee Harman, and I cannot better express what this man had come to be and what the degradation of his life had written upon him than by saying that the dreadful thing I looked upon now was no more horrible a sight than the face I had seen, fresh from the valet and smiling in ugly pride at the starers, as he passed the terrace of Larue on the day before the Grand Prix.

We helped to carry him to the doctor's car and to lift the dancer into Ward's and to get both of them out again at the hospital at Versailles, where they were taken.

"Did it seem to you," said George finally, "that a man so frightfully injured could have any chance of getting well?"

"No," I answered. "I thought he was dying as we carried him into the hospital."

"So did I. The top of his head seemed all crushed in. Whew!" After a pause he added thoughtfully, "It will be a great thing for Louise."

Louise was the name of his second cousin, the girl who had done battle with all her family and then run away from them to be Larrabee Harman's wife. Remembering the stir that her application for divorce had made, I did not understand how Harman's death could benefit her, unless George had some reason to believe that he had made a will in her favor. However, the remark had been made more to himself than to me, and I did not respond.

The morning papers flared once more with the name of Larrabee Harman, and we read that he was lingering. And the dancer had been right. One of her legs was badly broken. She would never dance again.

A great many people keep their friends in mind by writing to them, but more do not, and Ward and I belong to the majority. After my departure from Paris I had but one missive from him, a short note written at the request of his sister, asking me to be on the lookout for Italian earrings to add to her collection of old jewels. So from time to time I sent her what I could find about Capri or in Naples, and she responded with neat little letters of acknowledgment.

Two years I stayed on Capri, eating the lotus which grows on that happy island and painting very little. But even on Capri people sometimes hear the call of Paris, so there came at last a fine day when I, knowing that the horse chestnuts were in bloom along the Champs Elysees, threw my rope soled shoes to a beggar, packed a rusty trunk and was off for the banks of the Seine.

At the end of a fortnight I went over into Normandy and deposited that rusty trunk of mine in a corner of the summer pavilion in the courtyard of Mme. Brossard's inn, Les Trois Pigeons, in a woodland neighborhood that is there. Here I had painted through a prolific summer of my youth, and I was glad to find, as I had hoped, nothing changed, for the place was dear to me. Mme. Brossard (dark, thin, demure as of yore, a fine looking woman with a fine manner and much the flavor of old Norman portraits) gave me a pleasant welcome, remembering me readily, but without surprise, while Amedee, the antique servitor, cackled over me and was as proud of my advent as if I had been a new egg and he had laid me. The simile is grotesque, but Amedee is the most benlike waiter in France.

He is a white haired, fat old fellow, always well shaved, as neat as a billiard ball. In the daytime, when he is partly porter, he wears a black tie, a gray waistcoat broadly striped with scarlet, and from waist to feet a white apron like a skirt and so competently encircling that his trousers are of mere conventionality and no real necessity, but after 6 o'clock (becoming altogether a maitre d'hotel) he is clad as any other formal gentleman.

Amedee's suggestions as to my repast were deferential, but insistent. His manner was that of a prime minister who goes through the form of convincing the sovereign. He greeted each of his own decisions with a very loud "Bien!" as if startled by the brilliancy of my selections, and, the menu being concluded, exploded a whole volley of "Biens" and set off violently to instruct old Gaston, the cook.

The inn itself is gray with age, the roof sagging pleasantly here and there, and an old wooden gallery runs the length of each wing, the guest chambers of the upper story opening upon it like the deck rooms of a steamer, with boxes of tulips and hyacinths along the gallery railings and window ledges for the gayest of border lines.

In the course of time and well within the bright twilight Amedee spread the crisp white cloth and served me at a table on my pavilion porch. He feigned anxiety lest I should find certain dishes (those which he knew were most delectable) not to my taste, but was obviously so distended with fatty [illegible] that it became a temptation to denounce at least some trifling sauce or garnishment. Nevertheless so much mendacity proved beyond me, and I spared him and my own conscience. The salad prepared and the water bubbling in the coffee machine, he favored me with a discourse on the decline in glory of Les Trois Pigeons.

"Monsieur, it is the automobiles they have done it. Formerly, as when monsieur was here, the painters came from Paris. What busy times and what drolleries! Ah, it was gay in those days! Monsieur remembers well. Ha, ha! But now, I think, the automobiles have frightened away the painters.

"I should have said that we should be happier if we had many like monsieur," went on Amedee. "But it is early in the season to despair. Then, too, our best suit is already engaged."

"By whom?"

"Two men of science who arrive next week. One is a great man. Mme. Brossard is pleased that he is coming to Les Trois Pigeons, but I tell her it is only natural. He comes now for the first time because he likes the quiet."

"Who is the great man, Amedee?"

"Ah! A distinguished professor of science, truly. He is a member of the institute. Monsieur must have heard of that great Professor Keredec?"

"The name is known. Who is the other?"

"A friend of his. I do not know. All the upper floor of the east wing they have taken—the grand suit—those two and their valet de chambre. That is truly the way in modern times—the philosophers are rich men."

"Yes," I sighed. "Only the painters are poor nowadays."

"Ha, ha, monsieur!" Amedee laughed cunningly. "It was always easy to see that monsieur amuses himself only with his painting."

"Thank you, Amedee," I responded. "I have amused other people with it, too, I fear."

"Monsieur remembers the Chateau de Quesnay, at the crest of the hill on the road north of Dives?"

"I remember."

"It is occupied this season by some rich Americans."

"How do you know they are rich?"

"Dieu de Dieu!" The old fellow appealed to heaven. "But they are Americans!"

"And therefore millionaires. Perfectly, Amedee."

sat beside him. His face would have done it without accessories.

My old friend George Ward and I had met for our aperitif at the Terrace Larue, by the Madeleine, when the white automobile came snaking its way craftily through the traffic. Turning in to pass a victoria on the wrong side, it was forced down to a snail's pace near the curb and not far from our table, where it paused, checked by a blockade at the next corner. I heard Ward utter a half suppressed guttural of what I took to be amazement, and I did not wonder.

The face of the man in the tonneau detached him to the spectator's gaze and singled him out of the concourse with an effect almost ludicrous in its incongruity. The hair was dark, lustrous and thick, the forehead broad and finely modeled and certain other ruinous vestiges of youth and good looks remained, but whatever the features might once have shown of honor, worth or kindly semblance had disappeared beyond all tracing in a blurred distortion. The lids of one eye were discolored and swollen almost together. Other traces of a recent battering were not lacking, nor was cosmetic evidence of a heroic struggle on the part of some valet of infinite pains to efface them. The nose lost outline in the discolorations of the puffed cheeks. The chin, tufted with a small imperial, trembled beneath a sagging gray lip.

The figure was fat, but loose and sprawling, seemingly without the will to hold itself together. In truth, the man appeared to be almost in a semi-stupor, and, contrasted with this powdered Silenus, even the woman beside him gained something of human dignity. At least, she was thoroughly alive, bold, predatory and, in spite of the gross embonpoint that threatened her, still savagely graceful. A purple veil dotted with gold floated about her hat, from which green dyed ostrich plumes cascaded down across a cheek enameled dead white. Her hair was plastered in blue-black waves, parted low on the forehead. Her lips were splashed a startling carmine, the eyelids painted blue, and from between lashes gummed into little spikes of blacking she favored her companion with a glance of carelessly simulated tenderness—a look all too vividly suggesting the ghastly calculations of a cook wheedling a chicken nearer the kitchen door.

"Who is it?" I asked, staring at the man in the automobile and not turning toward Ward.

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The great **January Furniture Sale** swings into its second week with flying colors, having scored heavily the past week despite some of the most unfavorable weather of the winter. The generous selling every day is convincing proof that the people have come to know this as the only really great furniture sale of the year—that the people know that only furniture of high quality is involved in these sales, that it is the regular dependable stock for which the store has become famous, and that prices are universally reduced—the prices being cut not less than 10 per cent., in many instances one-third, and in some cases one-half.

## Beds & Bedding to the Fore This Week—Our Entire Stock Included in the Great Jan. Sale

**Brass Beds, Brass Cribs, Enamel Iron Beds, Enemal Iron Cribs, Divans, Ded Springs, Box Springs, Hair Mattresses, Felt and Cotton Mattresses, Feather Pillows, Bolsters, Cots, Metal and Sliding Couches** all on sale this month at liberally reduced prices, affording housekeepers a splendid opportunity for effecting a positive saving on the most dependable sorts of beds and bedding.

**Beds and Bedding** and any other furniture, as well as floor coverings and upholsteries, can be bought at special prices this month and paid for on the **Club Plan.**

### HAIR MATTRESSES.

These Mattresses are made to our order in the cleanest of factories, along lines which we specify and are strictly adhered to, insuring you the very best Mattresses obtainable for the money. Covered with best grade A. C. A. and fancy striped ticking; hair filling is of the very best quality in each grade. Prices for this sale are materially reduced.

| Sizes | 4-6, 45 lbs. | 4-0 | 3-6 | 3-0 | crib |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Regular Price | $10.70 | $9.55 | $8.35 | $7.25 | $4.00 |
| Sale Price | **$9.25** | **$8.25** | **$7.25** | **$6.00** | **$3.25** |
| Regular Price | $13.80 | $12.35 | $10.80 | $9.35 | $4.85 |
| Sale Price | **$12.00** | **$10.75** | **$9.50** | **$8.00** | **$4.00** |
| Regular Price | $23.25 | $20.75 | $18.75 | $15.75 | $8.75 |
| Sale Price | **$20.00** | **$18.00** | **$15.75** | **$13.50** | **$6.75** |
| Regular Price | $29.60 | $26.40 | $23.00 | $20.00 | $10.00 |
| Sale Price | **$26.00** | **$23.00** | **$20.50** | **$17.50** | **$8.75** |

Many other grades of Mattresses all reduced.

### MATTRESSES.

Every Mattress we sell is thoroughly dependable and always worth what we ask, no matter what the price. January sale prices are unusually low.

**Our Plain Excelsior**—Made of good quality ticking, all sizes, 3-0, 3-6, 4-6, at ..... **$1.90**

**Soft Top Excelsior Mattress**—Good grade of plain and fancy ticking, nicely tufted and bound, any size, 3-0, 3-6, 4-0, 4-6, at .... **$2.50**

**Combination Mattress**—Filled with excelsior, cotton top, bottom and sides, nice plain and fancy ticking, well tufted and nicely made, all siezs, 3-0, 3-6, 4-0, 4-6, at ..... **$4.25**

**Palm Fibre Mattress**—Has cotton top and bottom, covered in good quality of ticking in choice colors; a good, sanitary article; we sell many of them; choice of sizes, 4-6, 4-0, 3½6, 3-0, at ..... **$5**

**White Cotton Mattress**—Thoroughly well made of choice colors of ticking, nicely bound and tufted; can have it in any size, 3-0, 3-6, or 4-0, 4-6, at ..... **$6.50**

**Felt Mattress**—Made of carded cotton felt; good choice grade ticking; it cannot be made by anyone better than we turn it out; 4-0 and 4-6 size at **$14.88**; 3-0 and 3-6 size at ..... **$12**

### GOOD PILLOWS.

Pillows made up specially after our own ideas and supervision and to our order. Quality of filling is of the best of its respective kind; ticking used is of the best quality A. C. A., blue and white stripe.

Sizes are 18-25, 20-28, 22-28 and 24-30.

Regular price, each, 70c, $1.20, $1.50, $1.90, $2.25, $2.50, $3.25, $4.00.

Sale price, each, **55c, $1.00, $1.30, $1.60, $2.00, $2.25, $2.75, $3.50.**

### BRASS BEDS.

Brand new design, and it is a beauty; the best we have ever offered for the money; corner pillars and top rods are 2 in. and all fillings, including the 7 rods in head and foot, are 1 in. thick; has solid cast tea balls, where the rods connect; best gold lacquer highly polished; a substantial and heavy-looking bed; all sizes, 3, 3½, 4, 4½ ft. Regular price $26.50; January sale price ..... **$19.50**

### CRIB AND MATTRESS.

Made of metal, white enamel, one inch thick pillars and top rods; filling rods in the sides and ends ⅜ and ¼ inch.; woven wire fabric springs; drop sides, sliding on brass rods. Filling rods in head, foot and sides placed closely together and are extra high, making it a very safe crib to place a child in.

### MATTRESS;

Is of Texas Cotton Felt, built in layers; is non-absorbent; cotton is cleaned and purified by an improved process; ticking is blue and white stripe or fancy striped; nicely tufted and bound with lace.

Regular price of Crib ..... $8.75
Regular price of Mattress ..... 4.00

Total ..... $12.75
Sale price complete ..... **$8.00**

**AN EXTRA SPECIAL—$30.00 MATTRESS $22.50.**

First-class in every particular, made in full siez in one part, weight 50 pounds, imperial stitched edges, covered with best grade of ticking, in handsome art colors, neatly tufted and bound, and no better workmanship can be put on a mattress; regular price $30.00; this week ..... **$22.50**

### SILK FLOSS MATTRESS.

In conjunction with the January Sale we will make these special prices on our famous Silk Floss Mattresses. These mattresses have many good qualities. The material is a vegetables floss in which no vermin can live. They are perfectly sanitary and can be re-made same as hair. They are soft and extremely light in weight; in fact, the lightest mattress we know of. They are made one inch thicker than the usual mattress, and may be had in one or two parts.

4 ft. 6 size, regularly $15.00, special at ..... **$11.00**
4 ft. size, regularly $14.25, special at ..... **$10.50**
3 ft. 6 size, regularly $13.50, special at ..... **$10.00**
3 ft. size, regularly $12.75, special at ..... **$9.50**
2 ft. 6 size, regularly $12.00, special at ..... **$8.50**
Crib size, regularly $7.50, special at ..... **$5.00**

All other qualities reduced this month.

### BED SPRINGS.

Iron frame springs, neatly bronzed gold, woven wire fabric tops, strongly constructed and sanitary as can be—can be had in all sizes at reduced prices.

Regular prices, $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50, $4.25, $5.25, $6.50.
In sale at **$1.75, $2.25, $2.65, $3.00 $3.75, $4.75, $5.50.**

### $9.00 BOX SPRINGS $7.75.

These springs are of the best spiral construction; twines, tufts, etc.; covered with best quality ticking; thoroughly well made in every detail; here in all sizes; regular $9.00 springs, at ..... **$7.75**

### WIRE COTS.

Wire Cots, hardwood frames, shellacked, folding style; woven wire fabrics, strongly supported from underneath; regular $1.75, special price ..... **$1.25**

Wire Cots, with maple fram, nicely shellackel; folding head and foot; double woven wire spring, supported by steel cables; regular price $1.85, sale price ..... **$1.50**

### BED AND OUTFIT—A SAVING OF $8.25.

It is a great convenience to many to be able to buy a bed, mattress, spring and pillows, all rightly matched in a single purchase, and so we make up these combination outfits, and in this case we will make a January sale price that will save every buryer exactly $8.25—surely a great consideration to folks inclined to be the least bit economical.

**Enamel Bedstead,** corner upright posts are 1 5-6 inch; the filling rods are half-inch and the top rod is of brass 1¼ inch; has brass flat vases on the head and foot; tea ball castings; made in all sizes. It is enameled white, nice and smooth; in fact, the best bed in our entire stock for the money.

**Mattress,** made of good grade cotton felt; carded in layers, 45 lbs. in weight, 4 feet 6 inches in size, one part; covered in plain blue and white stripe ticking, or several patterns of fancy stripe. All the edges are felled and nicely tufted, made up as good as possibly could be, new and fresh every day.

**Spring** has framework of iron tubing with patent corner malleable castings. All parts are neatly bronzed; has a woven wire fabric top, with heavy steel wires running along sides and additional coils of heavy fabric running through body of spring; ends are attached with spiral coil springs; the ends of the wire fabric are closed so that vermin cannot get in, and there are no ragged ends to tear the bedding. It is constructed with a reinforced trussed end bar which gives strength and resiliency. A sanitary spring.

**One Pair of Pillows,** filled with feathers, 3½ lb. weight each and size 22x28. The ticking is of the best quality A. C. A. blue and white stripe.

| | Reg. price | Sale price |
|---|---|---|
| **Bed** | **$9.00** | **$5.75** |
| **Mattress** | **$8.50** | **$5.50** |
| **Spring** | **$4.25** | **$3.25** |
| **Pillows** | **$3.80** | **$2.80** |
| | **$25.55** | **$17.30** |

### $18.00 OSTERMOOR MATTRESS $12.50.

We are going to offer the celebrated **Ostermoor Mattress,** known the world over as one of the most remarkable mattresses ever produced; built of cotton, which is subjected to such process as evolves an entirely different fabric, just as cloth is produced from wool, in sheets or layers 2½ inches each in thickness, wonderfully soft and elastic, impervious to moisture, proof against vermin, permanently elastic; will never mat, pack, lump or bunch like hair; evenly tufted; all carefully stitched; matched cover with fancy mercerized art twill tickings in desirable new designs; 4 feet 6 inches wide; standard length; made in one part weighing 45 pounds; also 3, 3 feet 6 inches and 4 feet wide; mattresses that regularly sell at $18.00—a regulated price; these to go because the coverings are slightly soiled (so slightly that it will be hard for you to detect it) at only ..... **$12.50**

### ENAMELED BEDS.

1 1-16 in. continuous tube, with filling rods in head and foot; castings nice and smooth; all parts neatly white enamaled; equipped with good quality, closely woven wire fabric spring; 3-foot size; suitable for children's or spare rooms; regular price $6; special, complete with spring, sale price ..... **$4.50**

### COT BEDS.

These have frames of angle irons and tubular castings; head and foot board folds; has double woven wire springs; supported by steel bands, helical springs, wire cables running along the edges; all parts neatly bronzed, fine for boarding-house keepers' or cottage use, and for servants' or children's room; equipped with mattress filled with soft cotton; covered with a good quality of ticking, pillow edge, a rst-class outfit of which we sell hundreds at the regular price, which is $3.50 for the cot and $1.75 for the mattress; we offer the combination for one week ..... **$4**

The cot may be bought separately at **$2.50**; the mattress at **$1.50,** if you wish.

### STRONG DIVANS.

**Divans**—Hardwood frame, substantial legs, woven wire spring or fabric top; supported with cross tables underneath.

2 ft. size, reg. price $2.25. Sale price **$2.00.**
3 ft. size, reg. price $2.75. Sale price **$2.25.**

**Divans;** hardwood frame; bolted legs, double woven wire fabric spring; has steel support and four cables underneath.

2 ft. 6 size, reg. price $2.50. Sale price **$2.25.**
3 ft. size, reg. price $3.25. Sale price **$2.75.**


**SHERIFF'S SALE**—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between The Prudential Insurance Company of America, complainant, and Joseph W. Reinhart et al., defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the following described lots or parcels of lands and premises situate in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, being more particularly described as follows:

First Tract—Beginning at a stake being at the intersection of the centre line of Belvidere avenue and Ravine road; thence running in a general southwesterly direction along the said centre line of Belvidere avenue and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of five hundred and forty-one and five one-hundredths feet to a point being at the intersection of the centre line of Berkeley avenue; thence running in a general northeasterly direction along the said centre line of Berkeley avenue and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of five hundred and ninety-six and three tenths feet to a stake being at the intersection of the centre line of Ravine road; thence running in a general northwesterly direction along said centre line of Ravine road and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of three hundred and sixty-four and forty-five one-hundredths feet to a stake and place of beginning.

Containing three and thirty-five one-hundredths acres of land and designated as block "A" on the map of the Belvidere Land and Improvement Company.

And being the same premises conveyed by James L. Anthony and wife to the said Joseph W. Reinhart by deed dated April 19, 1892.

Second Tract—Being known and designated as lot number 24 on a map of proprety situated at Netherwood, in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, sold by W. L. Strong, trustee, dated July, 1892, made by F. A. Dunham, civil engineer. Beginning as an iron monument being at the intersection of the centre lines of Ravine road and Berkeley avenue as the same are now laid out and opened, and running thence along said centre line of Ravine road in a southeasterly direction and then southwesterly direction and following the curve of the same a distance of four hundred and ninety-two and fifty-seven one-hundredths feet to a stake being the northwesterly corner of property now or formerly owned by Spence and Cudlipp and a northeasterly corner of lot number 25 on said map; thence along the line of said lot number 25 in a magnetic course of south eighty-four degrees five minutes west a distance of two hundred and forty-seven feet to a point being the southeasterly corner of property now or formerly owned by Eliza P. Brown; thence along the line of said property north twenty-eight degrees forty-nine minutes west a distance of two hundred and twenty-four and one one-hundredths feet to a point in the centre line of Berkeley avenue; thence along said centre line of Berkeley avenue in a northeasterly direction and following the curve of the same a distance of three hundred and sixty-three and one one-hundredths feet to the place of beginning. Containing two and two hundred and seven one-thousandths acres, more or less. And being the same premises conveyed to the said Joseph W. Reinhart by deed from William L. Strong dated July 25, 1892, and recorded October 18, 1892.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
EDWARD D. DUFFIELD, Sol'r.
12 20 5 m EDJ&DP Adv. Fees—$36.96

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SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between John H. Van Winkle, executor, etc., complainant, and Dora Nelson, her heirs, devisees and personal representatives et al., defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all tract or parcel of lands and premises situate, lying and being in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, being known and designated as lots numbers thirty-seven (37) and thirty-eight (38), in block "D," on a map of 264 lots owned by Watson Whittlesey at Netherwood Station, surveyed September, 1891, by F. A. Dunham, and filed for record in the Register's office for Union County.

Beginning at a point in the north line of Jackson avenue sixty-six (66) feet northwesterly from the northwest corner of Jackson avenue and George street; running thence northeasterly in a line parallel with the west line of George street one hundred and four and seventy-five one-hundredths (104.75) feet; thence northwesterly in a line parallel with the north line of Jackson avenue forty-four (44) feet; thence southwesterly to the north line of Jackson avenue one hundred and four and seventy-five one-hundredths (104.75) feet; thence southeasterly along the north line of Jackson avenue forty-four (44) feet to the place of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the party of the first part by deed of Watson Whittlesey, dated October 16, 1891, and recorded in book 234 of deeds for Union county, page 545.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
JOHN H. VAN WINKLE & SON, Sol'rs.
1 3 5m EDJ&DP Adv. Fees—$19.32.

## Arrival and Departure of Mails

PLAINFIELD POSTOFFICE
**August 1, 1909.**

Office opens 7 a. m., closes 7 p. m.
On Saturdays closes half hour later.

NEW YORK MAILS.
Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.30 a. m., 2.30, 5.00, 5.30, 8.30 p. m., 12 midnight.
Close—6.30, 8.15, 9.30, 11.50 a. m., 2.20, 6.00, 7.45, 9.00 p. m.

SOMERVILLE AND EASTON.
Arrive—9.00 a. m., 1.30, 3.15 and 7.00 p. m.
Close—8.00 a. m., 1.30 and 4.20 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA DIRECT.
Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.30 a. m., 2.30, 7.00 p. m.
Close—6.30, 8.15, 11.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 7.45, 9.00 p. m.

THROUGH FAST MAIL FOR EAST.
Close—11.50 a. m. and 7.15 p. m.

DIRECT THROUGH FAST MAILS FOR WEST AND SOUTH.
Close—11.30 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 and 7.45 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA, WEST OF EASTON
Close—6.30 and 8.00 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 p. m.

ELIZABETH, DIRECT.
Arrive—8.40 a. m., 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—8.15 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 9.00 p. m.

NEWARK, DIRECT.
Arrive—8.40 a. m., 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—6.30, 8.15, 9.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00 p. m.

WATCHUNG.
Arrive—1.00, 6.45, p. m.
Close—9.00 a. m., 5.30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.
Arrive—1.00 p. m.
Close—9.00 a. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.
Office open from 9.30 to 10.30 a. m.
Mail closes at 6.15 p. m.

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# JANUARY O'COAT SALE

**Our Annual Sale Starts Off on Monday—**

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### A Nasty Dig.

"As nasty a dig as I ever administered in my newspaper career in Virginia City," said Mark Twain, "was directed against a man named Ferguson.

"Ferguson, at Christmas time, invited me to see the presents he had given his wife. They were magnificent gifts. The man, of course, expected a write-up."

"Well, he wasn't disappointed. The next day, in a prominent place on the first page of the Enterprise I inserted this paragraph:

"'John H. Ferguson's Christmas gifts to his wife are being much admired. They include a diamond stomacher and many other beautiful specimens of cut glass.'"—Washington Star.

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Miss Nellie Yaba, of the Karen people, Burma, who addressed the Y. W. C. A. yesterday afternoon, was the guest of Mrs. William White, of Grove street. The father of Miss Yaba, who came to this country when a boy to be educated, spent his college vacations at the home of the late William White, who then lived on a farm through which Myrtle avenue and adjacent streets now run.

# The Plainfield Trust Company

## Report (condensed) as rendered to the Department of Banking, State of New Jersey

December the thirty-first nineteen hundred nine.

ASSETS.

| | |
|---|---|
| R. R. and other bonds (book value) | $ 580,475.36 |
| [Market value $593,730.50] | |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 |
| Overdrafts, None | |
| Cash | 454,592.95 |
| | $3,121,954.67 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital Stock | | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | | 202,501.58 |
| Accrued Interest | | 4,249.15 |
| Deposits— | | |
| Time | $1,015,641.78 | |
| Demand | 1,799,562.16 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
|---|---|---|
| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |


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## THE PLAINFIELD TRUST COMPANY

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of this Company for the election of Directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it, will be held at its banking house, 202 Park Avenue, Plainfield, New Jersey, on Tuesday, January 11, 1910, at three o'clock P. M. The polls will be open one hour.

J. HERBERT CASE, Secretary.
Plainfield, N. J., December 10, 1909
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## Y. M. C. A. HUMBLES ORANGE CHAMPIONS

For the first time in the history of the organization, the Y. M. C. A. basketball five defeated the Orange Y. M. C. A. team at the local gymnasium on Saturday night. The score was 37 to 29. From first to last the game was fast and full of excitement and there was never more than one or two goals' difference in the score. Aalholm was the star of the contest, making eight goals from the field and three fouls. The lineup:

| Plainfield. | Orange. |
|---|---|
| Linke | Hand |
| right forward. | |
| Aalholm | Knapp |
| left forward | |
| Cahoone | Lee |
| center | |
| Foster | Barker |
| right guard | |
| Gavett | Shorter |
| left guard | |

Score—Plainfield 37, Orange 29. Goals from field—Linke, 3, Aalholm 8, Cahoone 5, Gavett, Hand, Knapp 2, Lee, Parker 4, Shorter 2. Goals from foul—Aalholm 3, Knapp 9. Time of halves—20m. Referee—Listman, Plainfield. Umpire—Henkel, Orange.

## "RED MEN" LEADING IN BOWLING CONTEST

The Red Men are still leading in the Fraternal Tourney with eleven games won and one lost. The Raritan team is holding down second place, with the advantage of one game each way over the Knights of Columbus, who are in fourth position.

The standing is as follows:

| | W. | L. | Ave. | H.S. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Red Men | 11 | 1 | 877.7 | 950 |
| Raritan | 7 | 2 | 887 | 967 |
| K. of C. | 6 | 3 | 886.3 | 983 |
| Woodmen | 4 | 5 | 844.1 | 955 |
| Ponies | 5 | 7 | 838.4 | 916 |
| Elks | 2 | 7 | 838.5 | 930 |
| Public Service | 1 | 11 | 796.6 | 839 |

The schedule for this week is: Wednesday, Raritan vs. Woodmen; Thursday, Elks vs. Ponies; Friday, Red Men vs. Knights of Columbus.

The game scheduled between Newark and Plainfield lodges in the former city tomorrow night, has been postponed owing to the annual meeting of the Newark lodge. The game will be rolled on a date to be fixed later.

### BASKETBALL.

N. P. H. S.'s colors were carried to victory in two basketball contests Saturday in Debele's Hall against Bernardsville. The boys' team were victorious in their game by a score of 63 to 13. The lineup was: Conroy and Stine, forwards; C. Smith, center, and Dunning, Becker and Taylor, guards.

The girls' team scored an easy victory by the score of 83 to 1. The lineup was: B. Conroy and N. Steiner, forwards; H. Humble and H. Winn, center; H. George and C. Smith, guards.

The borough team has two games for this week. On Wednesday the boroughites will play Cranford and meet Leal's in an interscholastic game on Friday.

Kerro Knox, of Rockview avenue, has been in Kansas City, Mo., since the beginning of the year and will remain a few months on business.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. W. F. Olliver, of East Fifth street, is detained at home with an attack of the grip.

Alfred Tranchand, of Duer street, is still detained at home with a severe atack of rheumatism.

The Misses Carol and Lucy Hughes, of Watchung, have returned from a visit in Jersey City.

Miss Minnie Blazier, of Elmwood place, left Saturday for Georgia, where she will remain an indefinite time.

Miss Edith Kutz, of Newark, has returned after spending the holday season with her parents at Watchung.

John Maclay, of Summit, has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hudson, of Somerset street.

Thomas Stair, of the borough, has returned from Bordentown, where he has been staying for the past few months.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Klein, of Park place, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter about a week ago.

Miss Stella Kline, of Somerset street, who has been visiting Miss Helen Ellis, of Washington, has returned home.

Dr. and Mrs. Henry H. Lowrie, who are enjoying their honeymoon, are now registered at the Chalfonte, Atlantic City.

Miss Edith Erickson and Miss Eleanor Elskamp were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Williams, of Westervelt avenue, yesterday.

The Misses Moldenke, of Watchung, have returned to the Mary J. Drexel Institute, Philadelphia, after spending the holiday season at home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Crawford, of Keyport, are visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Crawford and his aunt, Miss Ella Benedict, of Duer street.

### LAWYER MISSED TRAIN; BERGEN WOULDN'T WAIT

Elizabeth, Jan. 10.—The contest between Democratic and Republican incumbents of Middlesex County offices which was to have been arranged Saturday before Supreme Court Justice Bergen, failed to develop. Justice Bergen was on hand, but Alan H. Strong, of New Brunswick, who was to appear for the Republican claimants in the controversy, failed to appear on time. He telephoned to Justice Bergen he missed his train and would be on the one reaching Elizabeth at 11 o'clock, but the justice refused to wait and, with his stenographer, left for Somerville, where the matter probably will come up next Saturday.

County Solicitor Coan served notice on former County Solicitor Alan H. Strong of a rule to show cause why the five writs of certiorari carrying up for review the appointment of officers by the Democratic Board of Freeholders should not be set aside. The writ was returnable before Justice Bergen here Saturday.

Justice Bergen Saturday revoked a license granted by Elizabeth's old Board of Excise before its term expired for a saloon on Maple avenue. The license was originally granted to a man named Piccolo, but because of a remonstrance the board took the license away and awarded it to a rival saloon-keeper. Then the property owners in the vicinity came strongly to the front again with another remonstrance against the new proprietor. As the old Board of Excise has passed out of existence, it had no longer any jurisdiction in the matter, and in consequence the case was taken before Justice Bergen. Former Prosecutor William R. Wilson represented the saloon man, while Samuel Koestler appeared for the objecting property owners.


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From the days of Isidor Mercater, who forged letters of the bishops of Rome with such skill and success that they were treasured for centuries in the Roman archives, to the days of Ireland, the notorious forger of Shakespearean plays and letters, and Chatterton, the clever and ill fated boy who died miserably in his attic, there have never been wanting unprincipled men who could forge ancient manuscripts so cleverly that leading experts have been deceived.

But for versatility and cleverness none of these forgers of past centuries could approach the cleverness of a young Scotchman who years ago produced a long succession of forged manuscripts which completely baffled the connoisseurs of the world. The true and full story of these remarkable forgeries is almost unknown and is so extraordinary that it may well be told.

It was in Edinburgh that this incomparable forger practiced his arts, and it was by an accident that he was tempted to embark on a career which, after a spell of great success, involved him in disaster. One day the principal of an Edinburgh firm of lawyers told one of his clerks to clear out several boxes full of old documents, the accumulation of many years. Among them were several documents and autographs the value of which the clerk was quick to recognize, and he had no difficulty in finding purchasers for them. As the supply was limited and the demand constantly increasing it occurred to him to supplement the genuine documents with others of his own manufacture, and as he developed a remarkable skill in forging and had already won the confidence of a large number of collectors he found it easy to dispose of as many forgeries as he could produce at very profitable prices.

Many of them were sold to collectors in different parts of the world, others were disposed of by auction, and the remainder were pawned and sold as unredeemed pledges. These forgeries covered a very wide range and included autographs and letters by Cromwell, Mary, queen of Scots; James VI., Prince Charlie, John Knox, Rob Roy, Burns, Scott, Thackeray, Carlyle, Salisbury, Gladstone, Lord Nelson and many other men of note as well as vast quantities of Jacobite correspondence.

So cleverly were the forgeries executed that the largest purchaser of Scott's letters was a gentleman who as a boy had carried most of the great author's manuscripts from Abbotsford to his Edinburgh publishers and was as familiar with Scott's handwriting as his own, and the head of the firm that published Lord Byron's works purchased forty-seven letters purporting to be Lord Byron's for the sum of £125 5s. 6d. A very large collection of these manuscripts was purchased for a sum of over £4,000 and presented to the Lenox library, New York, where they were for some time regarded with reverence as the chief treasure of the library, and another collection was presented to the city of Edinburgh.

Although these forgeries were poured on the market in such profusion, no suspicion seems to have been aroused. They were accepted without question by the experts and found ready purchasers at large prices. Whether the forger's success made him careless or whether it was due to one of those remarkable oversights to which the most skillful criminals seem liable and which bring their career to a close, the forger was at last exposed through a mistake of which such a clever man should scarcely have been capable.

Among the many forgeries he produced a poem signed by Robert Burns. It was called "The Poor Man's Prayer" and opened with this stanza:

Amiest the more important toils of state,
The counsels laboring in the patriotic soil,
Though Europe from thy voice expect her fate,
And thy keen glance extend from pole to pole

This poem, which consisted of nineteen verses, might well have escaped detection with the rest but for the fact that a gentleman to whom the poem was shown discovered the identical verses in the London Magazine of 1766 in a poem addressed to the Earl of Chatham by one Simon Hodge, laborer.

Thus it appeared that if the verses were actually written by Burns the poet must have opened them under the pseudonym of Simon Hodge at the very immature age of a poet of seven years. Suspicion once aroused, doubt was at once cast on the hundreds of other documents which had emanated from the same source. The Lenox collection was submitted to the experts of the British museum and pronounced "a worthless lot of forgeries," and collectors all the world over awoke to the painful discovery that their treasures of old manscripts were scarcely worth the paper they were written on. The forger's career was brought to a sudden termination. He was brought up for trial and sentenced to a term of imprisonment, thus closing a career of forgery which for daring, cleverness and success has perhaps never been equaled.—New York Press.

Great trees give more shade than fruit.—German Proverb.

## WHAT IS A WHITE MAN?

### A Puzzling Problem For the Racial Investigator.

The chief of the naturalization bureau at Washington is of the opinion that the "average man in the street" understands distinctly what a "white" man is. Apparently some persons can master a subject without studying it at all, while others who have looked into it deeply are not so dogmatically certain as the "average man in the street."

For example, the encyclopedias tell us that mankind was divided by Blumenbach into five races—namely, Caucasian, Mongolian, Ethiopian, American (Indian) and Malay. The words "Caucasian" and "white" are used synonymously. This classification was first published in 1781 and must have been known to our national legislators when in 1802 they passed the first naturalization law.

The Caucasian race includes Arabs, who are certainly no "whiter" than the Turks, yet Turks, the official says, cannot be naturalized because they are not "white."

We are also told by the naturalization bureau that the Hindoo is not "white" within the meaning of the statute. But the encyclopedia says that it is a great error to separate the Hindoo from the Caucasian race. The Hindoo, it thinks, is much nearer the "white" race than the Arab.

To puzzle the racial investigator still further, while everything is so clear to the "average man in the street," we are told by the encyclopedias that the original Caucasians—that is, the inhabitants of the Caucasus—are no longer regarded as Caucasians. They have been thrown out of the "white" camp and forced to go over to the Mongol.

Nor is the enigma any nearer solution when we are told by the naturalization bureau that Asiatics cannot be naturalized, but that Siberians can, although Siberians may be anything from Russians to Mongolians or Mongol-Turco-Tartars.—Boston Globe.

## AN ARCTIC TRAGEDY.

### The Body That Was Seen Floating In the Icy Water.

On Aug. 30 we arrived at Rudolf island, the most northern of the Franz Josef group and simply a mass of ice and high glaciers, where we had planned to spend the winter. While cruising near Northbrooke island I saw one day from the "crow's nest" a singular dark body just awash on the surface of the water. As we came nearer and nearer I was possessed by a rather unusual desire to know what this dark mass was. Putting up my glasses, I gave the order for "dead slow," and we passed the object closely on the starboard side. I saw clearly that it was the body of a man clothed in a great skin coat, with the usual hood, and with mittens on the hands. The face was not discernible, but it dawned on me suddenly that this might be the remains of the Swedish balloonist Andree, who had been lost in the arctic about two years before, or perhaps one of the men who had been lost in the Abruzzi expedition.

I was about to stop the steamship and procure the body when it occurred to me that to take a corpse on board would destroy the good spirit and courage of the members of the polar party, for there is a general superstition among sailors that a ship is doomed when a dead body is on board. The first officer and myself were the only ones who witnessed this ghastly spectacle, and neither mentioned the fact, fearing that the discovery would cast a shadow over the entire party. We have both always believed that this was the body of Andree, and I have often regretted that it had not been in my power to give him decent burial.—Captain Edwin Coffin of the Ziegler Polar Expedition in National Magazine.

### The Family Tree Grew Backward.

A Kansas City man married, and his mother-in-law came to live with him. About a year later a friend met him and asked:

"Has there been any increase in your family since we last met?"

"Well, yes. There's one more of us."

"Well! Glad to hear it. Boy or girl?"

"Neither. It's my wife's mother's mother, who has come to live with us."

The first man was silent a moment; then he said, "It looks to me, old man, as if your posterity had got headed in the wrong direction."—Kansas City Times.

### The Rhyming Speller.

A correspondent mentions the difficulty experienced by budding authors in spelling words in which diphthongs "ei" and "ie" appear. An easy manner to recall the order of precedence of the vowels is contained in an ancient rhyme:

"I" before "e"
Except after "c"
Or when sounded like "a"
In "neighbor" and "weigh."
—New York Sun.

### They Sometimes Are.

"We'll have to promote that clerk. He takes the stairs four at a jump. He's always busy."

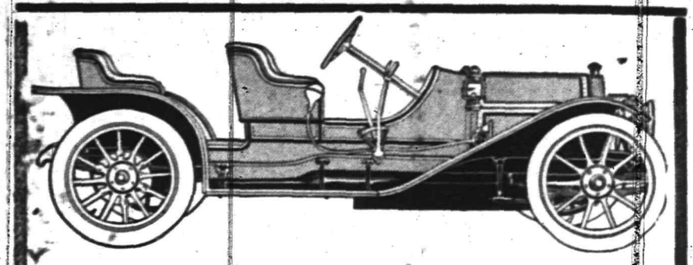
"Yes," commented the observant senior partner, "too busy to do anything."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

### Unopened.

"Did opportunity knock at your door?"

"Yes, but the cook always maintained that it wasn't her place to answer."—Puck.

Beyond his power the bravest cannot fight.—Homer.

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## LEGISLATURE MEETS IN ANNUAL SESSION

### Officers are Chosen and Governor's Message is Read to the Lawmakers.

Marked by all the formalities required by constitutional law, and accompanied by innumerable phases of political and social life, the 134th session of the New Jersey Legislature was convened at Trenton at high noon today. In the Senate fifteen of the twenty-one seats were occupied by Republicans, and in the House of the Assembly there are forty-one Republicans and nineteen Democrats, thus giving a Republican majority on joint ballot of thirty-one. For the first time in several years the so-called "new idea" Republicans are without representation, the majority side being solidly "regular."

The opening day in the Senate was distinguished by the fact that there were no floral offering displayed in the chamber. Floral offerings were received from admiring constituents by nearly all of the Senators, but the plants and posies were relegated to the committee room, where they did not interfere with the official steps of those for whom they were intended as a compliment. In the House, however, the floral exhibition was as elaborate as in former years.

The Senate was called to order by Mr. Ackerman, of Union, who has been chosen by the Republicans as majority leader. As has been the unvaried custom the honor of acting as president pro tem was accorded to one of the minority members, Mr. Leavitt, of Mercer, naming Senator Cornish, of Warren, the oldest member in point of service, for that place. Mr. Cornish was escorted to the chair by a committee of which Senator Gaunt, of Gloucester, was chairman.

After Mr Ackerman had nominated Howard F. Tyler, of Cumberland, as temporary secretary, which was agreed to, the former presented the credentials of the newly elected members.

The Senate proceeded to the election of a president. Mr. Ackerman nominated Mr. Frelinghuysen, of Somerset, for the Republicans, and Mr. Fielder, of Hudson, nominated Mr. Silzer for the Democrats. Mr. Frelinghuysen received fifteen votes and Mr. Silzer six, the former thus becoming not only the presiding officer of the Senate, but also by virtue of this post ranking as the second officer of the State government next to the Governor. Messrs. Hand, Brown and Price escorted Mr. Frelinghuysen to the chair, where as president he expressed appreciation of the honor which had been conferred upon him.

Rev. J. H. DeHart, pastor of the Third Reformed Dutch church, of Raritan, then offered prayer. He is the pastor of the church of which Mr. Frelinghuysen is a member.

Mr. Tyler was then re-elected secretary of the Senate for the seventh time, following which the president appointed Messrs. Wakelee, Bradley and Osborn a committee to call upon the Governor and notify him that the Senate was ready to proceed to business and also to receive any communication that he desired to make. A similar duty with reference to the House was performed by Secretary Tyler. The gubernatorial notification committee repaired to the executive chamber and were received by Governor Fort, following which Leslie R. Fort, secretary to the Governor, appeared in the Senate and presented the Governor's message, which will be found in another column.

After the message had been received the Senate proceeded to election of minor offices as follows: Assistant secretary, William C. Murphy, of Camden; journal clerk, John W. Clift, of Union; sergeant-at-arms, Guadoloup A. Holl, of Mercer; supervisor of bills, Edward A. Sexsmith, of Monmouth.

Before the Senate adjourned to next Monday night President Frelinghuysen announced the appointments to committees.

Hemmed in on all sides by a wealth of beautiful floral pieces, the sixty members of the House of Assembly were all in their seats at the Assemly chamber in the State House at Trenton at noon, and were called to order for the law making session by James Parker, of Paterson, the veteran clerk of the popular branch of the Legislature.

Reverend Dr. Henry Ward, of Closter, a retired Dutch Reformed

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## BURY BELOVED PASTOR

### Obsequies of Rev. Dr. Richards, a True Man of God, Largely Attended.

MANY NOTABLE MOURNERS.

Yale Corporation and Other Distinguished Bodies Represented —Learned Divines Officiate.

Funeral services for the Rev. Dr. William Rogers Richards, late pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, this city, and the Brick Presbyterian church, New York, were held from the latter church yesterday forenoon. There were many mourners, including more than one hundred members and friends of the Crescent Avenue church, who occupied seats reserved for them at the church edifice.

There were also present members of the New York Presbytery and representatives of the Yale Corporation and Union Theological Seminary, ministers of other churches and personal friends of the dead pastor.

The services were conducted by the Rev. Robert Davis, assistant pastor; Rev. Shepherd Knapp, of Worcester, Mass., formerly assistant pastor; Rev. Dr. Henry vanDyke, of Princeton University, and former pastor, and Rev. Dr. George Alexander, moderator of the New York Presbytery.

In the pulpit also were the Rev. George S. Webster, of the Church of the Covenant, and the Rev. James M. Farr, pastor of Christ church, New York city. The pallbearers were the elders, deacons and trustees of Brick church. Yale Corporation was represented by distinguished alumni. At the conclusion of the services nearly all present filed by the casket. The burial will take place at the boyhood home of Dr. Richards at Bridgeport, Conn., at the convenience of the family.

On Sunday, Dr. Henry vanDyke occupied Dr. Richards' pulpit at Brick church, preaching the sermon that the late pastor had prepared for that day. At the conclusion of the sermon, Dr. vanDyke made a touching reference to the life and character of Dr. Richards, referring to his work at Brick church. Dr. vanDyke will continue to serve the church as acting pastor until a successor to Dr. Richards is chosen.

## NORRIS WANTED HIS WIFE; SHE DOES NOT WANT HIM

Maybe Grafton P. Morris, a printer sometimes of Pennsylvania and again hailing from Connecticut, will leave his wife alone to pursue the even tenor of her way as a practical nurse and then again he may not, but in the latter event he will become the guest of the county for a period of sixty days.

This morning at 7 police headquarters was notified that Mr. Norris was creating a disturbance at the residence of Mrs. Knight, 1270 Park avenue. Patrolman Birmingham was despatched to the scene of the trouble and corralled Mr. Norris, who was shouting at the top of his voice that he wanted to see his wife and that ——— quick.

As it was not the first time that Mrs. Knight had been disturbed in a similar manner, she decided to have the disturber removed, hence her call for help. In the city court this morning Norris could give no reasonable excuse for his actions and Judge William Runyon imposed a sentence of sixty days, suspending execution of it if Norris would let his wife live in peace. Mr. Norris claimed to have supported the recreant husband for several months and believed that she had a perfect right to decide where she should live. The Judge coincided with her and warned Norris.

### WEINBERGER CLOTHING HOUSE CHANGES HANDS.

Mrs. Max Weinberger, of Prospect place, has purchased the clothing business formerly owned by her late husband and more recently by Jacob Weinberger on West Front street, and will take possession on February 1. She owns the building where the business is now located and after February 1 will occupy the entire building.

Mrs. Weinberger is planning to remodel the store and later will announce the name of the new manager shortly.

### Company K's Christmas.

Members of Company K had a session of fun at their Christmas celebration, last night. The entertainment committee, of which Sergeant Roy DeCamp is chairman, provided a Christmas tree from which every member received a present.

## RARE MUSICAL TREAT

### Beethoven's Opus 16 in Four Parts Admirably Treated by McIntyre's Artists.

MISS MILLER SCORES TRIUMPH.

Saint-Saens' Serenade Finished a Most Delightful Program of Inspiring Music.

As the fashionable and representative audience which filled every seat in the High School auditorium, last night, settled back in its chairs to scan the program of the fourth and concluding concert of the McIntyre Chamber Music Evenings, it was greeted with a pleasant surprise, for there was announced another concert which, for the personnel of the visiting artists, far eclipses anything Mr. Joseph McIntyre has ever attempted here. This is to be an Old Favorite Song concert and is scheduled for the evening of January 27.

The concert last night was a fitting climax to a successful season—the most successful, in fact, since Mr. McIntyre inaugurated these delightful evenings here. The program was replete with gems, instrumental and vocal, and the visiting artists and their most appreciative audience were soon in perfect accord, as the vociferous applause which followed each number attested. The quartet, an innovation in this series, played delightfully and its interpretation of Beethoven's exquisite Opus 16 proved an inspiration, for it but keyed the devotees of good music up to the highest pitch and prepared them for the many good things to follow. This quartet was composed of Mr. McIntyre, piano, and he never played better; Arthur Lichstein( violin; Otto K. Schill, viola, and Vladimir Dubinsky, 'cello. Later Mr. Lichstein was heard in "Faust's" Fantasie and an ovation was accorded him. As an artist he has few superiors and Plainfield is deeply indebted to Mr. McIntyre's persistence in engaging him for this concert, as it will be recalled he was to have appeared here earlier in the season but was compelled to cancel the engagement at the last moment.

Of course, chief interest centered in Miss Christine Miller, whose exquisite contralto voice was never heard to better advantage. She was particularly fortunate in the happy selection of her songs, for each quickly brought the audience to its feet with storms of applause. This was not Miss Miller's first appearance here and fortunately it will not be her last, as she has been re-engaged for the Old Favorite Song concert.

The concluding instrumental number was a trio for piano, violin and 'cello, a serenade by that most gifted composer, Saint-Saens. It, too, was warmly received and in this number the trio did, perhaps, its best work of the season. The program follows: Beethoven's Opus 16, quartet, piano, violin, viola and 'cello, (a) Grave-Allegro ma non troppo; (b) Andante Cantabile; (c) Allegro ma non troppo; song group, Miss Miller, (a) Botschaft, Brahms; (b) Die Ablaesung, Hollander; (c) In the Time of Roses, Reichardt; (d) Floods of Spring, Rachmaninoff. Violin solo, Mr. Lichstein, "Faust" Fantasie. Song group, Miss Miller, (a) A Summer Idyl, Coleridge-Taylor; (b) My Love and I, McDowell; (c) The Danza, Chadwick; (d) Sunshine Song, Bliss. Saint-Saens' Serenade, piano, violin and 'cello.

Those songsters who have been engaged for the "Old Favorite" song concert include Miss Miller, contralto; Dr. Carl Dufft, basso; John Young, tenor, and Edith Chapman Goold, soprano. There will be solos, duets, trios and quartets and altogether it will be a delightful evening of song, with the very best artists that can be procured to interpret them.

### S. S. SWACKHAMER ADDRESSES MEN'S CLUB ON LOCAL OPTION.

S. S. Swackhamer addressed the members of the Men's Club of the First Baptist church, last night, in an informal manner. Local option eventually proved the basis of an earnest talk by the speaker and he attempted to prove that local option is the only safe and sane plan for handling the liquor problem.

B. J. Phelps, president of the club, called the meeting to order and then presented J. Henry Crane, who introduced the speaker of the evening. After Mr. Swackhamer's talk, there was a social time and refreshments were served.

### Mayors at Trenton.

Mayor Fisk, of this city, and Mayor Smalley, of the borough, attended the opening session of the Legislature at Trenton today.

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## THEY MARRIED SECRETLY

### Miss Mildred Wildey and Richard Waring Give Society a Surprise.

CEREMONY AT ELIZABETH.

Rev. Dr. Glazebrook Tied the Knot For a Popular Young Couple —Now On Honeymoon.

Society folk were greatly surprised today to learn of the marriage of Miss Mildred Wildey, daughter of Charles F. Wildey, proprietor of the Herald Square and Cosmopolitan Hotels in New York, and Richard Waring, son of Mr. and Mrs. Orville T. Waring, of Park avenue. The young couple went away quietly and were married yesterday at Christ church rectory, Elizabeth, by Rev. Dr. Otis P. Glazebrook, the rector. Later Mr. Waring's parents and the bride's father were notified of the marriage through telegrams.

Mr. and Mrs. Waring are now enjoying a honeymoon, the destination being unknown. The bride is famous as a tennis player, having taken part with her sisters in some of the most important tournaments in this country; also at the Plainfield Country Club. She has also been prominent in the younger social set.

Mr. Waring is also well-known here. He is a member of the Watchung Hunt club, and has taken part in the various meets of that organization. He is also a member of the Plainfield Country Club and other social organizations. It has been known for some time that Mr. Waring was attentive to Miss Wildey, and in fact, their many friends expected to learn of an announcement of the date for the wedding. On the other hand they gave all a surprise. The couple, it is understood, will reside at Petersburg, Va.

## BOROUGHITES PLAN FOR A CIVIC BODY

For the purpose of booming business and property interests of North Plainfield efforts are being put forth by prominent borough citizens to crystallize a sentiment which will result in the formation of a civic organization to be conducted on the same lines as the Board of Trade.

Among those who have endorsed the idea are Councilmen L. B. Woolston and William L. Smalley, Jr. Both of these officials entertain the opinion that such an organization would be a direct benefit to the municipality as well as a big assistance to the Borough Council when that body is handling public questions of importance.

In talking of the scheme to a Daily Press reporter today Mr. Woolston declared that such an organization would be sure to produce good results. He suggested that monthly meetings be held in the Council chambers, by the projected organization, and an open discussion conducted on all public questions that interest boroughites from time to time.

With reference to the membership it was also suggested that all residents be eligible for enrollment, including New York business men as well as local merchants.

The impetus for the movement was furnished by former Mayor Samuel Townsend in his valedictory address to the Borough Council two weeks ago, when he declared that if the people of the borough wanted any improvements it was up to the people of that municipality to go ahead and not place dependance on outside sources for improvements.

### And Ed Moore Still Lives.

Somerset street, in the borough, is generall a peaceful thoroughfare during the morning hours. Today, however, there was quite a stir over the reported drowning of Edward Moore, a former resident of Smalleytown, in Tier's pond while at work cutting ice. Quite a large number of citizens braced their dinner appetites by hastening to the pond, only to discover that it was only a rumor.

### Borough Fire Elections.

North Plainfield firemen elected delegates to the Firemen's Relief Association last night as follows: Company No. 1, Captain William Daley, Lieutenant William Gaub, Frank Shuck; company No. 2, Howard Woolston, Clinton Conover, Walter Chandler.

### Spanish War Veterans to Meet.

All the members of Camp Bagley, Spanish American War Veterans are requested to meet tonight in the rooms of the camp in the City National Bank building at 8 o'clock to make arrangements to attend the funeral of Comrade McGauley.

## BANKS HOLD ELECTIONS

### Local Institutions Choose Officers and Directors for Coming Year.

PROMINENT MEN WERE NAMED.

Waring Again Heads Trust Co., Hyde, City National; Brunson, First National, and Clark, Borough National.

The annual meetings of the local banking institutions for the election of directors and officers were held this afternoon at the usual hour. In all four institutions the same directors were chosen, there being no change. The elections follow:

**The Plainfield Trust Company.**

Directors—J. Herbert Case, Frederick Geller, Augustus V. Heely, James W. Jackson, Edward H. Ladd, Jr., Charles W. McCutcheon, Henry A. McGee, Walter M. McGee, Charles A. Reed, Isaac W. Rushmore, Frank H. Smith, Samuel Townsend, Cornelius B. Tyler, Lewis E. Waring, Orville T. Waring. The officers will be elected on Thursday, January 20, but no chang is anticipated from the following which are serving at present:

President, Orville T. Waring; vice-presidents, Augustus V. Heely; Henry A. McGee; secretary, J. Herbert Case; assistant secretary, Edward F. Feickert.

**The City National Bank.**

Directors—Louis K. Hyde, William Palmer Smith, William F. Arnold, Harry G. Runkle, J. Fred MacDonald, Francis deLacy Hyde, T. J. Mumford, Dr. B. vanD. Hedges and Floyd T. Woodhull. These officers were elected later in the afternoon:

President, Louis K. Hyde; vice-president, William Palmer Smith; vice-president and cashier, William F. Arnold.

**The First National Bank.**

Directors—Augustus J. Brunson, J. A. Smith, B. Frank Coriell, David M. Runyon, William R. Codington, J. A. Hubbard, Elias H. Bird, C. Frank French, Dr. P. J. Zeglio. Thes officers were elected:

President, Augustus J. Brunson; vice-president, J. A. Smith; cashier, David M. Runyon.

**Borough National Bank.**

Directors—William A. Clark, Dr. Justus H. Cooleq, Morris C. VanArsdale, Jacob Voehl, Newton B. Smalley, Nelson A. Miller, Judge William Newcorn, George F. Brown, Frank A. Wiggs, Hyman Adelberg, Dr. A. H. Dundon, Charles A. Lee, J. V. E. Vanderhoef, Frederic Coriell and John H. Kitchen. The officers, which will probably be the same as last year, are as follows: President, William A. Clark; vice-president, Morris C. VanArsdale; cashier, Frederic Coriell. The officers will be chosen at a meeting to be held in a day or two.

### WEST END'S BIG NIGHT PROGRAM IS ARRANGED.

The event of the season in the west end of the town will be the entertainment given tomorrow night by the Men's club of the Church of the Heavenly Rest. The entertainment will take place at the parish house and includes a splendid program of music.

An opening quartet will be sung by Messrs. Daubert, Hallard, Apgar and Lewis which will be followed by a declamation by Joel Pennington. Judge William N. Runyon will follow in a series of songs and some special music. Another on the program is Albert Walsh, a famous New York baritone. Others who will contribute to the evening's amusement are Charles Lewis and Jack Hallard.

### Move to Close Tilden Estate.

Supreme Court Justice Amend, of New York, yesterday, appointed Hamilton Odell referee to take and state the accounts of L. V. F. Randolph, John Bigelow and George W. Smith, executors of the will of Samuel J. Tilden. The appointment was made on the application of the executors. The accounting is for the past ten years, which is expected to close the estate. The executors are to account as to a contingent fund of $50,000 and as to $135,000 set apart to pay the inheritance tax.

### New City Market.

The public is invited to inspect the New City Market. Entrance, North avenue, near The Daily Press office, and No. 120 East Second street. You can buy fresh meats, delicatessen specialities, fruits, vegetables, teas, coffees, tobacco and cigars, candies and other merchandise at low prices and under special sanitary conditions. The City Market in the arena of Chanblin. ***

### Mr. Wilder Here Tomorrow.

Marshall P. Wilder with Mildred and Rouclere and thear merry company of artists, will appear at the Plainfield theatre tomorrow night.

## PASSED FORGED CHECKS

### Clever Stranger Forged Clergymen's Signature to Get Money.

MERCHANTS ACCEPTED PAPER.

The Names of Rev. E. V. Stevenson and Rev. B. M. Bogan Were Used—No Clue to Swindler.

The signatures of two Plainfield pastors were forged to two checks on Saturday night and unfortunately they were both cashed. They were drawn on the City National Bank, and purported to be signed by Rev. B. M. Bogan, rector of St. Mary's church and Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace Episcopal church.

C. J. Field, a Park avenue newsdealer cashed one for $9 signed "B. M. Bogan," and James H. Blair, a haberdasher of Park avenue, cashed one for $10 signed "E. Vicars Stevenson." At the bank this morning it was said that no other checks originating from the same source had been presented.

It is not so long since a check or two bearing the forged signature of a real estate dealer of this city were cashed by some too confiding merchants and it is evident from the description obtained from Mr. Blair that the same man is operating over an old, but profitable field. One merchant said this morning that it was almost impossible to tell when checks are good and when they are not. According to his experience checks are given to employees after banking hours and there is no recourse, if the merchant wants to do business but to cash the checks and hand over any change which may be coming to the holder of the check.

In this particular case if the signatures had been carefully scrutinized it would have become apparent that the name of Father Bogan was spelled wrong and the fraud would have been detected at once. But this did not apparently excite the curiosity of the man who cashed the spurious paper. Both signatures bear the marks of paper previously passed in this city.

Strangely enough the improvised signature of the rector of St. Mary's read "B. M. Morgan" instead of B. M. Bogan, and still more strange neither of the clergymen have accounts in the bank upon which the checks were drawn.

## MANY HONORS FOR SENATOR ACKERMAN

(From a Staff Correspondent.)

Trenton, Jan. 11.—As was expected by reason of his appointment as leader of the majority in the Senate President Frelinghuysen appointed Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of Union county, as chairman of the Judiciary Committee of the upper house, which is one of the most important committees in the Legislature. Not only was Senator Ackerman honored by this appointment, but he was also selected as the first member of the finance committee of the Senate. He is the second member of the committee on corporations, of which Senator Wakelee, of Bergen county, is the chairman.

Senator Ackerman was also appointed the first member of the joint committee on Federal Relations. He is also on the committee for the tuberculosis sanitorium at Glen Gardner.

### MISS LONGFELLOW SCORES IN "IN THE BISHOP'S CARRIAGE."

Those who were fortunate enough to have been present at the performance of "In the Bishop's Carriage" at the Plainfield Theatre last night, went away with a feeling of satisfied longing for something which touched the heart strings. With all its comedy the pathos of a regenerated nature did not fail to impress itself on the big audience which greeted "Nance Olden," Miss Stephaine Longfellow. Aside from a certain stiffness and vocal deficiency shown by Hary L. Minturn, who impersonated "William Latimer," the play was most admirable.

Charles Darrah, as "Tom Dorgan" shared the honors with Miss Longfellow, and both were compelled to respond to curtain calls. Fred Arthur, as a newspaper reporter caught the audience in his little part with the touch of human nature he injected into the role. Altogether the play was well acted.

### Sewing Women to Meet.

There will be an all-day sewing meeting conducted by the Women's Home Missionary Society of Hope chapel tomorrow, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning.

## CITY FATHERS HEAR THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE

### Many Suggestions and Recommendations Contained in Most Elaborate Report Ever Presented.

In the most pretentious annual message ever delivered to the Common Council, Mayor Charles J. Fisk as a meeting of that body last night advanced many novel and original ideas for municipal government, in addition to suggesting many reforms and improvements for the taxpayer's benefit and to giving a thorough report of his administration for the past year. Chief among the theories he advanced during a talk that consumed almost two hours, was one which would change the plan of government and which would make a municipal executive responsible for the conduct of public business.

The Mayor criticized the laws governing municipalities and argued that they be fewer and more sane, declaring himself also for "home rule." At the same time, however, he urged that the accounts of all municipalities, at their own expense, be adulted by the State. Civil service was also espoused as was excise reform and a number of other things.

**An Idea of Government.**

"If a mayor is to be held responsible for the running and regulating of all city departments and for expenditures of money," said Mr. Fisk, "he must be given absolute and sole power to appoint the heads of departments and to remove the same if they do not do their full duty. He should be given full power and full authority and every department should be in charge of a single headed commissioner of the mayor's choosing, appointed for the same term as the mayor and accountable to the mayor. The mayor should direct how, when and where money should be spent; he should attend to all the executive work and the Common Council, purely legislative, pass the ordinances and make the appropriations. This is the only way a mayor can be held responsible to the people and I am of the opinion that such an arrangement would bring about better results in the government of a city."

**Statutes Need Revision.**

In discussing at great length the present stautes governing municipalities, Mayor Fisk said:

"The laws of the State governing cities are cumbersome and unwieldy, many times contradictory and should be repealed and a general law passed with a debt limit and a limit to the tax rate but giving home rule and power to the municipality to manage its own affairs." He declared that "we are suffering under too much law and are hampered in the government of our internal affairs. What is needed is less legislation, fewer laws and more business common sense."

**Auditing Accounts.**

Along this line, among his suggestions was this:

"The State should create, in connection with the Comptroller's office, a State Auditing Department with power to enforce in all municipalities an uniform and correct system of accounting and reports." He advised that all municipal accounts be audited by such department at the expense of the municipality.

**After Tax Dodgers.**

Discussing in detail what he considered the weaknesses of laws governing the assessment and collection of taxes, he declared that "there are many persons, particularly those of larger means, who evade the assessor, refuse to make a statement and although in a dozen other business of personal matters of taxes absolutely fair, honest and upright, when it comes to the question of taxes absolutely swear to barefaced falsehoods, making it almost impossible for the assessor to arrive at any just conclusion; therefore the honest, conscientious taxpayer suffers in comparison and must bear more than his or her fair share of the burden." Continuing he said that "if the larger property owner is to be relieved of his or her fair proportion of personal property, the mechanic or laborer should be entirely exempt."

"In the case of a workingman, whose family are dependent upon him for support, it hardly seems human to levy on all his property and sell him out of house and home, or arrest and commit him to jail until he can afford to pay." He said that he would enforce the law to the limit against the unscrupulous rich tax dodgers. The exhibition of a poll

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# Fourth Annual January Clearance Sale

Following our usual custom we inaugurate this yearly sale to close out all surplus stocks of Fall and Winter goods. Our policy is not to carry over from one season to another, any class of merchandise but the most staple lines. In order to make this the most successful sale ever held by us, the cost is not considered. It will be a clearance sale in which every department in the store is represented. Come and participate in this GREAT BARGAIN SALE—it occurs but once a year.

## Art Goods and Gloves

98c BUREAU SCARFS AND CENTRE PIECES, open work embroidery, sale price .69

50c PILLOW TOPS, Plainfield High School, Harvard and Columbia; sale price .35

$1.00 LADIES' KID GLOVES, in a broken assortment of colors and designs, sale price .50

$1.19 MYERS' LADIES' CREPE GLOVES, in all sizes, sale price .98

25c CHILDREN'S GLOVES, knit wool, all colors, plain and fancy, sale price .19

$1.49 COUCH PILLOWS, satin top, silk floss filled, sale price .98

## RIBBONS and NECKWEAR

20c AND 25c RIBBONS, in a broken line of various widths, plain and fancy, sale price .15

25c LADIES' EMBROIDERED LAUNDERED TURN OVER COLLARS, all sizes, sale price .15

25c RUCHING, colors, white and black, sale price .15

15c TO 25c LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS will be put together in one lot for this sale, your choice .10

25c VEILINGS, Chiffon and fancy meshes, black and colors, sale price .15

50c, 75c AND 98c LADIES' NECKWEAR will be placed in one lot at the low price of .39

## HOUSEFURNISHINGS

5c ROLL TOILET PAPER. A. E. Force & Co. Special 1,000 sheet rolls, sale price, 7 for .25

5c KIRKMAN'S BORAX SOAP, sale price, 10 for .36

Limit 10 to a customer. No 'phone or C. O. D. orders taken at this price.

$1.50 ALARM MISSION CLOCKS, ornamental and useful, sale price. .98

59c THIN TABLE TUMBLERS, plain glass, sale price .39

59c WASTE PAPER BASKETS, assorted sizes & styles, sale price .33

$1.19 MRS. POTTS' SAD IRONS, nickel and japanned, sale price .79

40c PRESERVING KETTLES, 10 quart size, sale price .27

$1.50 WASH BOILERS, No. 8, copper bottom XX tin, sale price. $1.10

## WHITE GOODS

$1.19 PIECE OF LONG CLOTH, 36 inches wide, 12 yard piece, sale price .89

12½c INDIA LINON, 40 inch, fine and sheer, sale price .10

20c MADRAS, in figured and stripes, 27 in. wide, sale price .15

## LACES and EMBROIDERIES

18c EMBROIDERIES on lawn, cambric and nainsook, with insertions to match, sale price .10

10c LACES, cotton and linen torchon, 1½ to 3 inches wide, sale price .03½

## NOTION SALE

15c BOX OF FINE TALCUM POWDER, sale price .05

25c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes assorted odors, sale price .15

15c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes in box, assorted, Armour's, sale price .10

49c LADIES' HAIR BRUSHES, assorted sizes & styles, sale price. .25

25c LADIES' ELASTIC BELTS, metal buckles, assorted sizes and colors, sale price .10

$1.25 LADIES' SHOPPING BAGS, several shapes and styles, sale price .75

15c HAIR NETS, all over brown, black and blond, sale price .07

25c POUND WRITING PAPER, fine cloth finish, envelopes to match, 7c; sale price .15

25c MIRRORS, on wrought iron frames, sale price .05

15c CARD PEARL BUTTONS, one doz. on card, fish eyes, assorted, sale price .10

25c, 39c AND 50c HAIR ROLLS, 24 in., all colors, for .19

25c TO 50c FANCY BRAIDS, assorted kinds, HALF PRICE.

## Sale of Ladies' Suits and Coats

Every Suit and Coat must be closed out at Bargain Prices. It is positively the most important sale ever held in this city at a saving of from $5.00 to $15.00 a Suit.

$20 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$12.00
$25 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$15.98
$30 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$19.98
$35 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$24.00

## Ladies' Tailored Coats

$10.00 COATS reduced to .....$6.98
$12.50 and $15.00 COATS reduced to ....$9.00
$15.00 and $16.50 COATS reduced to ...$12.00
$25.00 and $30.00 COATS reduced to ...$19.00

JACKETS, DRESSES, CAPES, ETC., also reduced to effect a quick Clearance.

## MEN'S FURNISHINGS

$1 MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS, 32 to 46, sale price .79

69c BOYS' OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS, 12, 13 and 14, sale price .49

50c MEN'S UNDERWEAR, ribbed cotton, pants and shirts, sale price .35

50c SUSPENDERS, plain and fancy, arm bands and hose supporters, for .39

25c MEN'S HOSE, black and grey cashmere, all sizes, sale price .19

$1 GENTS' AND YOUTHS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, plain and pleated, sale price .75

$1.00 UMBRELLAS, Men's 26 and 28 inch, assorted handles, sale price .75

$1.25 MEN'S PAJAMAS, small, medium and large, assorted styles, sale price .79

$1.25 MEN'S GLOVES, in beaver, plush and gauntlet, buckskin palms, all sizes, sale price .98

$1.25 MEN'S SILK MUFFLERS, assorted colors, sale price .75

50c MEN'S 4-in-hand NECKTIES, plain and fancy, sale price .25

10c MEN'S WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, also fancy, sale price .05

## DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

22c BEST GRADE TABLE OIL CLOTH, in light, dark and plain white, sale price .15

10c BLEACHED TOWELING, with red and blue borders, good grade, sale price .07

7c HUCK TOWELING, red border, good quality, medium size, sale price .04

10c CREAM SHAKER FLANNEL, good close weave, sale price .07

12½c BLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS, good size, hemstitched, sale price .08

$1.00 ALL LINEN TABLE DAMASK, neat designs, 72 inch; sale price .79

$2.98 NAPKINS, to match the above, 22x22 in. size, sale price. $2.25

20c PILLOW CASES, size 45x36, made of the Rival brand cotton, sale price .15

89c SHEETS, size 2¼x2½, made of Rival brand cotton, sale price .69

15c HUCK TOWELS, red borders, size 22x45 inch, good firm quality, sale price .10

80c AND 85c DIAPER CLOTH, 20 and 22 inches wide, sale price .65

50c SHEETS, unbleached, 2x2½ yds., good firm muslin, sale price .39

## Clearance Sale Millinery

All of our BEAUTIFUL TRIMMED HATS, ranging in price from $6 to $9, for $5.98

All Hats that sold up to $5.50, sale price $3.98

UNTRIMMED HATS that sold up to $2.98, will be sold for .98

Hats bought here will be trimmed free of charge during this Clearance Sale.

## Wash Goods

7c PRINTED COTTON CHALLIE, of the best designs, sale price .04½

8c AMOSKEAG APRON GINGHAM, in a big range of the best styles, sale price .06

9c EVERETT CLASSICS GINGHAMS, all the best styles, sale price .06½

10c OUTING FLANNEL, in light & dark stripes and checks, sale price .07

12c MARCILLE PERCALES, in the newest printed designs, light and dark colors, sale price .09

50c FINE GAUZE, two style stripes and one style check, twelve shades, sale price .25

20c AND 25c MIXED LOT OF WASH GOODS will be put into one lot at sale price .09

## RUGS and DRAPERIES

$39 ROYAL WILTON, 9x12, perfect rugs, Oriental designs; tans, green and blue; ten only at this price $28.98

$25 AXMINSTER RUGS, 9x12, perfect, Oriental designs; only six at this price $18.98

$35 ROYAL WILTON RUGS, 8x10, tans and greens, Oriental designs; only five at this price $27.49

$3.98 RUGS, Axminster and Smyrnas, size 36x72, Oriental designs, only twelve at this price $2.98

$1.19 SMYRNA RUGS, 18x36, all wool Orientals, sale price .79

12½c SILKALINES, in a variety of figures, light and dark colors, sale price .09

15c CURTAIN MATERIALS, 20 pieces to select from, sale price .10

## Bissels Carpet Sweepers

We cannot cut the price on these sweepers, but with every purchase you get $5 worth of Green Trading Stamps.

## CLOSING PRICES on FURS

The balance of what furs there is left will be disposed of during this sale for practically manufacturer's cost.

## SALE of LAWN WAISTS

$1.00 WAISTS FOR .....49c
$1.25 WAISTS FOR .....75c

# SILKS and DRESS GOODS AT HALF PRICE

On our aisle Bargain Tables we will display about $3,000 worth of SILKS and DRESS GOODS at prices that will startle you. Every piece new and desirable in weave and color. The lot includes Broadcloths, Serges, Cashmeres, Cheviots, Panamas, Poplin, Plaids, Checks and Stripes. Silks include plain colors and fancy weaves. Range of reg. prices from 50c to $2. All will go at HALF PRICE.


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South Plainfield.....Victor Attlee
Fanwood .....Charles Elliott
Netherwood.....W. H. Olmstead

## BOUND BROOK AND VICINITY.

The body of Mrs. Margaret Giles, who died at her home in New York last week, was interred in the Bound Brook Cemetery yesterday. Mrs. Giles was the widow of the late J. K. Giles and formerly resided in this vicinity. She was seventy years old.

Miss Florence Kuntz, of Watchung road, Bound Brook, has gone to Brooklyn, where she will spend some time as the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Juan A. Almirall.

Charles Benbrook, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Benbrook, is recovering from an operation for appendicitis at his home in West Franklin street, Bound Brook.

Mrs. Sylvanus Ayres, Jr., is entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Torbert Coriell and Elle Erismann, of Lambertville, at her home in West High street, Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rawlings have closed their home, River Lawn, near Bound Brook, and have gone to New York for the remainder of the winter.

Commander George W. Kline is being entertained at the home of his sister and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brokaw, in New Bound Brook.

Rev. W. F. Dittrich, rector of St. Joseph's Catholic church of Bound Brook, spent the past week at Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. William Rogers, of Riverside drive, near Bound Brook, is spending several weeks with friends at Buffalo.

Mrs. Harriet Polhemus, of Cedar street, South Bound Brook, is visiting friends at Neshanic.

William Connors, of Bapistiown, spent the past week with friends in the Bound Brooks.

## 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Frank Hunter, of Mountain avenue fell on the icy pavement on Park avenue, near the trolley crossing Saturday night, and broke his leg near the ankle. The injured man was taken home and Dr. Westcott was called and set the fractured limb. It will be several weeks however, before he will be able to be around again.

Albert Walpole, while coasting on Spencer's Hill yesterday afternoon, was thrown from the sled while crossing the bridge over the race. Albert landed in the race and enjoyed a cold plunge.

Miss McGowan, of the corps of teachers, who has been ill at her home in Pennsylvania for the past two weeks, has recovered and was able to take charge of her class again yesterday.

A number of the young people of the Baptist church enjoyed a straw ride last night. Upon their return refreshments and music was enjoyed in the church parlors.

George Vanderbilt has been detained at his home on Front street for several days suffering from a severe attack of the grip.

The Bachelors Club is expecting a large turnout of friends at its fourth dance to be held tonight in the hall.

Mrs. Louis Morel, of Park avenue, has been detained at home for several days on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walpole, of Front street, have been entertaining relatives from Newark.

The Loyal Temperance Legion will meet at the W. C. T. U. rooms this afternoon at 4 o'clock. All children are invited.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting at the church Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Work will be begun on boxes for two families under the care of the Board of Ministerial Relief.


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## Tomorrow We Bring Forward More Sale Offerings

The one dominating purpose now is to clear racks of ready-to-wear garments and counters, shelves and stock rooms of Winter Goods. Clearance and price-cutting here go hand in hand. To move out goods we mark down prices. And as they must go quickly we cut costs deeply. The clearance shall be speedy and complete.

Values veer to heretofore unreached heights as prices reach heretofore unrecorded low levels. Daily is demonstrated in new offerings the clear fact that this event is our greatest value-giving effort.

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard .....15c

**Kid Gloves**—20 dozen black and colored kid gloves; regular value 75c, on sale .....59c

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, *no seconds, forty pieces to choose* from, sale, yard.....14c

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale ,at yard.....29c

**SPECIAL**—All silk wash ribbons, colors, 2 shades in blue, 2 shades in pink and white.

No. 1, 10-yard piece at .....12c
No. 1½, 10-yard piece at.....15c
No. 2, 10-yard piece at.....22c
No. 3, 10-yard piece at.....29c

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30), sale.....59c

40-inch Bleached Pillow Casing, excellent 12½c value, at yard..10c

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair.....10c

20 Pieces Outing Flannel, light styles, regular 8c value; sale, yard .....6c

**COAT SWEATERS.**

Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale .....95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale .....39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at.....29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale .....39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price.....$3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price...$6.98

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at.....$7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at...$9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..$11.15

You must take into consideration that our regular prices are very low on these lines to appreciate the extent of this cut for this great Clearance Sale.

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**

We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price .....$8.50
(Mostly black and blue pahamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price .....$10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

**Bargains in the Men's Department at this Clearance Sale.**

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at.....39c

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| | Regular | Special | | Regular | Special |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Gravy Boats | 35c each | 25c each | Dinner Plates | $1.89 doz. | 10c each |
| Bakers | 39c each | 25c each | Breakfast Plates | $1.59 doz. | 9c each |
| Covered Sugars | 55c each | 45c each | Tea Plates | $1.49 doz. | 8c each |
| Meat Dishes | 89c each | 69c each | Pie Plates | $1.15 doz. | 7c each |
| Pitchers | 49c each | 39c each | Covered Dishes | 98c each | 65c each |
| Pitchers | 39c each | 25c each | Casseroles | $1.15 each | 73c each |
| Pitchers | 25c each | 19c each | Covered Butter Dishes | 75c each | 19c each |
| Individual Butters | 55c doz. | 45c doz. | Bakers | 25c each | 19c each |
| Tea Cups and Saucers | $1.76 doz. | 5c pair | Salads or Nappies, round | 39c each | 25c each |
| Coffee Cups and Saucers | $2.26 doz. | 5c pair | Soup Plates | $1.65 doz. | 10c each |
| Tea Cups and Saucers | 17c pair | 12c pair | Pickle Plates | 25c each | 10c each |
| | | | Cake Plates | 39c each | 25c each |

# Another Grocery Event

## SUGAR HAMS BACON

### And Others of the Most Desirable Food Stuffs Special Priced for Wednesday

**Havemeyer & Elders' Standard Granulated Sugar**—Put up in muslin bags of 25 lbs each; special for Wednesday, only ..... **$1.25**

**Armour's Best Helmet Brand Hams**—Sugar cured; from young corn-fed pigs; weight 8 to 12 pounds; priced for Wednesday, the lb ..... **.15**

**Armour's Boneless Bacon**—In strips of three to five pounds; special priced, the pound ..... **.18**

**Pears**—"Bird" brand; No. 2-lb can; regular price 15c, at **11c.**

**Strawberries**—"Turkey" brand; No. 2, a can, **15c.**

**Peaches**—"Armona" brand California peaches, lemon cling; No. 2½-lb can, **18c.**

"All Gold" fancy California lemon cling Peaches, heavy syrup, **23c** the can.

"Delmonte" Brand Lemon Cling Peaches, No. 2½-lb can, **23c.**

"Golden Gate" Brand Lemon Cling Peaches; fancy heavy syrup, No. 3 lb can, **29c.**

**Mazall Corn Flakes**—**5c** the pack.

**Princess Corn Flakes**—**9c** the pack.

**Lentils**—6-10 Lentils, **5c** lb.

**Rice**—Fancy Japan Rice, **4c** lb.

**Dutch Cleanser**—**7c** can.

**Sapolio**—Enoch Morgan & Sons, Hand or Kitchen Sapolio, 6 cakes for **40c.**

**Soap**—Proctor & Gamble Laundry Soap, **3c** a cake.

**Coffee**—Cucuta Maracaibo Coffee, fresh roasted, granulated or pulverized; **17c** lb.

**Teas**—Formosa Oolong, Ceylon, English Breakfast, Young Hyson or Mixed Teas; No. 3 lbs. for **95c**; lb **33c.**

**Tomatoes**—"Rose Hill" brand—fancy Red Ripe Tomatoes, No. 3-lb can, sold elsewhere for 10c to 12c; the can, **7c.** "A" brand—fancy Jersey Tomatoes; gallon size; regular price 35c, at **29c.**

**Corn**—"Blenheim" brand—Shoe Peg Corn; No. 2-lb can, **9c.** "Onargo" brand—Country Gentleman Corn; No. 2-lb can, **9c.**

**String Beans**—"Algoma" brand Stringless Beans; No. 2-lb can, **6c.** "Conewago" brand, extra fine Beans, No. 2-lb can, **12c.**

**Lima Beans**—small green Baby Limas; No 2-lb can, **12c.**

**Peas**—"Harvest" brand; sweet wrinkled peas; 9c can. Brakley's "Cupid" Peas, regular price No. 2-lb can, 22c, at **18c.**

**Spinach**—"Garland" brand Cleaned Spinach No. 3-lb can, **10c.**

**Pumpkin**—"Queen Quality" brand; No. 3-lb can, **9c.**

**Beets**—Red Blood Beets; 50 to 60 beets to can; "Van Camp" brand; No. 3-lb can, **13c.**

# Women's 3.00 and 3.50 Shoes 2.00

## $2 Thousands of Pairs Involved in This Sale, Including 10 Styles of "Her Majesty" 3.50 Shoes $2

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**We have planned a treat for the feet of thousands**—a sale that will tempt the dollars from the tightest purses—a sale of the most dependable kinds of shoes at a price so ridiculously low that almost everyone will be inclined to buy two or more pairs instead of one.

This sale is planned broadly and includes several thousand pairs of women's shoes, including ten styles of the famous "Her Majesty" $3.50 shoes which we have featured for so many years. These standard shoes form the basis of the sale. With them we place big lots of shoes from manufacturers of high repute in the best of the season's styles, the most dependable leathers, faultless in their making, including—

**Gunmetal in button and lace styles**
**Tan Russia in button and lace styles**
**Patent Leather—button and blucher styles**
**Gunmetal with gray suede tops, button styles**
**Dongola Kid in button and lace styles**

Patent and kid tops; all with welted soles, Cuban and low walking heels; sizes run from 2½ to 7; widths AA to E; not a shoe in the lot that would regularly sell for less than $3; most of them worth $3.50; but you may take your choice, beginning tomorrow and any day during the week, for only ..... **$2**

We cannot accept mail, 'phone or C. O. D. orders. Shoe Department, Second Floor.


# BOARD OF HEALTH MAKES ITS REPORT

Prefacing the twenty-first annual report of the Board of Health, which was presented at the adjourned meeting of the Common Council last night, the president, Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, submitted a brief statement. He called attention to the improvement in the quality of milk and ice cream supplied to the city, due to systematic and rigid inspections of the board.

It is further stated that one thousand properties have been visited in the house-to-house inspection, resulting in general improvement, and correction of defects in plumbing. It is urged that during the coming year some means be devised to do away with the present unsanitary methods of garbage collection and disposal.

A summary of the treasurer's report shows disbursements of $11,468.09 and the receipts the same. The Common Council appropriated $2,734.84 for the care of six cases of small-pox and this was all disbursed.

**Health Board Work.**

The general report of the board is made by Acting Health Officer John O'Brien, and from it the following salient points are taken:

Dairy inspections have been more carefully followed up and milk analysis more complete than ever before. A general improvement in the standard of dairies. Great deal accomplished in inspection of ice cream supply, with general improvement. Isolation ward at Muhlenberg Hospital has been great help in caring for contagious disease cases. Nearly 1,000 properties inspected in the house-to-house plan and sanitary conditions improved.

Recommendations: That some means be adopted for controlling the collection and disposal of ashes and garbage that more room be secured for laboratory work. It is planned to continue work of inspection of ice cream supply, accomplish some work on pus and sediment in milk, improve system of dairy inspection and milk analysis and test various disinfectants.

**Vital Statistics.**

Vital statistics: Marriages, 204; births, 428; still-births, 15; deaths, 289. Estimated population for past year was 21,000 and total number of deaths, 289, gives a rate per thousand of 13.76, the lowest for a period of thirteen years. Of these deaths more than half were persons over forty years of age.

There were 370 cases of communicable disease, with 34 deaths; 18 of which were taken to the hospital from out of town—11 scarlet fever and 7 typhoid fever; one of the latter died. At no time was contagious disease epidemic. There were 57 cases of tuberculosis and 29 deaths. There were six cases of small-pox, two white and four colored. The six cases cost the city $2,734.84.

**Sanitary Inspections.**

In the house-to-house inspections 149 nuisances were found on 133 properties; the remaining 621 properties were found to be in good condition. During the year, 225 complaints of nuisances were received, and of this number 198 have been abated. There were several prosecutions for violation of the city ordinances. There were filed during the year 245 plumbing plans and 1,012 inspections were made.

The principal points brought out by inspections of ice cream plants showed that many improvements were made and that the production and subsequent care of milk and cream used for this purpose, should come under the same regulations as those governing milk. The analysis of cream used in making ice cream showed averages of 16.9 per cent. fats and 2,119,441 bacteria per cubic centimeter.

**The Milk Supply.**

Supervision of milk supply has, as usual, been one of the most important duties of the department. System of dairy inspection and milk analysis has been greatly improved. Sample of milk for every retailer is analyzed once each month. Copies of rules and regulations printed on cloth are placed in every dairy. Present time it is estimated that about 8,000 quarts of milk is used daily in the city; 28 retail by means of wagon; 15 retail only small amount and 32 retail milk from stores. There were 627 inspections of dairies, bottling places, cream ries and stores selling milk. Of the 357 samples analyzed, 345 or 96 per cent, were below 100,000 bacteria per cubic centimeter.

In the opinion of the health officer, adulteration of milk is a thing of the past here. During the year, not one sample was watered or contained preservative, although seventeen of the 357 samples were below the standard of the State of New Jersey. The number of scores below 60 per cent, was larger than in the previous year, due to many changes in the source of supply. The average score for 1909 was somewhat lower than that for 1908, but the conditions in the new dairies are improving and a better record is looked for the coming year.

**The Ice Supply.**

During the winter of 1908-09, the weather was so mild that no ice was cut from Watchung Lake, the usual local source of supply. All ice sold here the past year was artificial, and was supplied from three sources: The Crystal Ice Company, The Plainfield Ice and Supply Company and the plant of the Milburn Electric Light Company at Milburn.

Mr. O'Brien says that in reviewing the work of the past year, he feels that although much has been accomplished, there is yet a great deal to be done. In proportion to the growth of the city, new complications arise and new lines of work become necessary, and in order to meet these, various changes have to be instituted and more progressive methods employed.

He states further that the experience has shown that a revision of the sanitary code is imperative, and this, among other things, will be an important task to be accomplished this year.

## ALLEGED EMBEZZLER IS SEVENTY YEARS OLD.

Trenton, Jan. 11.—Frederick A. Buren, until six months ago treasurer of the William Penn Hook-and-ladder Company of Stockton, near Camden, was placed under arrest here Saturday charged with the embezzlement of $1,500 of the company's funds. He was arrested here at the request of the Camden authorities, who have been tracing him for some time, and who finally learned that he was living here and working as an insurance collector.

Buren took his arrest very coolly and made no protest when told that he would have to be locked up until the Camden police came for him. Later he declared that the whole affair was due to a misunderstanding which could readily be straightened out when he got back home.

He was taken to Camden Sunday night by a detective. Buren is seventy years old and was formerly a freeholder from Stockton Township. He was engaged in the lumber business and failed. The warrant against him was sworn out by William O. Carter, president of the Stockton Volunteer Fire Association.

The quarterly meeting of the trustees of the First Baptist church will be held Thursday night.

Miss May E. Serrell will lead the mid-week prayer meeting at the First Baptist church, tomorrow night. The topic will be "Ready and Willing."

An all-day sewing meeting will be held tomorrow at the home of Mrs. L. J. Denton on West Sixth street under the auspices of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## Arrival and Departure of Mails

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WATCHUNG.
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Close—9.00 a. m., 5.30 p. m.

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Arrive—1.00 p. m.
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Somerset County Surrogate's Court.

Estate of Susan L. Clapp, Deceased. Notice is hereby given, that on the twenty-third day of December, A. D. 1909, on the application of the undersigned, as Executor of the Estate of Susan L. Clapp, deceased, an order was made by the Surrogate's Court, requiring the creditors of the said Susan L. Clapp, deceased, to bring in their debts, demands and claims against the said decedent, under oath or affirmation, and present the same to the subscriber within NINE months from the date of said order; and in default thereof any such creditor shall be forever barred of his or her action therefor against the subscriber.

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# MAYOR'S MESSAGE

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tax receipt as a requisite to the right to vote was also championed by him.

**For Better Salaries.**

Touching on local affairs, Mr. Fisk recommended that the work of street cleaning and ashes and garbage removal be let out to ten or twelve contractors in as many given sections of the city. He reiterated his demand for a larger police force, calling attention to the fact that some parts of the city are now unprotected and to the fact that his special message on this subject "was absolutely ignored" by the city fathers. More pay for the men in this and in the fire department were favored as well as more and modern apparatus for the latter department. More pay for the building inspector's department was also favored.

**Organized Charity Workers.**

"Considering the character of our people, with the large percentage of families in easy circumstances and the advantages they enjoy in this city," declared the Mayor, "there is no reason why Plainfield should not set the pace for every other city in the country in the real welfare of its citizens." In this connection and after enumerating the large number of local charities voluntarily supported he asks: "Is it not time to take account of our philanthropies and make up a general charity budget so that the people of Plainfield may know just what the total cost of such work is, and what part of it they should bear and get together for the common good. I propose to call a meeting shortly of representatives of all these activities to consider the matter."

Inasmuch as he was president of the State Excise Commisssion, the mayor's remarks on liquor licenses was given marked attention. After he had declared himself against any new licenses and that liquor license fees should never be considered as a means of revenue, but only as a means toward regulation, he reported the illegal selling crusade in this fashion:

**After Excise Violators.**

"During the past year the city was very much troubled by dealers from outside the city sending or bringing in liquor and selling from wagons. This matter was closely followed up with the result that there were many cases taken before the grand jury and in every case indictments returned. All those on trial were convicted, with one exception when the jury disagreed. The county collected about $1,200 in fines. One case has been taken to the United States courts on the question of the rights of a dealer outside the State to sell or take orders in the State under the Inter-State Commerce Act. The result of this case is looked forward to with a great deal of interest as the decision will probably settle definitely a long disputed question.

**Drug Stores Escaped.**

"At the same term of court, several cases of the illegal selling of liquor in drug stores were presented to the grand jury. As far as the evidence was concerned, these all appeared to be good prima facie cases. The grand jury, however, on consideration, evidently must have considered otherwise, as they did not return any indictments. These investigations cost the city nearly $1,500. I am convinced the practise still continues to a certain extent and I shall take the matter up with the new license committee and see what can be done. The laws are so technical on the question of evidence, it seems almost impossible to fulfill the requirements of the court and secure a conviction without going to what would seem an unjustifiable expense."

**Water and Sewerage.**

Although the commission on municipal ownership of the water supply and control made an adverse report after long investigation and big expense, Mayor Fisk declared that the question must be settled and he asked: "Shall the city buy or condemn the present works and property or is it best to renew the contract with the water company for another term of years." He also discussed the scheme to join with North Plainfield in constructing and operating a joint sewage disposal plant, the expense of which to the city would be $121,500. The city's present plant cost in the neighborhood of $300,000, and the change is considered because of the demand to have the disposal beds outside the city limits and because the plant is becoming too small for the demands on it.

Mayor Fisk advocated that the public school auditorium be used for free lectures and musical entertainments. He came out strongly in favor of an appointive board of education and for manual training in the public schools. The playground movement was also endorsed and a recommendation was made that a branch of the public library be placed in the Marsh building, in the business section.

**For Civil Service.**

Mayor Fisk came out flat-footed for an adoption of the civil service laws when he said:

"I am of the opinion that all appointees of the city, except the heads of departments, who are appointed or elected as provided by the statutes should be strictly under civil service rules and I seriously recommend taking the required steps as provided by the present statutes to bring this about in Plainfield at the earliest possible date."

Co-operation between the city authorities and the various civic bodies including the Board of Trade and the Merchants' Association was strongly advocated by the mayor.

**Scores Public Service.**

Public utilities was gone into at great length by the mayor in his speech, marked attention being given the P. S. C., Mayor Fisk saying in part:

"The officers of the P. S. C. from the president, Mr. Thomas N. McCarter, right down the line to the boy that tends the telephone in the local office are the most genial, polite, good fellows and as fine a lot as you could find in this State or any other State. But for all that, the corporation is not giving the city the service it is entitled to. The road beds on some of the local lines are in bad repair and the cars used on the local lines are in bad repair and the cars used on the local lines are old, worn out, discarded cars from other lines, repaired and repaired again, covered with a coat of new paint to make them look pretty, but like any old carriage or automobile or machinery that has served its usefulness, are candidates for the junk heap. The only satisfaction we have been able to get so far is reports of inspection. He demands that the company's franchise here be enforced."

**Gratifying Endorsement.**

In prefacing his remarks Mayor Fisk said:

"As the personnel of the incoming Common Council is the same as the body of the past year, and that a majority of the members were elected at the last city election to succeed themselves, is in itself a very gratifying endorsement of the way the affairs of the city have been managed. At the same time it makes it most important that each and every member of the governing body of this administration should realize the trust imposed in him by his fellow citizens and in accepting the trust do all within his power to prove to his constituents that their confidence has been well placed."

The Mayor outlined the form of government and explained the character of the various offices. He also explained in detail the laws which regulate the affairs of these officers and which restrict the powers of the municipal administration. How necessary funds are raised by State law for the conduct of various departments was outlined.

**Opposes Bond Issues.**

Continuing, Mr. Fisk said:

"In my judgment, no bonds should be issued during the present year for any public purpose, except in case of unforeseen emergency making it imperative. With respect to the fur-

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# January Sale of Muslin Underwear

It is the part of wisdom to buy now, not only because this sale is a money-saving occasion, but because of the scant cotton crop and exceptionally great advances in all cotton goods; values like these will be impossible later on.

NIGHT DRESSES.....59c, 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75
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FULL SIZE SKIRTS.....98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50
SHORT SKIRTS.....29c, 65c, 75c, $1.00
CORSET COVERS.....25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25
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A&P Pure Food Bulletin for Week Commencing Monday, Jan. 10.

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One Cake SAPOLIO, price now .07
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30 Stamps with 1 lb Tea .35c
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10 Stamps with 1 pkg. Fluffy Ruffles Starch .10c
10 Stamps with 1 can A. & P. Table Syrup .10c
10 Stamps with 1 lb. French Oregon Prunes .10c
10 Stamps with 1 bottle Queen Olives .15c
20 Stamps with 2 cans Blackberries .25c
10 Stamps with 1 lb London Layer Raisins .10c
10 Stamps with 1 brick Pure Codfish .10c
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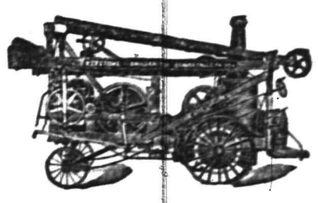

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# MAYOR'S MESSAGE

(Continued from page 4.)

ther macadamizing of public streets, we should return to the method formerly exclusively in use, which required those interested in seeking the macadamizing of a street to pay into the city treasury in advance of the adoption of the ordinance such an amount as would ordinarily be assessed on property benefitted, and then have the work done at public expense, after first applying the voluntary contributions of the property owners.

"This method saves the necessity of issuing any bonds, the very considerable expense of appointing commissioners, advertising, hearings in court, and fees of court officers and commissioners. It avoids liability of contest over assessments, and the possibility of failure to collect assessments when made and confirmed."

The total bonded indebtedness of the city at present, he said, is $594,000, but the net debt is $582,600.52. The floating debt at present is $23,000.

The tax question was gone into very thoroughly by the Mayor, who proposed changes in the laws and methods for the solution of the problem. Clerical assistance for the tax collector was recommended.

**Finances Sound.**

"The city has never been in a better and stronger financial position than it is at the present time. The treasurer's report shows that the general fund has a cash balance of $53,780.36 in addition to $18,121.92 in the contingent fund, and uncollected taxes for the past year $53,831.76, over ninety per cent of which will undoubtedly be collected, giving a practical working balance of over $100,000. All bills and claims have been paid or provided for."

After show how taxes had been raised and had been spent for the last ten years, the Mayor pointed out the causes of increased expenses in various departments.

**Fire and Police.**

Street improvements and repairs were recommended.

An eight hour schedule and the establishment of a pension fund for the police were recommended. Better water pressure he said was needed for the fire department as was also better apparatus, some of which he suggested. More hydrants and call boxes were also favored.

Mayor Fisk attempted to show the rapid growth of the city by the statistics of the building inspector's office. Measures for the relief of the poor and sick were also suggestions.

What has been done in the way of school work formed a feature of the message, the keynote of which was a recommendation for an appointive board of education.

**A Branch Library.**

In dwelling on the Library and its needs, Mr. Fisk announced that the board had saved $4,208.27. He also referred to the fact that a codification of all ordinances is now nearly completed.

**License Restrictions.**

"In excise matters the number of licenses in proportion to population should be limited by State law, there should be a uniform closing hour throughout the State when all saloons must be closed, the local authorities having power to fix an earlier hour. The minimum license fee fixed by State, the local authorities having power to make it higher if they deem wise. The licenses granted by a local board elected by the people with full power to refuse or grant. All other regulations should be left entirely to the municipality subject to the vote of the people.

**The Refuse Nuisance.**

"Some arrangement must be made to help the householder to get rid of all garbage and rubbish and other waste matter in some systematic way. If this cannot be done at public expense, it must be done by licensing a responsible contractor, allowing the contractor to charge the householder a reasonable price to be fixed by ordinance and compelling the contractor to make his collections regularly and thoroughly. For this purpose the city could be divided d into sections and each section given out to the highest bidder, who would give a bond guaranteeing good service in accordance with rules laid down by the Board of Health. The city could provide a place where all garbage and decaying matter could be buried and all rubbish burned, the ashes could be used for filling in low ground, thus getting rid of a number of mosquito and disease breeding holes. Flies and mosquitoes carry disease germs, particularly typhoid and malaria.

**Garbage Cans.**

"The householder should be educated and made to have all garbage cans or boxes covered, and all manure and decayed garden and vegetable matter should be kept in a pit well screened from flies until such time as it can be removed and it should be removed not less than twice a week. For rubbish, papers, old boxes and such stuff, I would suggest the city furnish the householder and storekeeper with large bags or sacks in which to keep all accumulations and once or twice a week, as may be required, send around a wagon and gather them up.

**Office For Assessors.**

"In order that there may be no misunderstanding in regard to assessments in the future, I suggest that the Common Council provide the Board of Assessors with a proper office and arrangements be made to have one of the members act as secretary and be in this office certain regular hours every day from May 20 to August 20, to meet taxpayers and take their statements, and that such member be allowed an additional compensation for his time. Also that arrangements be made for a revaluation of all buildings in the city and an appropriation should be made to permit the assessors to engage competent building experts for the purpose."

# LEGISLATURE IN SESSION

(Continued from page 1.)

clergyman and father of Assemblyman Harry P. Ward, who was afterwards honored with the speakership, offered prayer.

On roll call by Clerk Parker the members presented their certificates of election. Majority leader Edge, of Atlantic, then made the initial motion to the effect that the reading of the certificates be dispensed with, following it up with a motion that Mr. Kenny, one of the Democratic members from Hudson county, administer the oath of office to Mr. Pierce, of Union, so that the leader might in turn swear in the other 59 members of the House in groups of ten.

The ratification by the 41 Republican members of the majority caucus selection of Mr. Ward for Speaker was initiated by Joseph H. Scharff, of Bergen, who in a brief speech presented his name. Representing the minority side of 19 members Mr. Baker, of Hudson, presented the name of Joseph Tumulty, of Hudson, as a rival candidate for Speakership honors. On roll call Mr. Ward received 41 votes and Mr. Tumulty 19. Messrs. Tumulty, of Hudson; Nichols, of Cumberland; and Vredenburgh, of Monmouth, were appointed to escort Mr. Ward to the Speaker's chair. A sentimental side light to these formalities was witnessed in the radient and happy face of a young woman who sat in the gallery and watched the proceedings with more than passing interest. This young woman was the wife of Speaker Ward, a bride of but a few weeks ago.

After delivering a brief speech of acceptance, Speaker Ward called for the election of a clerk. Mr. Parker was chosen for the thirteenth time for that position. Other officials in the House were elected as follows: Assistant clerk, Upton S. Jefferies, of Camden; journal clerk, George H. Johnston, of Union; assistant journal clerk, Harry J. Gratton, of Mercer; supervisor of bills, Harry W. Beryman, of Essex; sergeant-at-arms, John R. Flavell, of Essex; bill clerk, Richard J. Chaplin, of Morris.

Speaker Ward announced the appointment of Caleb V. Whitbeck, editor of the Hackensack Eevening Record, as his private secretary. William M. Tietz, of Rutherford, was named as assistant private secretary to the speaker.

Messrs. Smalley, of Somerset; Pierce, of Union; and Kenny, of Hudson, were appointed to advise the Governor that the House was ready for business and willing to receive communications form him. As in the Senate, the Governor's message was then presented by Secretary Fort.

Robert G. Senowsky and James Brickley, both of Elizabeth, were appointed doorkeepers in the house, this being the only minority patronage apportioned to Union county by the steering committee.

In the Senate, William Kline, of this city, is a door keeper and Joseph Cahill, of Elizabeth, is file clerk.

It is probable that James E. Warner, editor of the Cranford Citizen, will be selected by Assemblyman Pierce as clerk of the Committee on Revision of Laws, a place held last year by Lloyd Thompson, of Westfield, who sits as one of Union's assemblymen.

**Sons of Jacob Install Officers.**

The Independent Sons of Jacob, Bna Israel Lodge, held its installation of officers and a banquet Sunday night in the Y. M. H. A. hall. These officers were installed: President, Kalman Rothberg; vice president, Adolph Brandt; financial secretary, Henry Rosenbaum; recording secretary, Louis Steinman; treasurer, Edward Nadel; inner guard, M. Rosenbaum; trustees, Samuel Rothberg and Morris Israel. The installing officers were Joseph A. Sangbord, chairman of the State order, and Isaac Wilderman, chairman of the endowment fund.

**Local Birds Win Prizes.**

The Kellerstrass Farm exhibit of white orpingtons at the Baltimore poultry show last week made a great winning by getting first, third and fourth on cocks; first, third and fifth on hens; first, second and fifth on cockerels, and first and fifth on pullets and first and second on hens. There were 130 white orpingtons on exhibition. The local birds were in charge of George J. May, late of South Plainfield.

"The Church's One Foundation," will be the subject of the prayer meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, tomorrow night.

—If you are looking for a good assortment of fruit, call on Alex. Lusardi, 211 West Front St. **


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**CARD OF THANKS.**

Mrs. Thomas Morcom and family wish to extend their thanks to all the friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted them in their late bereavement in the loss of the husband and father.

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**DIED.**

JENNINGS—At the home of his parents, on the 10th inst., Arthur Frederick, son of Frederick C. Jennings, in his 35th year.

Funeral services at 6 Rockview avenue, North Plainfield, on Wednesday, the 12th inst., at 2:30 p. m. Kindly omit flowers. 1 10 2

McGAULEY—In this city, January 10, 1910, Hugh McGauley, aged 48 years.

Funeral from the residence of his brother, Mr. Patrick McGauley, 734 East Sixth street, Wednesday, January 12, at 8:30 a. m. and from St. Mary's church at 9 a. m., where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of his soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

# Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No alvertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for death and marriage notices and classified advertisirg accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

**Situations Wanted—Female.**

LADY, experienced typewriter, wants position; in last employment five years. 7 Grove St. 1 8 3

INVALID nurse desires position; competent; with reference. Address Field, care Press. 1 11 3

YOUNG lady desires position as visiting secretary; good reader, musical. Address N. E., care Press. 1 10 3

TWO cooks want places; experienced; no laundry. Call Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 10 2

WANTED—Position as companion or housekeeper; competent to take charge of invalid; highest reference given. Telephone 115, Plainfield. 1 6 6

EXPERIENCED laundress wants work at home or Monday, Tuesday out. 933 West Third St. 1 11 3

YOUNG colored girl would like to assist in general housework. 602 East Third St. 1 11 3

COLORED woman wants day's work, washing or ironing; home, or will go out. 308 Arlington Ave. 1 11 2

TWO colored women want places together, one as cook, the other as chambermaid. 47 Cottage place. 1 11 3

**Travel.**

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf


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**'PHONE 702**


**Help Wanted—Female.**

WANTED—Competent white girl as cook and laundress; references required. 718 Madison Ave. 1 6 tf

WANTED—Young girl to assist with care of children daily, from 8 to 6. Apply 68 Norwood Ave. 1 10 3

WANTED—Good plain cook and laundress; wages $25. Apply 11 Rockview avenue. 1 10 3

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Call at 91 Rockview avenue; reference required. 1 11 3

WANTED—A first class colored waitress; references required. Call 1233 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 8 p. m. 1 11 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. Apply 600 Franklin place, corner of Sixth St. 1 10 3

WANTED — Girl for general housework; three in family; reference. 924 Madison Ave. 1 10 3

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Chambermaid and waitress. 91 Mercer avenue; apply between 5 and 7. 1 11 tf

FORTY GIRLS WANTED—Cooks, nurses, waitresses and general houseworkers. Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 6

WANTED—Two girls (white), one as cook, the other as waitress, in family of two. Call Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 2

GIRLS may find employment by applying at Pathe Freres, East Bound Brook, N. J.

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Two girls, one for cooking, washing and ironing; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 5 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

**Automobiles.**

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

**Wanted Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—Rooms for two adults, unfurnished, with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

WANTED—Fresh family cow. A. E. Faber, 38 Rockview Ave. 1 10 3

**Rooms and Board.**

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St.

VERY large room, select house; table strictly first class. Mrs. L. R. Williams, 137 Crescent Ave. 1 7 6

TO LET — Furnished rooms, two minutes from station; all improvements; reasonable; telephone. 215 Church St. 1 10 3

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath; also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

ROOM and board in private family, for single person. Address H., care Press. 1 10 3

LARGE and small front rooms, well heated, with or without board; all conveniences; telephone. 62 Sandford avenue. 12 16 1m

TWO nice furnished rooms to let, with or without board; all improvements; good locality. Address S G care Press. 1 11 3

NEWLY papered, newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

LADY, being alone in steam-heated flat, will share same with a retired lady. Address 672, Daily Press. 1 11 6

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

**Help Wanted Male.**

WANTED—Two boys to learn plumbing. Apply 204 Watchung avenue. 1 8 3

WANTED—A man or young boy for housework; reference required. 1000 Central Ave. 1 10 3

WANTED—Boy. 318 West Front St.

WANTED—At once, ten lathe hands. Apply Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 8 6

**Real Estate Wanted.**

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 11 6

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

**Situations Wanted—Male.**

WANTED—By sober, honest, capable man, position as coachman or gardener; handy with tools; good references. Apply J. J., care Press. 1 11 3

**Sleighs For Sale.**

SLEIGH FOR SALE—Two-seated sleigh, with pole, in good order; $25. Coachman, 105 Rockview Ave. 12 31 tf

**For Sale.**

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

GOOD office stove for sale cheap. 19 Prospect place. 1 8 6

FOR SALE—Good two-seated sleigh. Apply 402 East Fifth St. 1 8 3

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 tf

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

FOR SALE—Scotch collie pup; 5 months old; cheap. Address Collie, care Press. 1 10 3

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

FOR SALE—At a sacrifice, cabinet grand upright piano; standard concert grade; practically new; excellent chance; reasonable terms. Address Reasonable, Daily Press. 1 10 3

FOR SALE—8-room house, all improvements; parquet floors, best residential section; bargain to quick purchaser. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street; 'Phone 160. 1 11 6

STOVES for sale; two fine heaters and one cooking; almost new. Call 310 Watchung Ave. 1 11 3 eod

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

NEW seven-room house for sale, good location, price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

**Real Estate Agents.**

WE have clients waiting to buy and rent desirable property. Cannot we have yours? Doane & Van Syckel, 209 North Ave. 1 8 3

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates, money loaned on real estate. Thickston & Emmons, 197 North avenue. t.

**Employment Agencies.**

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

**Money to Loan.**

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated J. T. Vail tf

**For Exchange.**

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

**Miscellaneous.**

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

THE ACKROYD Gas Radiator will heat your dining-room in ten minutes these cold mornings. Demonstration at Woodhull & Martin Co. 1 10 tf

NOW is the time to buy Rugs. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 12 15 1m

LOWEST prices and easiest terms on pianos at the New Jersey Piano Co., 315 West Front street. Christmas bargains. 12 11 tf

THE New Jersey Piano Company now located in Plainfield, 315 West Front street. Watch for big piano sale. 12 11 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging. 1910 wallpapers; liberal discount. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 10 7

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

**Lost and Found.**

LOST—Black fur scarf, in rear aisle of Proctor's theatre Friday night. Reward. Mrs. C. H. Holbrook, Truell Court. 1 8 3

FOUND—Two pins were found at McIntyre concert at High School Auditorium last night. Telephone 386-J.

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# MESSAGE OF THE GOVERNOR

## Urges Establishment of Public Utilities Commission.

## MANY ACTS RECOMMENDED.

**Revision of Liquor Laws and Establishment of Corporation, Motor Vehicle and Collateral Inheritance Tax Departments — Modifications of Direct Primary and Election Statutes—Employers' Liability Act — State Farm Favored—Location of Buildings For Prevention or Cure of Tuberculosis Should Be Subject to Permission of State Board of Health — Financial Condition of State Satisfactory.**

Trenton, Jan. 11.—In his second annual message to the legislature Governor John Franklin Fort said:

### Financial Condition.

The general conditions in the state are, on every hand, satisfactory and the people contented and prosperous. At the last session of the legislature the financial condition of the state gave much concern, but the legislation enacted and the economies practiced at that session have proved beneficial.

The free balance on the 31st of October last was $964,353.51. The revenues coming into the treasury of our state are largely received at fixed periods, and in the interim between these periods it is necessary that the treasury should be in condition to meet all demands.

The fact that there was a free balance in the treasury at the end of the last fiscal year should not be held to justify the legislature at this session in indulging in large expenditure in any direction.

Reasonable appropriations for the state institutions and for a few additional buildings should be made, but aside from these there is no demand for any extraordinary expenditure.

The total of actual and estimated resources for the year 1910 is $6,116,223.51.

The disbursements to be made during the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, 1910, are estimated by the comptroller as follows:

To meet the appropriations made by the legislature of 1909 for the fiscal year ending Oct. 31, 1910, as shown in chapter 272, laws of 1909, $4,245,017.32. The summary of estimated receipts and disbursements for fiscal year ending Oct. 31, 1910, is as follows:

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| Total estimate of receipts | $6,116,223 51 |
| Total estimate of disbursements | 4,245,017 32 |
| Leaving an estimated free balance Oct. 31, 1910, of | $1,871,206 19 |

Of course from this free balance will have to be paid all the appropriations which the present legislature shall make in the supplemental appropriation bill. If the supplemental appropriations shall not exceed in the total $800,000 the state will have a free balance on Oct. 31, 1910, of over $1,000,000. The actual cash balance should never be less than this to insure safety against all contingencies.

### State Institutions.

Generally speaking, the penal and charitable institutions of our state are well managed and maintained at a high order of excellence. It needs to be remembered that the managers of all these institutions, except the inspectors of the state prison, are serving without compensation.

In this system of voluntary service I do not believe. The state has no right to the enforced service of its citizens without at least a partial recompense therefor.

The board of each institution should be required to meet at least monthly. The president should visit the institution at least weekly. I recommend that each of the boards of the several institutions of the state be reorganized and fixed at not exceeding six members, that regular meetings of the board be required to be held monthly and that all laws now providing for the payment of the expenses of the managers be repealed and a definite sum, say $15, be paid to each member for each regular monthly meeting and that a like sum be paid for special meetings called by the president of the board in case of necessity, not, however, to exceed three for any one year; that the members of the boards be hereafter appointed for terms of six years, the first appointment being for one, two, three, four, five and six years respectively, and thereafter to fill vacancies or for a full term of six years. This would limit the possible expenses of the managers of each institution to $1,400 and would be the wisest possible expenditure of such a sum. This reduction of the boards would insure a quorum at every meeting, which frequently is not now obtained, and would concentrate responsibility.

### Penal Institution Suggestions.

I recommend the enactment of a law authorizing the board of inspectors, on the recommendation of the keeper of the state prison, with the approval of the governor, to transfer from the state prison to the Rahway reformatory such inmates of the state prison as are first offenders and who are under the age of twenty years, as they may deem it to be of advantage to the inmate to so transfer.

I also recommend that the law increasing the age of girls who may be sent to the State Home For Girls from seventeen to nineteen years be repealed and the maximum age be again placed at seventeen. It is shown by experience that girls over seventeen years of age should not be sent to the home. If a woman's reformatory be created they can be sent there. Girls under seventeen years of age in the state prison (if any such there be), should also be transferred to the State Home For Girls in the same manner as here recommended as to transfer of boys to the reformatory.

At present the law permits the sending of persons to the state prison for any period not less than six months. This is wrong and should be changed. The state prison should not take any offender whose term of sentence is less than one year. Prisoners sentenced for less than one year should be sent to the county jail.

I further recommend that on all sentences to county jails the prisoner be entitled to be credited with one day in every six for good behavior, and that the boards of chosen freeholders of the respective counties be empowered to make the necessary rules for the discharge of such prisoners by the warden or keeper of the jail when in his judgment the behavior of the prisoner warrants the same.

I also recommend that the age which offenders may be sent to the Rahway reformatory be reduced from thirty to twenty-five years. Experience shows that persons over twenty-five years of age should not be sent in association with boys under twenty years of age.

### Purchase of Supplies.

The present method of separate purchase of staple supplies for the several state institutions is wrong. I recommend the creation of a state board for this purpose, the board to consist of the commissioner of charities and corrections and the official of each of the institutions who now makes the purchases for it.

### Recommendations For Institutions.

The following recommendations are made for the needed betterment of the several institutions of the state:

First.—A house of detention for convict insane should be erected on the grounds of the State hospital at Trenton. Such an institution should be placed under the control of the board of managers and officers of the State hospital at Trenton.

Second.—A woman's reformatory should be erected on the property of the state at Jamesburg and placed under the management of the board now controlling the Boys' home.

The state prison is overcrowded, and this will afford needed relief. There are forty-four women now confined in the state prison and from thirty to forty in the Girls' home, who should be transferred to the woman's reformatory.

The reformatory should be constructed for the detention of 150 and in such a way that a wing could be added for fifty more in case of future needs. This would probably answer for the next twenty-five years.

The Girls' home management ask for an appropriation of $30,000 at this time to provide a disciplinary building at the home if the older girls now there and being sent there are to remain.

### New Departments.

In my inaugural and my first message the creation of three new departments was recommended—namely: A department of corporations, a department of motor vehicles and a department of collateral inheritance taxes.

I still adhere to the view that the interests of the state, greater efficiency and a larger revenue would result from such action.

The revenue from motor vehicles last year was $245,196.55. The expenses of the management in the office of the secretary of state were $36,566.30. Greater and closer supervision should if possible exist over motor vehicle operation than at present. There is no proper supervision of agencies. Their financial methods are not carefully guarded, nor are they in any way examined or audited. A commissioner, with a reasonable force of assistants, should be created and the agencies inspected and all matters of license kept under careful surveillance.

The collateral inheritance tax law, passed at the last session, is a technical act and requires skill and constant attention to details to secure the full benefit to the state which should be derived from it. The total revenue from this source the last fiscal year exceeded $569,000, which was an increase of over $322,000 over the previous year. The revenue of this department could be largely increased if proper vigilance were observed.

### Public Utilities Commission.

At the present time there is absolutely no control in any authoritative way over the public serving corporations of this state. If they give good service, well; if poor, the people are without remedy. If they charge for gas or electric light or for telephone or express matter excessively there is no place to which appeal for relief may be made.

There is a statute which prevents the sale of bonds at a less price than 80 per cent of their par, but it in no way prevents the capitalization of futures or of combinations in the same line of business. The law should be clear and stringent against any attempt at the merger of public utility companies or the issuance of bonds or stock by such companies except upon the approval of some state board.

The burdens which the people of the state now bear are the outcome of consolidations and mergers which have frightfully overcapitalized these public utility enterprises.

If the public serving corporations of the counties of Essex, Hudson and Passaic and other parts of the state had not been overcapitalized in excess of any reasonable theory of the outlay necessary to construct them it would have been possible, even allowing for a large profit to the stockholders, to have long ago had cheaper gas and a great reduction in the cost of electricity. The consumer has no place to go for relief against any exaction, inequalities or neglect, and long suffering public must submit and allow all this to continue unless a commission with ample power to protect and relieve the people is created.

The Republican party in the state platform on which the present governor was elected declared, "We pledge ourselves to enact a law providing for a commission with ample jurisdiction and powers to enable it to regulate public utility corporations effectively and authoritatively." There is no ambiguity in this language. The platform of the Democratic party was equally clear.

There is absolutely no excuse for not keeping this pledge, except that the corporations to be regulated oppose it.

Whatever bill is enacted should provide for the consolidation of the present railroad commission with the new commission created by it, and thus the question of expense, which has been raised not by the people, but by the interested ones, would not avail as an objection. Forty thousand dollars would cover the cost of this commission, and justice between the people and the public serving corporations would be assured. This is a small cost for a consummation so greatly to be desired.

### The Primary Election Law.

The direct primary laws that exist in our state are, in my opinion, popular with the people and when tested further will be found to meet universal approval. Some modifications are needed. Provision should be made for an enrollment of party voters and for the prevention of any voter of one party from voting in the primary of another. Chapter 281 of the laws of 1907, relative to the expression of a choice for United States senator by the voters of the respective parties, will be operative this year for the first time at the primary election. Under this law the people of the state, through their respective party primary elections, will have opportunity to give expression as to whom they favor to represent the state in the United States senate. I strongly favor strengthening the present primary laws and their extension to the nomination of member of congress and the governor.

### The Blanket Ballot.

I can see no reason for refusing to allow the voter the right to vote a "straight ticket" by simply placing a cross in a circle at the head of a party column on the ticket.

The essential thing is a form of ballot upon which shall be found all the candidates of all the parties, so that each voter may have before him every candidate for office on a single piece of paper. These ballots should be furnished and distributed to the voters by the state. The clerk of the county should print the official ballot as at present, and the election officers who the last revision of the registry is completed should be required to send to each voter at his place of residence as shown on the registry one copy of the official ballot. The clerk should also furnish to the election officers the requisite number of ballots for use on election day at the polling place.

No need should remain for the use of money by candidates or parties on election day, or before, in the matter of getting the ballots into the hands of the voters.

The necessary stamped envelopes for distributing the ballot should be supplied by the county to the election boards, and reasonable compensation should be paid the election officers for doing the work.

### Money at Elections.

The use of money at election, whether primary or general, should in some way be curtailed. Every necessary expense should be borne by the state.

It might be made permissible to permit each party to employ at each polling district a challenger, a clerk to keep check upon the vote and a messenger or two to send for negligent voters. The amount that could be thus expended should be fixed by law and it should be made a misdemeanor to expend in any way either money for any other ticket handers or other persons about the polls. The greatest source of indirect bribery is that now prevalent of putting men on the payroll committee, so called. It is a mere pretext for corruption.

The present criminal laws against bribery at elections are clear and stringent, but are not enforced. The reason is that all the parties engage in the improper, not to say the illegal use of money at elections, and grand jurors will not indict. Prison penalties are apparently of no avail to check this class of crime.

I believe if the present laws for the imprisonment of persons convicted of bribery at elections were repealed, and upon a conviction for bribery the court should adjudge and determine that the defendant be deprived of the right of suffrage, it would do more to put an end to election corruption than any other kind of punishment possible.

### Election Officers.

In selecting officers the greatest care should be taken. They should possess certain qualifications as prerequisites to their appointment, among others these:

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They should also have a fixed tenure for, say, five years, or, what would be still better, they should hold office during good behavior.

No person should be appointed as an election officer until he has passed an examination in at least the respects above indicated, and opportunity should be given to any person to go into the examination. Each applicant should declare when he appears for examination to what party he belongs and present with his application for examination his indorsements as to moral character.

Only residence in the county should be required for eligibility to become election officers in any district in a county.

The examination for election officers might be put in the hands of a common pleas judge of the respective counties of the state.

**Voting Machines.**

There is an almost universal demand for the discontinuance of the voting machine. The law permitting its use should be repealed, and the machines owned by the state should be sold.

If the law for voting machines is to remain it should be so amended that a machine could not be placed in any district except upon a petition signed by a majority of the voters of such district who voted at the last election before the presentation of the petition for the placing of the machine.

**License and Excise.**

Prohibition is not practical. It does not prohibit and will not until a stronger and better public sentiment shall obtain. The sentiment for local option in the election just passed showed much growth in some communities. That sentiment, however, is probably not of sufficient force to secure legislation for a submission of the question of license or no license to the people. Yet it is evident that the public demand for the enforcement of existing laws and for the enactment of others looking to a better regulation of the sale of intoxicating liquors is quite universal.

The license fees in most places in this state are not high enough.

The following suggestions made in my last annual message for the amendment of the excise laws are here repeated—namely:

First.—The minimum license fee should be fixed on the basis of the population of the local municipalities, provided that in no case should it be less in any municipality than that at which licenses are now granted in such municipality, and each application for a license should be advertised once for at least ten days before action is taken thereon that objection may be made thereto and heard.

Second.—The number of licensed places allowed should be limited to not exceeding one for at least each 500 people, provided that no greater number of licenses should be granted in any place, where the present percentage is greater than this, than the present licensed places bear to the population.

Third.—A simple and definite form of procedure to revoke a license for the violation of the law with a provision that a license shall be ipso facto revoked on conviction of any crime or on a plea of guilty or non vult.

Fourth.—No license should be granted to any person not a native or naturalized citizen of the United States.

Fifth.—No license should be granted to a person who has been convicted of any crime which would disfranchise him under our state constitution.

Sixth.—All right to transfer a license from one place to another should be prohibited.

Seventh.—All licensed places should be closed from 12 o'clock midnight until 6 a. m.

**Law Enforcement—Power of Removal.**

In one of the counties of this state the laws as to excise matters are openly and notoriously violated and a direct refusal to enforce them asserted.

That such conditions exist is shocking to the conscience and patriotism of all right thinking citizens. Yet under existing law there is apparently no remedy. The state seems powerless. Local officials are free from removal by the governor or courts, even for an open declaration that they will not enforce the law. Nor is there any power of impeachment of a local municipal official.

The sacredness of the Sabbath, the purity of the ballot, the virtue of woman, the protection of life itself, all seem inconsequential when weighed in the scale against the illicit sale of liquors.

The legislature must assume responsibility for the further continuance of the conditions here described. It can prevent it by a simple statute conferring the power of removal upon either the governor or the courts.

**Employers' Liability Act.**

Laws should be enacted abolishing the fellow servant rule of the common law and making the master liable for all injury to his employees which does not result from the contributory negligence of the injured workman himself.

Injury through defective machinery at which a workman is placed at work should also fall upon the master without regard to the fact that the workman was aware of the defect, or that the risk was obvious.

I also recommend the authorization of the appointment of a commission to consider the provisions of the British and German employers' liability acts, to report to the next legislature with a draft of an act fixing a definite sum for specific accidents to employees, which shall be deemed an express or implied par. of every contract of employment.

**Inland Waterway.**

The route of the proposed inland waterway has been approved by the governor under the statute and when completed, as contemplated, will furnish a channel six feet deep at low water from Bay Head, in Ocean county, to Cape May City, in Cape May county.

It is estimated that there are now 18,000 crafts of various kinds, the owners of which are awaiting with anxiety the completion of this waterway.

**County Boards of Taxation.**

The people of the state favor the abolition of the county boards of taxation. Their existence is without excuse and always has been. Their object and purpose was solely to secure an increase of taxable values so that the average tax rate upon railway property might be reduced. They have accomplished this purpose with a resultant loss to the public school funds for distribution by the state of not less than $500,000 per year for each year since their creation.

One of the excuses given for the enormous increase in property values in the state has been the maximum tax rate act of 1906, which, it is claimed, has required the increase of assessable values in order that under it municipalities might get enough revenue to run their local governments.

I recommend the repeal of both the act creating county boards of taxation and the maximum tax rate act of 1906.

If the county boards of taxation are not abolished, then the legislature should place the expense of their maintenance upon the counties. We pay out over $90,000 per year for them.

**A Governor's Residence.**

The legislature has authorized the statehouse commission to rent a house in the city of Trenton for the occupancy of the governor and appropriated $2,500 for that purpose. My thanks are due to the legislature for its courteous and friendly action, but whatever is done in this line must apply to the next governor and not the present governor. That the governor of New Jersey should be provided with a house in Trenton my experience has clearly demonstrated.

**Our Agricultural Interests.**

In 1900 the value of the field crops and milk in our state was but $24,000,000, while in 1909 they exceeded $59,000,000, an increase of over 100 per cent.

What the farmer of today needs most is education along modern lines. If we had a state farm, conducted on the most approved modern lines and raising the profitable crops; that could be visited and its methods studied for practical instruction, good results would follow. Skilled farmers estimate that a farm of this kind of moderate size would produce a revenue that would yield a profit to the state of several thousand dollars per year over its cost, besides being of incalculable value by way of instruction to the farmers of the state. Reasonable appropriations to aid agricultural developments should be made.

**Waters of the State.**

By chapter 238 of the laws of 1905 it was made unlawful for any person or corporation to transport fresh water of this state into any other state for use therein, and power was given by proceedings in the court of chancery to enjoin any such attempted action.

The Hudson County Water company, a corporation created by our laws, notwithstanding this statute, attempted to lay pipes for the purpose of transporting the waters mentioned in the statue from this state to the borough of Richmond, in the state of New York.

At the relation of the attorney general a decree of the court of chancery was made restraining said company, and the same was affirmed in the court of errors and appeals. The decision of this latter court was taken by writ of error to the supreme court of the United States and affirmed.

No subject is of greater moment to our people than the conservation of our potable waters. No individual or corporation should be permitted to transport out of the state any water within our territory; certainly not without the permission of the water supply commission or some other state board.

We should not permit the sale of this necessity of life in any case where it could in any way interfere with the full and free water supply required for our own people.

I not only recommend that the act of 1905 be extended to subterranean waters, or a new act passed covering such waters, but I suggest that a statute be enacted making it a misdemeanor for any individual or corporation to attempt to divert any of the potable waters of the state for any purpose to any point out of the state.

I further recommend that a statute be passed empowering the court of chancery to enjoin for any entry upon the lands of the state where such lands are under the jurisdiction of the riparian commission as provided in sections 25 and 38 of the riparian act.

**Tuberculosis.**

By joint resolution No. 4 of the laws of 1909 the legislature created a commission and appropriated $1,500 to promote the work of education in fighting tuberculosis.

The management of the state institution at Glen Gardner asks for a sufficient sum to erect three shacks that will house about twenty patients each, and the state hospitals at Morris Plains and Trenton and the Village For Epileptics and the Home For Feeble Minded Women each ask for a small appropriation. All these requests should be granted.

The locations of any buildings for the prevention or cure of tuberculosis should be subject to the approval of the state board of health, and no building for this purpose, whether public or private, should be permitted to be established or maintained in this state until the permission of that board be first obtained.

**State Militia.**

The report of the adjutant general shows the condition of the state militia to be very satisfactory.

The First battalion, naval reserve, has the United States steamship Portsmouth as its training ship. This is a sailing vessel of the old type and is not a satisfactory ship for the battalion. Provision should be made at the present session of the legislature for a sufficient appropriation to assure the securing of a proper steam power vessel for the battalion, and application should be made to the secretary of the navy to assign a suitable ship of this class for the use of this battalion.

**State Highways.**

The highway commission has made a report, which will be presented to you, and they recommend the creation of a system of highways to be maintained at state expense and to run from county seat to county seat and connect with an ocean boulevard along the Atlantic ocean. This system of highways will have a length of 853 miles and if carried out will establish in our state a system of public roads which will not be equaled in any state.

The highways of New Jersey are now noted for their excellence, and this plan will increase their notoriety and draw to our state many thousands of persons and thus result in great advantage to all our tradespeople. Aside from this, the benefit to the agricultural sections of the state will be beyond estimation. The annual cost of maintaining such a system of highways after they are once thoroughly constructed is estimated by the road commissioner at $275,000.

Some of the roads within the route proposed by the highway commission are not yet improved. As to this, they recommend that they be improved under the state road act, but that the percentage which the state shall contribute toward the unimproved part of the route shall be one half of the total cost.

The automobile fees which during the last fiscal year under the present law amounted to $245,196.5[illegible] can be utilized for maintenance. With this system of highways our automobile fees should be increased about one-third above that which is now paid, and the recommendation of the highway commission on this subject is heartily approved by the executive.

In addition to this 850 miles of highway, the state should take over and maintain that which was the old turnpike road between Jersey City and Newark. A good highway between Jersey City and Newark is needed and would be of great advantage to the state.

**Railroad Revaluation.**

By joint resolution No. 3 the legislature at its last session authorized the appointment of a commission to revalue the railroad property of the state. They have presented a preliminary report which will be before the legislature.

The work was found to be very exacting and to require great care and large expense. The appropriation made at the last session for this purpose was $20,000, which has been expended, and the work carried on to the extent of the appropriation.

No subject before this legislature is of more importance than the authorization of the continuance of this work. It will cost a large sum of money, probably $100,000 in addition to that already spent, but if the results achieved are what it is believed they will be this expenditure will be wise, and if it settles the controversies over railroad taxation in this state, whether the revenue be increased or not, the money will have been well expended.

The cost of the revaluation of the railroads in other states has not been less in any case than $150,000.

The state's greatest source of revenue is from railway taxation, and the help that comes to our free school system from it, which amounts to over $2,500,000 a year, should be a sufficient incentive to securing a just and equitable valuation for taxation.

An immediate appropriation for the continuance of this work should be made even prior to the enactment of the supplemental appropriation bill, and that bill should include a sufficient amount to carry the work until Oct. 31, 1910, and a reasonable appropriation should be included in the annual appropriation bill for the year ending Oct. 31, 1911, that the completion of the work may be assured.

**Palisades Park.**

The development of the natural park and promotion of its attractiveness for our people should receive the support of the legislature. An extension of this park system in the state of New York has lately been assured by the splendid gift of 10,000 acres of land and $1,000,000 in cash by Mrs. Harriman, widow of the late E. H. Harriman, and a number of large subscriptions by public spirited citizens of New York. The fund raised by these gifts exceeds $2,500,000, and the state of New York is expected to authorize an expenditure of a like amount. The governor of that state has so recommended.

This fund is to be expended to open the Hendrick Hudson drive along the whole distance of the Palisades park on the Hudson river, thirteen miles of which, as we have seen, lies in New Jersey. Our state will be asked to make a reasonable appropriation, payable at easy intervals, and the legislature should respond by generous action in this matter.

**Grand Army of the Republic.**

The national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic held at Salt Lake City the past year voted that the next annual encampment should be held at Atlantic City, in this state. This will be the first time that the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic has ever been held in our state. The people of the state and all of their officials should lend to this occasion every support possible.


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# Y. W. C. A. OBSERVES CLASS ANNIVERSARY

The Monday Night Bible classes of the Young Woman's Christian Association observed its first anniversary by a banquet and celebration inthe rooms of the association last night. There were sixty members present and an enjoyable time was had by all. Among the guests were Miss Charlotte Adams, of the Y. W. C. A. International Committee, of New York.

Miss Adams, during the evening gave an interesting talk. In the course of her remarks she said:

"The Bible is more closely related to human life than any other book. There are four measurements in life, length, breadth, height, depth. Some people are living one quarter lives; it is possible for all to live whole lives.

"The biographies of the Bible never discourage us, but lift us to heights attained in no other way than by the study of the Gospels. The Psalms show us life's depths to which in time, we all descend. The history gives us its length and breadth, showing us the march of God through events. The Bible has an atmosphere of health and vitality, through which human life grows."

The committee in charge of the banquet was the Misses Elsie Goddard, Edna Brown, Miss Freeland, Miss Coddington. The committee was ably assisted by the Misses Dorothy Randall, Helen George, Nettie Steiner, Minnie Line, Bessie Conroy and Ruth Weinberger.

**Will Raise Up Local Chiefs.**

District Deputy Great Sachem Robert J. Winans, of district 47, Improved Order Red Men, is making his official visit to the various tribes in this district for the purpose of raising the chiefs for the ensuing term. Tomorrow night he will raise up the chiefs of Miantonomo Tribe, No. 118, and he will visit Wetumpkah Tribe, No. 229, both of this city. On January 26 he will visit Raritan Tribe, No. 174, of Raritan.

**Takes New Railroad Position.**

Councilman Francis L. Montgomery, of this city, has resigned his position with the Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad Company, to accept service with the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad, with offices at 401 Broadway, New York city.

# BELATED ANNOUNCEMENT OF MARRIRGE CEREMONY

Announcement is made today of the marriage of Miss Minnie Peterson, of Evergreen avenue, and Louis Miller, of Race street. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Elory Bowers, curate of Grace church, at his home on East Seventh street, Wednesday, December 15. The couple was attended by Miss Jennie Ord and Charles Bowers, of this city. After March 1 Mr. and Mrs. Miller will begin housekeeping.

The bride, whose parents are both dead, is a native of Denmark, and has been a resident of this city several years. Mr. Miller is employed by Roth & Co., at their market on East Front street.

# MAYOR ANNOUNCES HIS OFFICE HOURS

Supplementing his message to the Common Council, last night, Mayor Fisk announced that he had arranged a definite schedule for the coming year, whereby he hopes to be in a closer touch with the heads of city departments as well as citizens generally.

Mr. Fisk stated that he would be in his office every Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock to meet with the heads of departments to receive reports, compare notes and take such action as required.

He will also be in his office every Friday evening from 8 to 10 o'clock to receive citizens, committees from various societies or others wishing to see him on public business. By citizens, Mr. Fisk means women as well as men.

Mr. Fisk further stated that during council meetings and all special meetings he will be in his office and will also try and arrange to attend any councilmanic committee meeting when requested to do so, where he can be of assistance; also the meeting of any municipal board.

As a usual thing, the Mayor will be in his office every afternoon from 5 to 6:30. Special appointments can be made by mail or telephone. The office is open every day from 9 o'clock in the morning, with some one present. William R. Townsend, tax collector, is also the Mayor's secretary, and can always get into communication with Mr. Fisk if necessary.

# ROUTINE BUSINESS OF COMMON COUNCIL

Aside from the reading of the message of Mayor Charles Joel Fisk, which consumed about one hour and a quarter, the Common Council at its adjourned meeting last night, did little business. In the regular order of business, Mayor Fisk sent in the appointments of several special policemen, which were confirmed as follows:

Thomas J. McInerney, John J. King, Harry M. Stockton, Jeremiah Cash, Tucker Johnson, J. P. Stevens and W. H. Forristel. These call-men were appointed for the fire department and confirmed: Charles W. Townley, H. E. Hand, John McDonough, Robert T. Skinner and Jeremiah Griffin.

The resignation of John C. F. Payne, as a patrolman, after five years' service, was received and accepted to take effect on January 15.

The annual reports of the Board of Health and City Treasurer W. F. Arnold were received and filed, and a communication from the Board of Health stating that it had been determined that $7,500 will be needed for the coming year. This was referred to the finance committee.

A resolution offered by Mr. Buxton and adopted, authorized the finance committee to have 250 copies of the Mayor's message printed, and upon motion of Mr. Buxton the by-laws of the Council were made the rules of that body for the coming year.

President Tolles appointed Charles C. Randolph and Herbert Buxton as members of the Board of School Estimate to represent the Council during the year, and a resolution offered by Mr. Mygatt and adopted, confirmed the appointments.

All of the members of the Council, except Frank Randolph, were present at last night's meeting, but inasmuch as this was the third meeting of the body this month there was not a great deal of business to transact, the committees not having become fully acquainted with a number of matters to be disposed of later.

**First Visit In Forty Years.**

AbramN. Rogers, of Bridgewater, Iowa, was the guest of honor a few days ago at a family reunion held at the home of relatives in Elizabeth, it being the occasion of his first visit in forty years. He is a native of Scotch Plains, but when ten years of age his parents removed to Illinois. His last visit east was in 1870.

**Mrs. Fairy Allis Returns.**

Mrs. Fairy Allis, of this city, who was injured sometime ago while visiting relatives at Sangerfield, N. Y., has returned home, accompanied by her nephew, William St. John, of that place. She was being driven to Waterville to take a train and after alighting from the cutter and while standing on the station platform a gust of wind blew her to the ground with such force and violence as to break a bone in her left arm.

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| ASSETS. | | LIABILITIES. | |
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| R. R. and other bonds (book value) .....$ [Market value $593,730.50] | 580,475.36 | Capital Stock....$ | 100,000.00 |
| Bonds and Mortgages ..... | 438,800.00 | Surplus and Undivided Profits. | 202,501.58 |
| Demand and Time Loans ..... | 488,935.00 | Accrued Interest.. | 4,249.15 |
| Bills Purchased... | 1,061,830.89 | Deposits— Time $1,015,641.78 Demand 1,799,562.16 | 2,815,203.94 |
| Banking House.... | 85,000.00 | | |
| Accrued Interest.. | 12,320.47 | | |
| Overdrafts, None | | | |
| Cash ..... | 454,592.95 | | |
| | $3,121,954.67 | | $3,121,954.67 |

| Comparative | 1908 | 1909 |
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| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |

# Piano Clearance Sale

For the next ten days, beginning today, we will hold our annual Clearance Sale. Sale comprises of new, discontinued styles, used pianos taken in exchange, Player Pianos, Organs and Square Pianos.

It is absolutely necessary for us to hold this sale in order to make room for the new 1910 style pianos which are now ready for shipment from our Boston factories.

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| Angelus Player | $ 65 |

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The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will hold the first of the sectional meetings to study other peoples and their needs, on Friday night.


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**Boyd to Play in the South.**

Charles Boyd, who played centrefield for the Plainfield Baseball Club, last season, and who is considered one of the strongest fielders and stickers in his class, has signed to play with the Lynchburg Club, of the Virginia League, for next season. It was through Ernest Dorflinger, of this city, who is now acting as scout for baseball players, that Boyd landed his new berth.

**In Memory of Dr. Richards.**

The pulpit at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church has been appropriately draped in black in mourning for the late Rev. Dr. William Rogers Richards, who was pastor there for eighteen years. Next Sunday night a memorial service will be held at this church when several eulogistic addresses will be made concerning the departed minister.

**New Market Church Meeting.**

Members of the First Baptist church at New Market held their annual congregational rally yesterday afternoon and evening. Reports which were presented from all of the departments of church work were gratifying and showed that the church is making headway.

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## TROLLEY SERVICE TALK

### Mayor Tells Trade Board Committee of His Efforts to Get Decent Cars.

READS THE CORRESPONDENCE.

Mr. Fisk Confirms Report that Col. Hine Broke Faith With Him On Trolley Improvement Agreement.

President-elect William Jeffery, J. Fred MacDonald and Charles H. Frost, from the Board of Trade, met in conference with Mayor Charles J. Fisk, President R. I. Tolles and Councilmen Charles C Randolph and William L. Gloak, in the Mayor's office, last night, for the purpose of discussing matters relative to local trolley conditions.

It was recently announced by Mr. Jeffery that he planned to make a thorough investigation into trolley conditions here, and he desired all possible information from Mayor Fisk as to what had been done in the past. Last night Mr. Fisk afforded Mr. Jeffery and his committee every bit of information at hand, and dictated a statement covering the case fully, which was given to Mr. Jeffery.

At the conclusion of the reading of all communications passing between the Mayor and the Public Service Corporation officials, in which the former showed how he had tried to remedy poor conditions, suggested to Mr. Jeffery that he, as the new head of the Board of Trade, take the matter up with the Public Service Corporation. He said that the company's officials were so accustomed to dealing with municipal authorities that it got to be an old story, while if Mr. Jeffery, representing more than two hundred members of the Board of Trade, should go to the company, it would be more apt to listen to complaints.

The suggestion seemed to be received with favor by the new head of the Board of Trade, although Mr. McDonald said he did not know whether the board wants to pull the chestnuts out of the fire for the city or not.

In the communications read by the Mayor, it was shown that at frequent intervals he had called the company to task for alleged infractions of the ordinance under which the trolley system is operated here. It was further made plain that the company's attention had been called to old and dirty cars, flat wheels, often giving the number of the car. The correspondence showed that the company's officials had taken cognizance of the complaints and made in peptions.

One important thing developed at the conference and that was that Col. Hine did promise Mayor Fisk and others that in return for the privilege of double tracking the line in Watchung avenue and East Front street, the city should have new cars on the following January or thereabouts, and that Col. Hine had broken faith. It was conclusively shown that judging by the action of the company it does not intend to do anything more than absolutely necessary for Plainfield.

Mr. Fisk further explained that under the ordinance the city could compel the company to adopt the underground trolley system of motive power, removing all poles and overhead wires, and he thought it would be a good idea to take steps to do this, if the company fails to live up to the letter and spirit of the ordinance.

The Mayor stated further that of his own knowledge the cars now being operated on the local lines were used by the North Jersey Street Railway Company, long before the Public Service Corporation was thought of. They have simply been repainted and repaired and made to do service here. It was agreed that local cars at this season of the year are not kept clean, neither are they properly heated, while the general equipment is in poor condition and needing attention.

Mr. Fisk said that he had informed Col. Hine that Plainfield does not want a large type of car such as is operated on the main line, neither does it care whether the cars are of the single or double end type, so long as the equipment is first-class.

The Board of Trade representatives listened attentively to all that Mr. Fisk had to say and promised to inform the city officials of any results obtained. The board committees will meet today and decide on a plan of action.

Another matter discussed briefly last night was that in reference to better lighting of Front street. This was brought out by Mr. Jeffery simply for the purpose of getting information as to what had been done. The conference was a harmonious one throughout and it seemed to be the opinion of those present that much good will be accomplished in consequence.

## WAR VETERANS INSTALL

### Department Commander Officiates at Winfield Scott Post Function.

THE RELIEF CORPS ALSO.

Many High Officers of the G. A. R. Take Part — Some Speeches Are Made.

The officers-elect of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A., and the Women's Relief Corps, auxiliary to the Post, were installed jointly at G. A. R. headquarters in Reform Hall, last night, and the occasion was of special significance because of the presence of Department Commander James Connolly, of Newark, and several members of his staff, as well as Department President Mrs. Anna M. Spramaker, of Trenton, and others of her staff.

The Post officers were installed first by Past Department Commander Alfred Atkins, of Roselle, and all the work was done without the ritual, making it very impressive. Owing to the fact that H. Craig Smith, the commander-elect is quarantined at home because of the illness of a member of his family, he could not be present and a proxy was used. He will be installed later. The officers installed last night were as follows:

Senior vice-commander, Charles B. Stephens; junior vice-commander, William Green; surgeon, Joseph Unangst; quartermaster, John R. Naylor; officer of the day, Stephen R. Struthers; officer of the guard, Edward Vanderweg; chaplain, Nathan Pennington; adjutant, Dr. J. F. Berg; sergeant-major, Isaac Houston; quartermaster-sergeant, William Townley.

Then the officers-elect of the Corps were installed by Past Department President Mrs. Susie Elizabeth Wilkes, of Trenton. Department President Mrs. Anna M. Sparmaker, of Trenton, acted as conductor, while Captain William C. Smith, Past Department Commander John Lawrence, of New Brunswick and Chief of Staff David Keefe, of Newark, assisted in installing the color bearers. The work of the installing officers was highly complimented. The officers installed were as follows:

President, Mrs. Emma K. Frazee; senior vice-president, Mrs. Hattie Gibbons; junior vice-president, Mrs. Eva Summers; chaplain, Mrs. Sarah Mattox; treasurer, Miss May T. Smith; conductor, Mrs. Mary Meiers; guard, Mrs. Elizabeth Naylor; color bearers, Mrs. Jennie D. Bergman, Miss Margaret Summers, Miss Evelyn Manley, Mrs. John Kitchell; assistant conductor, Mrs. Stephen R. Struthers; assistant guard, Mrs. Maria Terry; secretary, Miss Try Mattox; patriotic instructor, Mrs. Frederick Wenzel; press reporter, Miss Jennie D. Smith; delegates to national convention, Miss Try Mattox and Mrs. Mary Meiers; alternates, Mrs. Anna Smith and Mrs. Eva Summers.

In addition to Department Commander James Connolly, of Newark, other staff officers present were department chaplain, L. T. Abbott, of Asbury Park; assistant quartermaster-general, Walter Tully, of Jersey City; chief of staff, David Keefe, of Newark; judge advocate, James English, Jr., of Paterson; Past Department Commanders Lawrence, of New Brunswick, and William Windle, of Cranford.

After the installation there were a number of good speeches by the visiting officers and Captain William C. Smith, who is also a past department commander. Then the Women's Relief Corps provided plenty of good things to eat and a social time was enjoyed. The visiting department officers were loud in their praise of the excellent work of both the Post and Corps.

**An Opportunity For Young Men.**

The Union Building and Loan Association, of this city, in another column of The Daily Press, offers exceptional opportunities to young men who are anxious to own a home. The cost of a loan through this association is less than a straight mortgage plan. A new series will be opened on Monday night at 146 Park avenue, and the officers of the association would be pleased to talk the matter over with any interested person.

**Union Street Defeats Holy Cross.**

The Union street hockey team, made up of P. H. S. and Holy Cross players, defeated the strong Netherwood Hockey Club, Monday, at the brick yard, by the score of 7 to 3. Phillips, Conover and Tollotson were the forwards for the Union streets. There will be a return game at Ohl's pond Saturday afternoon.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## LECTURE ON FORESTRY

### State Commissioner Whipple Gives an Instructive Talk at Additorium.

HE PRAISES GIFFORD PINCHOT.

President Roosevelt Also Lauded For Originating the Forestry Movement.

The inception of forest conservation, the results achieved, what conservation means to the welfare of the American nation and how to help the conservation movement were made plain in a lecture delivered by James S. Whipple, State commissioner of forests, game and fish for New York State, last night, at the Hartridge Auditorium. A large audience greeted Mr. Whipple, who held the attention of his hearers for almost two hours.

Commissioner Whipple paid a tribue to Gifford Pinchot, in which he said: "There is no man in our country today who has done more for the people of this country, for the fight against special privilege. The policies he initiated are the policies that must control if we are to be what this nation ought to be in the future."

Mr. Whipple also praised former President Roosevelt for what he had done in the interest of conservation. Quoting Mr. Roosevelt, he declared, "The conservation of our natural resources is the buring question of the time."

The Commissioner commended the hunting license law, which was framed to prevent ignorant foreigners from destroying the bird life of the state.

The Ashokan dam in the Catskills, costing $162,000,000, came in for some criticisms, because the engineers in charge don't think trees are necessary for the success of that great reservoir, while 36 to 40 inches rainfall take place there each year, the evaporation is ten times greater without forests. The greatest natural reservoir, he said, is the forest.

Mrs. E. H. Harriman's gift of 10,000 acres of land to New York State for a Park Preserve, came in for words of commendation. The speaker suggested that New Jersey establish a similar preserve on their side of the Hudson. The Commissioner is in favor of land being exempt from taxation, when given to tree planting.

The latter half of the lecture was illustrated by the views of forests, producing pictures of New York State, the Palisades, Adirondacks, the Catskills, Germany, France and Switzerland.

Charles W. McCutchen introduced Mr. Whipple and paid a glowing tribute to the eminent forester from New York State.

## REV. MR. STEVENSON ENTERTAINS CLERICUS

Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace church, entertained The Plainfield Clericus at his home yesterday afternoon, at luncheon, after which he presented a paper prepared by himself on the topic, "The Peace Movement in Missions." It was an able paper and covered the topic in a concise and interesting way.

The members of the clericus present included Rev. E. Vicars Stevensonfi Rev. Elery G. Bowers, Rev. George A. Warner, Rev. Cortlandt H. Mallery, Rev. Dr. W. H. Neilsen, Rev. Morgan Ashley, of this city; Revs. Rush and Cross, of Westfield; Revs. Dr. Otis A. Glazebrook, H. H. Oberly, J. R. Atkinson and Mr. Little, of Elizabeth; Rev. Mr. Phelps, of Bound Brook; Rev. Mr. Sylvester, of Somerville; Rev. Mr. Conover and Rev. Mr. Siegel, of Bernardsville.

**Fight for Counsel Still On.**

The Somerset County Board of Freeholders failed to select a counsel to the board at their meeting in Somerville yesterday. When the board organized a tie vote for the position resulted between John Frech, who has held the job for twenty years and Hugh Gaston. In expectation that the matter would be settled yesterday both candidates had a full complement of their friends at the meeting and considerable wire pulling ensued between the rival factions.

**Mr. Spangenberg's "Rot."**

Exactly twenty-four people listened to Leonard Spangenberg deliver a "lecture" on "Municipal Affairs" last night in Coward's hall, which he hired. He was not taken seriously by any of those present so far as could be ascertained. Many of his allusions to former office holders drew laughter instead of serious consideration from his audience.

## GOT SOUND SPANKING BY ORDER OF COURT

Cornelius Webley, one of the "incorrigible class," will ere this have felt the weight of his father's displeasure for his recent actions in the public schools. Webley has been before Judge Runyon before for misconduct and his release by the Judge this morning was obtained only with the understanding that he be soundly whipped.

Detective Sergeant Flynn was delegated to see that the edict of the court was carried out and unless all signs fail master Cornelius is now repentant.

## SCHOOL BOY DRUNK; POLICE INVESTIGATING

Harry Lewis, a twelve year old public school-boy, became intoxicated yesterday afternoon, requiring the services of City Physician Lufburow to straighten him out. When brought to police headquarters Harry was frothing at the mouth and had every appearance of alcoholic poisoning. Dr. Lufburrow administered emetics and soon had the boy out of danger.

When arraigned this morning the boy was apparently still suffering from his indulgence, but Judge William Runyon managed to get enough information for him to place the fault where it belongs. A rigid investigation will be made as to the source of the supply of liquor and those who are responsible for the child's condition will probably get their just deserts.

## HETFIELD JR. CHAIRMAN OF CITY G.O.P. COMMITTEE

The City Republican Executive committee held its first meeting of the year, last night, for organization, and Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., assistant prosecutor, was chosen chairman to succeed Winfield S. Angleman. George W. V. Moy was elected vice-chairman, while William R. Townsend was retained in office as secretary and treasurer.

The change in the head of the committee was not altogether unexpected, for it had been understood that Mr. Angleman would decline to serve another year. Mr. Hetfield has been active not only in city, but county affairs as well, and always keeps in touch with the political situation. Mr. Moy is one of the ablest men in the "New Idea" movement. Chairman Hetfield will announce his committees at the next meeting of the committee.

## YOUNG HIGHWAYMAN CAUGHT IN THE ACT

Through "dumb luck," Charles B. Wicht, manager of the Clarkhurst Dairy office, 122 North avenue, nabbed a twelve-year-old boy last night, who a few moments before had taken two dollars from the cash register in the store. Since making the capture, Mr. Wicht believes he has solved the mystery of several petty robberies of cash which has been going on since the holidays, in which about forty dollars disappeared from the register in small amounts.

It was a lucky "catch." Mr. Wicht and A. T. Jordan, the distributing agent of the dairy, had closed up the office as usual at six o'clock. Later in the evening Mr. Wicht had occasion to use the telephone. He went to the office and while ringing for the call heard a noise under the counter. Looking down he discovered the boy crouched in a corner.

It is not likely that the case will be prosecuted. Mr. Wicht took the boy home and hold his parents of the thefts which have been going on. The boy confessed. He made his entrance to the office from the rear of the store.

**Only a Sick Collie.**

Chief George Weiss was summoned to Fairview avenue yesterday morning to shoot a mad dog. When he arrived on the scene he discovered that an untagged collie was recovering from a fit. The canine is now at the borough lockup awaiting its owner.

**At Heavenly Rest Church Tonight.**

Tonight at the Church of the Heavenly Rest there will be an entertainment of unusual merit in which members of the Men's club will participate. Songs, topical and otherwise, will be features and a famous baritone from New York will sing some of the old songs.

## BUSINESS AT POSTOFFICE

### Postmaster Bird Reports That Year's Receipts Were $73,776.93.

WAS AN INCREASE OF $5,900.30

950,000 One Cent and 1,795,000 Two Cent Stamps Sold—12,552 Special Deliveries—Box Rentals $442.45.

Postmaster Elias H. Bird's annual report of the year ending December 31 shows that it was the greatest in the history of the local postoffice. The many figures show that the net increase over the business of 1908 was $5,900.30. The total business for 1909 amounted to $73,776.93, which represents a vast amount of work in the local postoffice.

All of the departments show an increase over the preceding year. Postmaster Bird has been ably supported in his management of the postoffice by an efficient corps of men, and when the volume of business is considered, it is surprising that so few mistakes have been made. The total number of stamps of all denominations sold during the past year follows:

One cent stamps, 950,000; two cent, 1,795,000; three cent, 11,000; four cent, 29,500; five cent, 33,500; six cent, 13,000; eight cent, 10,500; ten cent, 18,000; ten cent special delivery stamps, 9,500; thirteen cent, 2,800; fifteen cent, 1,900; fifty cent, 180; $1, 3; $5, 8; $2, 36; overdue, 11,200, making a total of 2,886,123.

There were 10,750 stamp books sold and 330,375 postal cards, while there were 559,475 envelopes sold. There was received for special request envelopes, $6,457.42. There were 12,552 special delivery letters delivered, which multiplied by eight cents, the amount paid to special messengers shows a total of $1,004.16. The amount received from box rentals was $442.45. The amount paid for second-class mat er by publishers was $609.53.

While the stamp and other departments show a large increase, the same is true in the money order department. During 1909 there were 18,496 domestic money orders issued and 3,358 foreign money orders issued. The local department delivered 11,132 domestic money orders and 207 foreign money orders. Up to November the business in this department aggregated over $170,000, a pretty good sum for an office of the Plainfield class. This, Mr. Bird says, represents a natural steady growth in postal business and is not of the mushroom variety.

## CHARITY BALL NETTED TWO THOUSAND DOLLARS

The charity ball committee has reported at a meeting of the Muhlenberg Hospital governors that it was not ready to make a detailed statement as yet, as all accounts had not been settled, but that it could be stated that there would be a net profit of approximately $2,000 for the institution. The governors passed a resolution extending their thanks to the various committees and all others who helped to make the charity ball so great a success.

A special committee was appointed to consider the advisability of having the hospital ambulance kept at the police station quarters in the future instead of at the livery stable. There are ample accommodations at the police station, and it is believed that this will make the service more effective.

The report of the medical board for December showed 27 patients remaining in the hospital on December 1, and 53 more patients admitted during the month of December, making a total of 80 patients treated. Thirty-eight were discharged cured, nine were discharged improved, and three were discharged unimproved. Six patients died. In the contagious ward there were seven patients, and five were discharged cured, leaving two remaining in the contagious ward on January 1. In the dispensary there were 65 patients treated and a total of 169 daily visits to the dispensary. There were 646 general hospital days.

In the tuberculosis pavilion, which is managed and operated by Muhlenberg Hospital, there have been eight patients admitted, all of whom are remaining and doing well.

**Election Was Illegal.**

The North Plainfield Firemen's Relief Association elected officers last night as scheduled, but discovery was made today that the election was not in compliance with the law. As a result of the misunderstanding another election will be necessary.

## GERMANS HAVE BIG TIME

### Gesang and Turn Verein's Annual Meeting an Enjoyable Affair.

TWO ENTERTAINMENTS TOCOME

Stephen Schlief Chosen President, Gets a Rosewood Gavel and a Big Bouquet.

Presentations and other manifestations of the good old German brand of sociability marked the installation of the newly elected officers of the Gesang and Turn Verein in the society's hall on Somerset street last night.

Two coming entertainments of interest are the annual masquerade ball on Monday night, February 21, and the carnival for members and their families on Sunday night, February 13. The ball committee organized with Fred Becker, chairman; Herman Klinsman, Jr., secretary, and George Schlereth as treasurer; the other members are John Alster, John Shroop, Jacob Fass and Harry Dreier.

The carnival committee is composed of August Wolff, Fred Becker and A. Paroubek. In addition to the two named events the singing section is planning a concert to be given in March or April.

These officers were installed: President, Stephen Schlief; vice president, Joseph Brandt; recording secretary, M. Menzenbach; financial secretary, August Wolff; treasurer, Fred Becker; finance committee, William Bamberger, George Zepp and A. Felber; color-bearer, Lawrence Fahn; assistant color-bearers, Herman Klinsman, Jr., Charles Kreutzfeldt; marshals, Charles Meyer, Sr., Herman Klinsman. M. Rosen was appointed janitor for the ensuing year.

One of the pleasing features of the session was the presentation of a rosewood gavel and a huge bouquet of flowers to President Schlief Fred Becker, who is physical director of the turning classes, composed of boys and members, received a loving cup as a Christmas gift as a mark of appreciation from his pupils. Prof. Eichorn, of Elizabeth, leader of the singing section, was not forgotten by the members of that branch of the society, and he was the recipient of a ten dollar gold piece.

## ANDREW M'LEAN PARKER ON 'MANHATTAN BRIDGE'

An interesting and instructive talk on the erection of bridges was given to the members of the Men's Club, of the Crescent Avenue church, last night by Andrew McLean Parker, of this city, who was one of the contracting engineers in the construction of the new Manhattan Bridge over the East River.

Mr. Parker's address was devoid of all technical terms and easy to comprehend. The speaker interspersed his remarks with highly interesting incidents which featured the construction of the wonderful connecting links between New York and Brooklyn.

The highest grade of steel that could be procured in the market was used in the construction of the new Manhattan bridge, declared the speaker. He described the building of the anchorage, the placing of the cables in position, and the erection of the temporary and finally the permanent roadways. The work was executed at such a rapid clip that twenty carloads of structural steel was used a day.

**TEMPLE BARACA CLASS HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING.**

The annual meeting of the Baraca Class for the election of officers was held at the Temple Baptist church, last night. During the evening the officers-elect of the Philathea class were installed, and later the two classes held a social time and refreshments were served. The Baraca Class elected these officers:

President, Richard Elliott; vice president, Edward Baker, Sr.; recording secretary, Harry Bouton; assistant secretary, Joseph Baker; teacher, Rev. J. W. Musson; assistant teacher, Frank Stewart; financial secretary, Charles Griffin; press reporter, John Nischwitz; organist, David C. Patterson; treasurer, Harry Jaeger; librarian, Gilbert H. VanNest.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Neuman Bros. are conducting a special sale for a few days of Pillsbury, Heckers' and Gold Medal flour. Highest possible grade. Special prices by the barrel. This is an exceptional opportunity.

## SCOTT TERRY LOST CASE

### His Assertion That Check is Forgery Disproven in District Court.

"ALIBI" A DISMAL FAILURE.

Terry Finally Admitted He Might Be Mistaken and Judgment Goes Against Him.

The suit of Joseph Gallagher, formerly the proprietor of a roadhouse in Rahway avenue, Elizabeth, against Winfield Scott Terry, of Plainfield, trial of which was continued yesterday in the District Court in Elizabeth, was ended late in the afternoon, when Judge Whittemore gave judgment for $142.50 to the plaintiff. Gallagher sued for $125, which he claimed to have loaned Terry, September 20, 1907.

There was considerable interest in the suit, as the parties involved are also the principals in the Hetfield will case which is still in litigation in the Union County Orphans Court. Gallagher was named as the heir of Corra Hetfield, an old man who died while living at the Rahway avenue hotel. Terry, as a relative of Hetfield, joined with other heirs at law and contested the will.

The suit of Gallagher against Terry was begun last week when testimony was taken for one whole day. Terry at that time attempted to prove an "alibi," claiming that on the day Gallagher said he loaned him the money he was in Clover Hill purchasing horses. He fixed the date by claiming that he had at that time requested his sister to loan him $300. Terry also alleged that he had never seen the check that Gallagher said he gave him and pronounced the endorsement on a check offered as evidence by the plaintiff not his own. Terry also denied that he had borrowed the money.

Yesterday Terry went on the stand and testified that he might have been mistaken about the day he was at Clover Hill. The plaintiff introduced David M. Runyon, the cashioer of the First National Bank, of this city, who testified that Terry had been to the bank on the day in question and had submitted a check signed by Gallagher.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN MEN'S ENTERTAINMENT.**

An excellent program has been arranged for the recital to be given at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow night, under the auspices of the Men's club. Miss Jessie Utter will be the accompanist. The artists will be Miss Edith Cecelia Rubel, violinist; Miss Jessamine Burd, contralto, and Miss Leah A. Coleman, dramatic reader. The program will be as follows:

"Fluer de Lis," Venth; "Hagar," Anon; "Mon coeur s ouvre a ta voix," form Samson et Delila, Saint-Saens; "Gypsy Airs," a descriptive of the wandering life of a gypsy violinist separated from his comrades; (b), his loging for home and friends; (c), he meets his companions and is happy again; gypsy dance; "Lungi dal caro bene," Secchi. "Dot liddle boy of mine," Anon; (a), "Amund-lied," Schumann; (b), "The Swan," Saint-Saens; (c), "2d Mazourka," Wieniawski.

**J. W. WILSON ARRESTED FOR FAILING TO RETURN A RIG.**

James W. Wilson, 22 years old, a book and subscription agent for Collier's Weekly, hired a rig for two hours from the Knickerbocker Stables, in New York, Saturday afternoon, to take Miss Grace McKibbin, also of New York, for a drive. When he returned he drove to a livery stable and Sunday morning he sent a negro for the rig, intending to give Miss McKibbin another drive.

When he called at the young woman's home, detectives arrested him on complaint of Emil Seelig, proprietor of the Knickerbocker stables. Wilson, the police say, was arrested in this city, a while ago, for the theft of two bicycles. There is no record of such a case here.

**Municipal Ownership Talk.**

James E. Martine, at a meeting of the Men's club at the home of Philip H. Suffern, on Kensington avenue, last night advocated his pet doctrine of "Municipal Ownership" to an interested gathering. Mr. Martine in his talk told of the advantages of cities owning their water plants, electric light plants, etc.

**Frank Smith Buys Cadmus Property.**

Frank H. Smith, has purchased the Cadmus property at Watchung and North avenues, consisting of a three-story brick building having a frontage of thirty-two feet on North avenue and eighty-seven feet on Watchung avenue. The deal was made by Walter C. McNaughton.

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This Great Sale Will Last the Balance of This Month

## Fourth Annual January Clearance Sale

Following our usual custom we inaugurate this yearly sale to close out all surplus stocks of Fall and Winter goods. Our policy is not to carry over from one season to another, any class of merchandise but the most staple lines. In order to make this the most successful sale ever held by us, the cost is not considered. It will be a clearance sale in which every department in the store is represented. Come and participate in this GREAT BARGAIN SALE—it occurs but once a year.

### ART GOODS AND GLOVES

50c PILLOW TOPS, Plainfield High School, Harvard and Columbia; sale price .35

$1.00 LADIES' KID GLOVES, in a broken assortment of colors and designs, sale price .50

$1.19 MYERS' LADIES' CREPE GLOVES, in all sizes, sale price .98

25c CHILDREN'S GLOVES, knit wool, all colors, plain and fancy, sale price .19

### RIBBONS AND NECKWEAR

20c AND 25c RIBBONS, in a broken line of various widths, plain and fancy, sale price .15

25c LADIES' EMBROIDERED LAUNDERED TURN OVER COLLARS, all sizes, sale price .15

25c RUCHING, colors, white and black, sale price .15

15c TO 25c LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS will be put together in one lot for this sale, your choice .10

25c VEILINGS, Chiffon and fancy meshes, black and colors, sale price .15

### HOUSEFURNISHINGS

5c ROLL TOILET PAPER. A. E. Force & Co. Special 1,000 sheet rolls, sale price, 7 for .25

5c FELS NAPTHA SOAP, sale price, 10 cakes for .36

Limit 10 to a customer. No 'phone or C. O. D. orders taken at this price.

$1.50 ALARM MISSION CLOCKS, ornamental and useful, sale price. .98

59c THIN TABLE TUMBLERS, plain glass, sale price .39

59c WASTE PAPER BASKETS, assorted sizes & styles, sale price .33

$1.19 MRS. POTTS' SAD IRONS, nickel and japanned, sale price .79

40c PRESERVING KETTLES, 10 quart size, sale price .27

### WHITE GOODS

$1.19 PIECE OF LONG CLOTH, 36 inches wide, 12 yard piece, sale price .89

12½c INDIA LINON, 40 inch, fine and sheer, sale price .10

20c MADRAS, in figured and stripes, 27 in. wide, sale price .15

### LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

18c EMBROIDERIES on lawn, cambric and nainsook, with insertions to match, sale price .10

10c LACES, cotton and linen torchon, 1½ to 3 inches wide, sale price .03½

### NOTION SALE

15c BOX OF FINE TALCUM POWDER, sale price .05

25c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes assorted odors, sale price .15

15c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes in box, assorted, Armour's, sale price .10

49c LADIES' HAIR BRUSHES, assorted sizes & styles, sale price. .25

25c LADIES' ELASTIC BELTS, metal buckles, assorted sizes and colors, sale price .10

$1.25 LADIES' SHOPPING BAGS, several shapes and styles, sale price .75

15c HAIR NETS, all over brown, black and blond, sale price .07

25c POUND WRITING PAPER, fine cloth finish, envelopes to match, 7c; sale price .15

25c MIRRORS, on wrought iron frames, sale price .05

15c CARD PEARL BUTTONS, one doz. on card, fish eyes, assorted, sale price .10

25c, 39c AND 50c HAIR ROLLS, 24 in., all colors, for .19

25c TO 50c FANCY BRAIDS, assorted kinds, HALF PRICE.

### Sale of Ladies' Suits and Coats

Every Suit and Coat must be closed out at Bargain Prices. It is positively the most important sale ever held in this city at a saving of from $5.00 to $15.00 a Suit.

$20 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$12.00
$25 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$15.98
$30 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$19.98
$35 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now..$24.00

### Ladies' Tailored Coats

$10.00 COATS reduced to ....$6.98
$12.50 and $15.00 COATS reduced to ....$9.00
$15.00 and $16.50 COATS reduced to ...$12.00
$25.00 and $30.00 COATS reduced to ...$19.00

JACKETS, DRESSES, CAPES, ETC., also reduced to effect a quick Clearance.

### MEN'S FURNISHINGS

$1 MEN'S AND BOYS' SWEATERS, 32 to 46, sale price .79

69c BOYS' OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS, 12, 13 and 14, sale price .49

50c MEN'S UNDERWEAR, ribbed cotton, pants and shirts, sale price .35

25c MEN'S HOSE, black and grey cashmere, all sizes, sale price .19

$1 GENTS' AND YOUTHS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, plain and pleated, sale price .75

$1.25 MEN'S PAJAMAS, small, medium and large, assorted styles, sale price .79

50c MEN'S 4-in-hand NECKTIES, plain and fancy, sale price .25

10c MEN'S WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, also fancy, sale price .05

### DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

22c BEST GRADE TABLE OIL CLOTH, in light, dark and plain white, sale price .15

10c BLEACHED TOWELING, with red and blue borders, good grade, sale price .07

7c HUCK TOWELS, red border, good quality, medium size, sale price .04

10c CREAM SHAKER FLANNEL, good close weave, sale price .07

12½c BLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS, good size, hemstitched, sale price .08

$1.00 ALL LINEN TABLE DAMASK, neat designs, 72 inch; sale price .79

$2.98 NAPKINS, to match the above, 22x22 in. size, sale price. $2.25

20c PILLOW CASES, size 45x36, made of the Rival brand cotton, sale price .15

89c SHEETS, size 2¾x2½, made of Rival brand cotton, sale price .69

15c HUCK TOWELS, red borders, size 22x45 inch, good firm quality, sale price .10

80c AND 85c DIAPER CLOTH, 20 and 22 inches wide, sale price .65

### SALE OF LAWN WAISTS

$1.00 WAISTS FOR .49c
$1.25 WAISTS FOR .75c

### WASH GOODS

7c PRINTED COTTON CHALLIES, of the best designs, sale price .04½

9c EVERETT CLASSICS GINGHAMS, all the best styles, sale price .06½

10c OUTING FLANNEL, in light & dark stripes and checks, sale price .07

50c FINE GAUZE, two style stripes, and one style check, twelve shades, sale price .25

20c AND 25c MIXED LOT OF WASH GOODS will be put into one lot at sale price .09

### RUGS AND DRAPERIES

$39 ROYAL WILTON, 9x12, perfect rugs, Oriental designs; tans, green and blue; ten only at this price $28.98

$25 AXMINSTER RUGS, 9x12, perfect, Oriental designs; only six at this price $18.98

$35 ROYAL WILTON RUGS, 8x10, tans and greens, Oriental designs; only five at this price $27.49

$3.98 RUGS, Axminster and Smyrnas, size 36x72, Oriental designs, only twelve at this price $2.98

$1.19 SMYRNA RUGS, 18x36, all wool Orientals, sale price .79

12½c SILKALINES, in a variety of figures, light and dark colors, sale price .09

### BISSELS CARPET SWEEPERS

We cannot cut the price on these sweepers, but with every purchase you get $5 worth of Green Trading Stamps.

### CLOSING PRICES ON FURS

The balance of what furs there is left will be disposed of during this sale for practically manufacturer's cost.

### CLEARANCE SALE MILLINERY

All of our BEAUTIFUL TRIMMED HATS, ranging in price from $6 to $9, for $5.98

All Hats that sold up to $5.50, sale price $3.98

UNTRIMMED HATS that sold up to $2.98, will be sold for .98

Hats bought here will be trimmed free of charge during this Clearance Sale.

## SILKS and DRESS GOODS AT HALF PRICE

On our aisle Bargain Tables we will display about $3,000 worth of SILKS and DRESS GOODS at prices that will startle you. Every piece new and desirable in weave and color. The lot includes Broadcloths, Serges, Cashmeres, Cheviots, Panamas, Poplin, Plaids, Checks and Stripes. Silks include plain colors and fancy weaves. Range of reg. prices from 50c to $2. All will go at HALF PRICE.


# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Borough youngsters and the "grownups" as well, are getting a lot of pleasure coasting on the Washington Rock road leading into Washington avenue. The sleighing surface is excellent and is likely to continue while the cold snap keeps up.

Operations which were started on Winfield Hetfield's new brick building have been retarded owing to the snow and cold weather. The contractors expect to have the building completed and ready for occupancy by April 1.

Tax Collector Isaac Stites is making preparations to go after the delinquents. He will probably suggest to Mayor Sanford the advisability of appointing a deputy at the February meeting of the Council.

Recorder Campbell will be reappointed borough magistrate by Mayor Sandford at the February meeting of the Borough Council.

Miss Elizabeth Herlick had Miss Grace Predmore, of New York, as her guest several days last week.

Mrs. C. L. Parsons returned yesterday from Bridgeton, where she has been visiting friends.

The Levering and Garrigues Iron Works has resumed operations after the annual inventory.

The Washington Social Club is planning to hold a dance the latter part of the month.

Percy Vail and family have returned from a visit to relatives in Philadelphia.

J. M. W. Gangloff and family, have removed from Grove street to Front street.

Mrs. Lydia Jacobs has recovered from an attack of illness the result of a cold.

Miss Edna Coriell has been entertaining friends from out of town.

Miss Iva Dayton is nursing an aggravating cold.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The local hockey club will play the hockey team of the Plainfield High School freshmen on next Saturday afternoon here. The locals will line up as follows: Charles Randolph, center; Harry Soffield, cover; Lloyd Harris, point; John May, cover point; John Miller, right wing; Andrew McDonough, left wing, and E. Nelson, goal.

Milton Boss, who has been ill for the past week with an attack of grip, resumed work Monday.

Firman Arrowsmith, of Aldene, removed Monday to Church street.

Frank Thomas is spending a short time with friends in Easton, Pa.

John Miller is suffering from a severe cold.

### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The fourth of the series of winter dances being held by the Bachelors' Club was held last night in the hall. These dances seem to fill a long felt want among the young people as they have proven to be most successful, each one being even more enjoyable than the previous one. Last night's dance was no exception as fully 100 young people were out and enjoyed every two-step and waltz dispensed by Suhr's popular orchestra, the floor being crowded from 9 o'clock until shortly after one, when "Home Sweet Home" was played just in time for the out of town guests to catch the last car. The club expects to hold two more of the series before Lent begins.

But few of the young people in town walk without a limp or who cannot show some bruise or cut, as a battle mark from coasting on Spencer Hill. Hardly a day passes but what some new victim is added to the list, but as no serious accidents or loss of life has as yet resulted from the sport, it still goes on.

The People's Ice Co. started cutting ice on the Back Pond yesterday. A large force of men are at work and a good quality of ice thirteen inches thick is being harvested.

George A. Clark, who has been seriously ill at his home on Westfield avenue, is recovering nicely, being able to be out for a short time now every day.

Michael Gilloti, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gilloti, of Forest avenue, has returned to his home at Orange.

Edward L. Hand is erecting two new houses on Forest avenue. The buildings will be ready for occupancy in the early spring.

The Township Committee meet in the town rooms tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The trustees of the First Baptist church will hold their quarterly meeting at the church tomorrow night.

The Boys' club of Hope chapel will meet at the chapel Friday night at 7:30 o'clock.

The ways and means committee of Hope chapel are in charge of the weekly services at the chapel, this week, in the absence of the pastor.

Miss May E. Serrell, of Arlington avenue, will lead the prayer meeting at the First Baptist church, tonight. The topic will be "Ready and Willing."

Rev. Mr. Halliday, of Park avenue, will preach at Hope chapel Sunday morning, in the absence of the pastor, who is in the south conducting special services.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church is holding an all-day sewing meeting today at the home of Miss Pauline Denton, on West Sixth street.

Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, has not yet completed the details for the memorial service to be held at the church Sunday night for Dr. Richards. The program will be announced in a day or two.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a regular sewing meeting at the church Friday afternoon. Work will be started on boxes for two families under the care of the Board of Ministerial Relief. Contributions of money and clothing are earnestly requested.

### SKATER IS DOOMED DESPITE HUMAN CHAIN.

Burlington, Jan. 12.—One youthful skater was drowned, another critically injured by a fall and a man and his three-year-old child pulled from mid-river by the hair after they had broken through the ice in a series of accidents in this vicinity within the last few days.

The drowned lad is Carl Peterson, of Roebling. Skating with a party of young friends Monday night, Peterson broke through the ice while the skaters were trying to reach Burlington. Heroic efforts were made to save him, but just as his companions had formed a human chain to drag him to solid ice, the boy's hands slipped from the edge of the pack and he was drawn under the ice by the rapid current. Efforts to recover the body have been fruitless.

Walking across the frozen river to Bristol last night and pulling a young child wrapped in furs and fastened to a sled, Albert Headrick stepped into an airhole over forty feet of water. Headrick seized the chid and yelled lustily for help, while he wedged the sled between two ice cakes and held on for his life.

Stanley Page led a party of skaters to Headrick's rescue. By forming a human chain under Page's direction the leader was able to seize Headrick's hair and able to drag him and his child to firm ice. They were hurried to Burlington and both are recovering.

Falling headfirst and striking his head on rough ice on Assicunck Creek, Roy Gotta, a young skater, was rendered unconscious and is confined to his bed, physicians fearing a fractured skull.

### ICEBOAT IMP WINS CHAMPIONSHIP HONORS.

Red Bank, Jan. 12.—The Imp, of the North Shrewsbury Iceboat Club, won the third class championship pennant of North America on the river yesterday morning. The other entries were the Tyro, also of Red Bank, and the Isabel and Drub of Branchport.

The Imp is owned and was sailed by Charles Burd. The Tyro is owned by Henry Grant and Garry Morford and was sailed by Morford. Effedler, of Long Branch, owns the Isabel and she was sailed by Captain Elisha Price, of Pleasure Bay.

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# Our January Clearance Sale Grows Greater as it Goes On

## Tomorrow We Bring Forward More Sale Offerings

The one dominating purpose now is to clear racks of ready-to-wear garments and counters, shelves and stock rooms of Winter Goods. Clearance and price-cutting here go hand in hand. To move out goods we mark down prices. And as they must go quickly we cut costs deeply. The clearance shall be speedy and complete.

Values veer to heretofore unreached heights as prices reach heretofore unrecorded low levels. Daily is demonstrated in new offerings the clear fact that this event is our greatest value-giving effort.

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... **15c**

**Kid Gloves**—20 dozen black and colored kid gloves; regular value 75c, on sale ..... **59c**

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard ..... **14c**

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale ,at yard ..... **29c**

**SPECIAL**—All silk wash ribbons, colors, 2 shades in blue, 2 shades in pink and white.

No. 1, 10-yard piece at ..... **12c**
No. 1½, 10-yard piece at ..... **15c**
No. 2, 10-yard piece at ..... **22c**
No. 3, 10-yard piece at ..... **29c**

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30), sale ..... **59c**

40-inch Bleached Pillow Casing, excellent 12½c value, at yard .. **10c**

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... **10c**

30 Pieces Outing Flannel, light styles; regular 8c value; sale, yard ..... **6c**

**COAT SWEATERS.**

Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale ..... **95c**

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale ..... **39c**

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at ..... **29c**

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... **39c**

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... **$3.85**

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... **$3.85**

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... **$5.25**

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price ... **$6.98**

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... **$7.85**

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ... **$9.75**

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .. **$11.15**

You must take into consideration that our regular prices are very low on these lines to appreciate the extent of this cut for this great Clearance Sale.

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**

We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price ..... **$8.50**
(Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price ..... **$10.85**

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price **$15.75**

**Bargains in the Men's Department at this Clearance Sale.**

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at ..... **39c**

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**Printed Linoleums**—A big assortment of these printed linoleums in the season's best patterns—all thoroughly seasoned goods of splendid quality and regular 50c per square yard—our special price, per square yard ..... **35c**

**Body Brussels Rugs**—A big lot of the best grade of five frame Body Brussels Rugs, made from drummers' samples, with a seam across the centre—size 9x12 feet—regular price $27.50 each; this sale special ..... **$18.50**

**Axminster Rugs**—A number of new and very pretty designs in these size 8.3x10.6 Axminster Rugs—all of the season's most desirable effects and colorings—a quality sold regularly for $22.50 each; special at ..... **$16.50**

**Royal Wilton Rugs**—A large line of these $39.50 Royal Wiltons to go on sale at $32.50 each—size 9x12 feet—all perfect goods in many styles—splendid designs and colorings—regularly $39.50 ea.; sale price only **$32.50**

**9x12 Axminster Rugs**—Twenty new and beautiful Axminster Rugs of the very best quality, in size 9x12 feet—Oriental and floral designs in light and dark colorings—regular $24.50 rugs, the special price of .... **$19.95**

**Axminster Carpets** — Extra quality Axminster Carpets in 12 good styles—all of this season's patterns, suitable for parlor use—a quality sold regularly for $1.25 per yard; during this sale, square yard ..... **$1.00**

**Inlaid Linoleums**—12 good patterns of our regular $1.25 grade of inlaid linoleum at 90c per square yard—all perfect goods, in full rolls—the color goes through to the back—$1.25 quality, square yard ..... **90c**

**Wool Velvet Rugs**—Fifteen splendid patterns of the best quality all wool velvet rugs in size 9x12 feet—heavy grade, but slightly mismatched in the weaving — pretty styles — regularly $24.50 each; this sale special ..... **$15.75**

**Tap. Brussels Rugs**—A splendid assortment of 9x12 Tapestry Brussels Rugs in handsome colorings and designs—many of these rugs are woven without seams, best quality—our regular low price is $18; special at .. **$14.95**

**Royal Wilton Rugs**—Another large lot of these fine Royal Wilton Rugs, size 9x12, made from drummers' samples—all perfect goods except for a seam across the centre—regular $39.50 grade, at the special price ..... **$26.75**

**Best Straw Matting**—For this sale we will offer a large lot of regular 40c China Straw Matting at 25c a yard—finest quality, in many neat and pretty patterns—the good wearing kind—regular 40c per yard; special at .... **25c**

**Royal Wilton Rugs**—Of extra quality—eight dropped patterns of the regular $53.50 grade—size 9x12 feet—these goods are all perfect, but the manufacturers have decided to discontinue the designs—special at ..... **$42.50**

**Prited Linoleums**—A big aschance to secure the best and heaviest quality of all wool velvet carpet at a reduced price—newest patterns in room, hall and stair effects—regularly $1.10 per yard; this sale ..... **90c**

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Office opens 7 a. m., closes 7 p. m
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NEW YORK MAILS.
Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.20 a. m., 2.30, 5.00 5.20, 8.30 p. m., 12 midnight.
Close—6.20, 8.15, 9.20, 11.50 a. m., 2.20 6.00, 7.45, 9.00 p. m.

SOMERVILLE AND EASTON
Arrive—9.00 a. m., 1.30, 3.15 and 7.00 p. m
Close—8.00 a. m., 1.30 and 4.20 p. m.

PHILADELPHIA DIRECT
Arrive—7.30, 8.40, 11.30 a. m., 2.30, 7.00 p. m
Close—6.20, 8.15, 11.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 7.45, 9.00 p. m.

THROUGH FAST MAIL FOR EAST.
Close—11.50 a. m and 7.15 p. m

DIRECT THROUGH FAST MAILS FOR WEST AND SOUTH
Close—11.30 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 and 7.45 p. m.

PENNSYLVANIA, WEST OF EASTON
Close—6.30 and 8.00 a. m., 12.35, 6.00 p. m

ELIZABETH, DIRECT.
Arrive—8.40 a. m., 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—8.15 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00, 9.00 p. m.

NEWARK, DIRECT
Arrive—8.40 a. m., 2.30, 5.30 p. m.
Close—6.30, 8.15, 9.30 a. m., 12.35, 2.20, 6.00 p. m.

WATCHUNG.
Arrive—1.00, 6.45 p. m.
Close—9.00 a. m., 5.30 p. m.

WARRENVILLE.
Arrive—1.00 p. m.
Close—9.00 a. m.

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# January Special Sale

## Notions and Dressmakers' Supplies

## Thurs. Jan. 13, to Sat. Jan. 15

### Important to Dressmakers

This is to tell you that our January Sale of Dressmakers' Supplies and every-day needs in Notions will begin on Thursday, January 13, 1910, continuing only three days.

We extend an invitation to all home and professional dressmakers to participate in this distribution and urge them for economy sake to stock up for the Spring Season while prices are lowered.

**PINS.**

Dressing Pins—English make, Queen Brand Dressing Pins, full count 360 on a paper, assorted sizes; regular price 8c, special. **6c**

Dressing Pins—Sandow brand of Sheet Pin, containing 400 pins ..... **1½c**

Dressing Pins—Good quality American Dressing Pins, assorted size paper, each ..... **3½c**

Safety Pins—The well-known brand of Treasure Nickel Safety Pins, 1 dozen on card, dozen .. **2c**

Hair Pins—Kirby Beard good quality Japanned Hair Pins in all sizes, straight and waved .. **1½c**

Hair Pins—Cabinet Hair Pins, containing assorted styles and sizes of heavy and invisible hair pins ..... **3½c**

Hair Pins—Large size Hair Pin Cabinets, containing 250 assorted styles of heavy and invisible hair pins ..... **7c**

Horn Hair Pins—Large and small size Horn Hair Pins in shell colors, 6 and 12 pins on a card, a card ..... **10c**

Belt Pins—Assorted styles Belt Pins, with white and black heads, a paper, at ..... **3c**

Cube Pins—Large and small sizes; good quality ..... **3½c**

**CUSHIONS.**

Pin Cushions—Special lot of Merino covered Pin Cushions, each ..... **7c**

Pin Cushions—A special lot of Tomato styles Pin Cushions, at ..... **3½c**

**FORMS AND MARKERS.**

Skirt Form—Full Dress Form, Jersey Bust—Wire Skirt; very strongly made and good quality Jersey cloth covering; sizes 32 to 40 inch bust measure, regular $2.00, special ..... **$1.59**

Bust Forms—Good quality Jersey cloth covered Bust Forms, sizes 32 to 40 inch, at ..... **35c**

Skirt Markers—Ladies' Skirt Markers or gauges, nickel, very handy for home use, each ... **39c**

**TAPES.**

Bunch Tape — Non-twisting Tape, assorted widths in a bunch ..... **3c**

Tape—White Cotton Roll Tape, 24-yard pieces, one-half inh wide, white and black, piece ..... **6c**

Tape—Extra quality non-twisting Bunch Tape, containing 12 pieces assorted widths, bunch . **7c**

Tape Measures—Good quality double stitched Tape Measures 60 inches long, each ..... **7c**

Cotton Tape—White Cotton, ½ inch wide, 3 yards to piece, at, dozen ..... **10c**

**MACHINE OIL.**

Machine Oil—Good quality Sperm Sewing Machine Oil, 4 oz. bottles, at ..... **7c**

Machine Oil—Good quality Sperm Sewing Machine Oil, 2 oz. bottles, at ..... **3½c**

Machine Straps—Full Length Machine Straps, good quality leather ..... **7c**

**SHOE LACES.**

Shoe Laces—Special lot good quality black tubular laces, 4-4 and 5-4 only; one dozen to the bunch; regularly 10c a dozen, at ..... **5c**

Shoe Laces—Black Tubular Shoe Laces, in all lengths, 1 doz. in a bunch ..... **3½c**

Shoe Laces—Extra good quality Wide Tubular Shoe Laces, in 4-4, 5-4 and 6-4 lengths, 1 dozen in a bunch ..... **7c**

Shoe Laces—Extra fine quality Black Tubular Shoe Laces, put up in single pairs and all lengths. **3c**

**MISCELLANEOUS.**

Iron Holders—Large size asbestos Iron Holders ..... **3c**

Ironing Wax—Wood handle Ironing Wax, good quality, doz. **6c**

Hose Supporters—Ladies' Pad Hose Supporters; large size; 4-strap; button loop and clasp; black, white, pink and blue pair ..... **19c**

Hat Pins—Special lot of assorted styles, jet top, including the flat top style ..... **3½c**

Magic Hair Curlers—The well-known "Magic" Hair Curlers, two on a card, at ..... **7c**

Magic Hair Wavers—The celebrated "Magic" Marcel Hair Waver, 5 on a card, at ..... **18c**

Thimbles—Best quality German Silver Thimbles; all sizes ..... **3½c**

**SPOOL SILK AND COTTON.**

Spool Silk—Special lot of Dressmakers' Large Spools of Sewing Silk, 10 oz. to dozen spools; the spool ..... **39c**

Spool Silk—100 yards spool of Good Quality Sewing Silk, in black, white and assorted colors, each ..... **6c**

Spool Silk—Large spool Sewing Silk, 400 yds. to the spool, one of the standard makes . **19c**

Linen Finish Thread—Aunt Lydia's; black and colors ..... **3½c**

Basting Cotton—King's 200-yd. spools; black and white; the dozen ..... **24c**

Basting Cotton—Good quality 3 cord, 500 yards, spool Basting Cotton, white, assorted numbers, each ..... **3½c**

Spool Cotton—O. N. T. 6-cord Spool Cotton; 200 yards, all numbers, black, white and colors, the dozen ..... **55c**

Spool Cotton—Coat's 6-cord Spool Cotton; 200 yards; all numbers; black and white; the dozen ..... **55c**

Spool Cotton—Brooks' 200 yd. 6-cord Glazed Spool Cotton; in black and white; all numbers; the dozen ..... **55c**

Darning Cotton—The genuine C. B. Ball Darning Cotton, black, white and assorted colors, ea. **3½c**

Spool Cotton—Mansfield's 1-200 yd. Spool Cotton; good quality in white only; Nos. 40, 50, 60 and 70 ..... **9c**

**BRAIDS AND BELTING.**

Skirt Braid—5-yard piece Angora Brand, all colors, at .... **7c**

Skirt Braid — 5-yard pieces Fleisher's Star Brand, wide, black, piece ..... **10c**

Skirt Braid—5-yard pieces Fleisher's Star Braid, extra wide, black, piece ..... **12c**

Dress Belting—¾ and 1¼ in. wide Cotton Glace Belting, 10-yd. pieces, black and white ..... **12c**

Serge Belting—Wide double Dress Belting, good quality, white and black, piece ..... **50c**

**RIBBONS AND BINDING.**

Ribbon—Extra fine quality Taffeta Seam Binding No. 2, 8-yard pieces, black and white, piece **7c**

Ribbon—Extra fine quality Taffeta Ribbon, 5¼ fine wide, black and white and all colors, piece ..... **11c**

Binding—One-half inch wide Prussian Binding, 9-yard pieces, black and white, each ..... **12c**

Binding—One-half inch wide Puritan Brand Silk Prussian Binding, 9-yard pieces, black, white, each ..... **19c**

**DRESS SHIELDS.**

Dress Shields—Good quality pure white, light weight Dress Shields, in sizes 2, 3 and 4, pr. **8c**

Dress Shields—Special lot of Japanese silk-covered light-weight Dress Shields, sizes 2, 3 and 4, per pair ..... **15c**

**COLLAR SETS.**

Collar Sets—Warren Collar Sets, for two colors ..... **3c**

Collar Foundations—Warren Featherbone Silk Collar Foundations, assorted styles and all sizes, white and black, each ..... **7c**

**WHALEBONE.**

Whalebone—Extra fine quality Shell Whalebone, French finished, 36-inch strip, at ..... **21c**

Featherbone—The Warren Chicago Brand of Featherbone, in black and gros-grain, covered, 12 yards to the box ..... **75c**

**HOOKS AND EYES.**

Hooks and Eyes—The celebrated Swell Hooks and Eyes, in black and white, all sizes, two dozen on a card, card ..... **1½c**

Hooks and Eyes—Good quality assorted styles of Spring Hooks and Eyes in all sizes, black and white ..... **3c**

**NEEDLES.**

Needles—Machine Needles for all makes of sewing machines, 2 in a paper ..... **2c**

Pant Bands—Boys' Pant Bands, well made button holes, all sizes, each ..... **3½c**

Corset Steels—Extra fine quality Sateen and Batiste covered Corset Steels, 5 and 6 hook, white, at ..... **7c**

Corset Laces—Special quality five-yard-long Linen Corset Laces, each ..... **3½c**

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# BAPTISTS SHOW ACTIVITY

## New Market Congregation Hear Glowing Reports of the Year's Work

### ROLL CALL OF OLD MEMBERS.

### The Ladies' Aid Society Plans to Purchase Pipe Organ This Year—Two Trustees Are Elected.

Members of the First Baptist church at New Market held their annual congregational rally Monday afternoon and evening. Reports which were presented from all of the departments of church work were gratifying and showed that the church is making headway.

In the afternoon the annual roll call of the members was conducted. There was a large attendance at this service, the members present responding to their names by reading a verse of scripture or giving testimony. Members who were unable to be present sent in scriptural verses which were read.

During an intermission between the roll call and the evening service supper was served in the lecture room under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society. Those in charge were Mrs. Ziba Osmun, Mrs. George Bunting, Mrs. William Nelson and Mrs. William Giles.

Presiding at the night session was DeWitt Giles, president of board of trustees. Lewis D. Walker, treasurer of the church, reported a balance of $11.23. The receipts during the year was $1,903.99 and the expenditures $1,892.76.

The report of John I. Nelson, secretary of the Sunday-school, showed a growth in that department. The total enrollment is 191 with an average attendance of 94. Frank Smalley, treasurer of the school, reported that the regular collections totaled $198.06 and the missionary offerings was $73.17.

The Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor was also active in work connected with the church. During the year the total receipts were $882.60 and the expenditures $850.77, leaving a balance in its treasury of $31.83.

Miss Gertrude Bunting, secretary and treasurer of the Junior C. E. Society, reported a balance of $12.30.

The report of the work accomplished by the Ladies' Aid Society was especially gratifying. During the year the receipts were $309.67 and the balance on hand is $72.71. The activities of the society were displayed in interesting reports submitted by Mrs. Sarah Smalley, secretary, and Miss May Tappen, treasurer. The society contributed a substantial sum to the parsonage fund and this year its chief effort will be to raise funds for the purchase and installation of a pipe organ for the church.

Miss Maud Rupel, secretary of the Cheerful Workers, reported that the society had purchased a piano last year. The total receipts were $64.36 and the expenditures $50.71.

The Farther Lights Society increased in membership according to reports of Mrs. Mahlon Dayton, secretary, and Miss Ida McCullough, treasurer. The balance in its treasury is $11.61.

The Ladies' Missionary Society during the year contributed $26.00 for home missions and $30.75 for work in foreign lands.

George Trimmer and Frank Smalley were elected members of the board of trustees. William Fitz Randolph was clerk of the meeting.

### Rev. W. R. RICHARDS.

The Lord hath sent His messenger
..Removing from us one
Who in our midst the Bread of Life
He gave to those who come.

While with sincere and earnest tho'ts
The Lord's charge he fed here
We recall well the word he preached
With bold and dauntless fear.

Called to his last and great reward
While in the prime of life,
The Lord by His messenger Death,
Summoned him from earth's strife.

We bow in humble submission
Our Father to thy will,
Knowing that nothing can befall
In the darkness so still.

While for the loved one left behind
In this hour of sorrow
We would commend them to thy love
Both now and tomorrow.

Be thou with them as they shall lay
His remains to their rest,
In the sweet assurance that they
Shall arise with the just.

Help us to lay this matter on
Our hearts for careful thought,
We cannot tell how soon or when
We may by thee be sought.

Jan. 8, 1910. E. R. H.

Dr. J. A. Funk, a medical missionary in Persia, spoke before the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon, bringing the latest news from that country. Mrs. John Gray Foster was in charge of the meeting.

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# CLEVER COMEDY SKETCH AT PROCTOR'S THEATRE

J. W. Holland & Co., in presenting their clever comedy sketch, "Checkers" at Proctor's theatre, this week, possess a trained dog who has performed some wonderful feats in life saving, which places him in a class by himself. "Red," as he is named, is a full-blooded English bull terrier, and bears a fine pedigree, his father being the famous "Brandy," a many-time prize winner at the bench shows. In DesMoines last summer during a street parade of the Iowa National Guard, "Red," probably saved a score of lives by his timely action in stopping a runaway horse. In the midst of a large crowd of men, women and children the animal started to run away. "Red" caught the hitching strap and by his bull dog tenacity stopped the horse before anyone was hurt. "Red" also saved a boy from drowning at Munic. He is still with the company and all should see this handsome creature.

### MRS. SARAH LINBARGER PASSES AWAY TODAY.

Mrs. Sarah R. Linbarger, of 293 Somerset street, North Plainfield, died this morning at a little after 10 o'clock after a two months' illness. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made. Mrs. Linbarger is survived by three sons, D. L., Norman and Walter C., all of whom are residents of the borough.

Mrs. Linbarger had been a resident of Plainfield for the past thirty years and was born at Washington Valley. Her uncle, David Coon, was a captain of a company which served throughout the War of Independence and left an enviable record for bravery and distinction. Mrs. Linbarger was the daughter of David and Mary Coon, of Washington Valley, and was a sister of George W. Mundy, of the borough She was not affiliated with any church, but was known for her beautiful Christian character, and was exceptionally active even an hour before she died. Notice of the funeral will be published tomorrow.

### Shower for Miss Murray.

Miss Mildred Berry, of 39 Sycamore avenue, gave a kitchen shower yesterday afternoon for Miss Ethel Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr., of West Fourth street. The gifts comprised practically all aluminum ware and made a fine assortment. Those present were the Misses Mary and Kate Barlow, Marguerite Campbell, Mollis Slocum, Kathryn Titus, Alice Titus, Mildred Berry, May Murray, Ethel Murray, Marion Overton and Mrs. John Theobauld, Mrs. E. H. Hobbie and Mrs. W. R. Faber. During the afternoon refreshments were served.

### Regaining His Eyesight.

Recent letters received by friends of Thomas M. Muir, who is sojourning with relatives near Woodstock, Canada, indicate that he is recovering his eyesight. Mr. Muir is now able to tell time. At night he is also able to distinguish the city electric light in Woodstock, which is nearly three miles distant from the farm of his uncle's family, with whom he is stopping. Mr. Muir ascribes the dry air as being directly responsible for the improvement to his condition. He may return to Plainfield about February 1.

### Iroquois Dining Room.

The formal opening of the new restaurant connected with the Iroquois Hotel will take place on Thursday night. A marked feature of the opening night will be the entertainment of G. A. R. veterans of this city by local Spanish American war veterans. Proprietor Jerome Leary is engaged in remodeling the dining room and making other improvements in the hosterly, it being his intention to make the new restaurant one of the best eating houses in the State.

### Escaped From Hospital.

Louise Dunn, alias Thompson, who escaped from the Elizabeth General Hospital, yesterday, was apprehended here last night and sent back to the hospital in charge of Officer McCue. The Dunn woman will have to serve out a term of ninety days in the county jail for vagrancy.

### Meetings Are Well Attended.

Rev. W. W. Morrison, of Pittsburg, who is conducting evangelistic services at the W. C. T. U. every evening at 7:45 o'clock, is meeting with much success. He is an earnest and attractive speaker and the meetings are largely attended. There is special music every evening.

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NIGHT DRESSES.....59c, 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75
COMBINATION SUITS—Corset Cover and Drawers, and Corset Cover and Skirts.....59c, 79c, $1.00, $1 25, $1.59
FULL SIZE SKIRTS.....98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50
SHORT SKIRTS.....29c, 65c, 75c, $1.00
CORSET COVERS.....25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25
MUSLIN DRAWERS.....25c, 50c, 65c, 89c, 98c
CHEMISE.....69c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50

Every garment offered in this sale is made of the very best materials, are well made and were manufactured in an absolutely sanitary, "no sweat-shop" factory.

## Millinery Cut in Half

In order to close out promptly our entire stock of trimmed and untrimmed hats we offer them at just one half the prices they are marked.

## Pillow Cases and Sheets

42x36 & 45x45 Pillow Cases with 2½ inch hem, made of good quality, soft finished muslin for.....12½c
SHEETS—with welded seam, made of heavy muslin, size 72x90 for.....50c
81x90 for.....60c

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| Hecker's Cream Oatmeal, three 10c packages 25c | Atmore's Mince Meat, 5-lb pail 59c | Maraschino Cherries, 65c size, a bottle 52c | Curtis Bros.' Plum Pudding, 65c size, 3-lb can 57c | Crescent Shape Olives, 25c size, a bottle 19c | Imported Norway Fat Herring in Boullion, 2 cans 25c |
| Fresh Milled Rolled Oats, 6-lb bag 21c | National Biscuit Co.'s Uneeda Biscuits, a package 4c | Svea Wafers, 25c kind, a tin 19c | Holland Edam Cheese, $1.10 size, each 98c | Cocoanut Macaroons, 20c kind, a lb 14c | Sweet Gerkins, 32c size, quart bottle 28c |
| Old Dutch Cleanser, three 10c boxes 25c | Crystal Gelatine, 10c kind, a package 8c | White Wax Cherries, 15c size, a can 10c | Sweet Wrinkled Peas, 3 cans 25c | California Asparagus, large can 22c | Tomatoes, No. 2 size, a can 5c |
| Black Walnuts, a quart 5c | Santa Claus, Marshmallows, 10c box, a package 5c | Orange Marmalade, individual size, a jar 5c | French Mushrooms, Individual Cans, a can 10c | Luncheon Tongues, Emery brand, 25c size, a can 15c | 20 S. & H. Stamps with 1 bot. Schrewsbury Chili Sauce, 18c |

Large Enamel Dish Pans, Water Pails, Double Rice Boilers, worth 50c each, Given Away with 1 lb Choice Teas, at 60c lb or 1 lb Scheuer's Premium Baking Powder, 45c.

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| 10 S. & H. Stamps with 3-lb carton choice California Prunes, 25c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 3-lb pkg. Baby Brand Buckwheat, 15c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 2-lb pkg. Scheuer's Rolled Oats, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 1 can Cal. Green Gage or Egg Plums, 17c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with large pkg. Scheuer's Washing Powder, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with three 5c Rolls Toilet Paper, |

Crosse & Blackwell's Pure Fruit Jams, Raspberry, Strawberry, Plum, Blackberry, Green Gage, Red Currant, Raspberry and Currant Damson, Apricot and Gooseberry, 25c kind, a jar 19c, per dozen $2.20.

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3-lb. box Starch.....20c
Large Bottle Blue.....10c
1 box Ball Blue.....10c
1 box Allen's Talc. Powder.....10c
1 box Allen's Tooth Powder.....10c
1 package Macaronni.....10c
1 package Spaghetti.....10c
1 bottle Vanilla.....15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract.....15c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish 10c
1 can Liquid Enameline.....10c
7-lb. bag Salt.....10c
1 package Parlor Matches.....12c
1 bottle Ammonia.....10c

### Extra S&H Stamps

100 S. & H. Stamps with 1-lb can Scheuer's Baking Powder.....45c
100 Stamps with 1 lb 60c Tea.
70 Stamps with 1 lb 50c Tea.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 35c Tea.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 32c Coffee.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 29c Coffee.
20 Stamps with 1 lb 27c Coffee.
20 Stamps with 1 lb 23c Coffee.
10 Stamps with 1 lb 18c Coffee.
10 Stamps with ¼ lb 50c Tea.

### Crackers

Fig Bars, a lb. 10c; 3 lbs....25c
Lemon Cakes, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs..25c
Ginger Snaps, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs..25c
Oakdale Pretzels, a lb.....12c
Oakdale Twigs, a lb.....14c
Grand Ma's Cookies, a lb....10c
5 O'clock Teas, a lb.....12c
Moss Wafers, a lb.....12c
Spiced Wafers, a lb.....12c
Dinner Biscuits, a pkg.....15c
Toasted T Biscuits, a pkg....10c
Breakfast Biscuits, a pkg....12c
Sugar Wafers, lb.....30c

Salt Mackerel, each 5c, 8c and 10c
Kippered Herring, a can.....15c
Deviled Crab Meat, a can....22c
Mince Meat, a lb.....10c
Fine Hominy, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Yellow Meal, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Best Farina, a lb. 6c; 4 lbs. 22c
Pearl Tapioca, lb. 7c; 4 lbs. 25c
Granulated Tapioca, 9c; 3 lbs. 25c
Graham Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Rye Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs.....20c

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| Yellow Turnips, pony basket 18c | Choice Michigan Potatoes, ½ bushel basket 45c | Sweet Florida Pineapple Oranges, a dozen 25c 30c 40c | Fresh Tomatoes, a lb 15c | Choice Crisp Jersey Celery, a bunch 15c | Juicy Florida Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c, 4 for 25c, 6 for 25c |

### Malcolm E. Jones.

Malcolm E. Jones, the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Jones, of 525 East Fifth street, died last night, aged four months. The funeral service will be held from the late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and Rev. J. W. Musson, of the Temple Baptist church, will have charge. The burial will be in Evergreen cemetery.

### Belated Wedding Announcement.

Announcement has been made of the wedding of Miss Clara Gunther and Benjamin Eddy. The marriage was solemnized last summer and the couple are now residing on New street. Both Mr. and Mrs. Eddy are well known in this city, the former being in the employ of E. H. Clevely, of North avenue.

The girls' basketball teams of the city and borough schools will engage in a contest in Debele's Hall tomorrow afternoon.

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## Rev. Dr. Wm. R. Richards

By A. V. D. Honeyman

The exceedingly beautiful private life of Dr. Richards, and his strong, dominant personality in the upbuilding of this community while he lived and walked among us, cannot be brought out too strongly in any review of his career that is likely to appear in the public press. While others knew him during the past seven years of his life, as a resident of New York city, better than the writer, I feel constrained to lay one little wreath of appreciation upon his open grave. I say "open," because it will never be a closed grave to those who at any time were permitted to come near to him as parishioner or friend, and who were thereby constrained, willingly or unwittingly, to yield up to him the genuine if silent, affection of the heart. That highly intellectual face has disappeared, but the magnificent soul behind it lives on.

The general characteristics of Dr. Richards as he appeared to others we well know; his self-poised, dignified bearing, his sound learning, his remarkedly well-chiselled and classic face when lighting up in conversation, his interest in all things for the common good, etc. I prefer now to write of certain other traits, however, and of his pulpit ability.

His was a singularly buoyant and lovable nature to such as entered into its inner portals. Not everybody could become his confidant, because his outward disposition was that of great reserve, born of that rare and gentle flower of character which we call "modesty." You had to know him before he would open up to you the richness and rarity of his charming regality. He never obtruded either his personality or his opinions upon others. He could listen to that which did not meet his views without reply; or, if occasion required, he could strongly enough oppose opinions which differed from his own, but in the latter case it was always with such quietude of manner that there was a potential influence behind it, which was well-nigh irresistible. I never knew a man, whether preacher or otherwise, so unobtrusive in his methods of dealing with others, who could accomplish so much even by way of rebuke, and certainly always by way of intentional moral uplift. For this reason hundreds of persons in Plainfield and in New York city, within and without his congregations, who did not pretend to real intimacy with him, have long kept in their hearts a peculiar reverence for this preacher and his work. They have admired his public stand for the right things; they have felt the restraint of his private influence and been benefited by it, even when the man himself was unseen. Of few ministers it can be said that after seven years of entire separation from his flock—barring a few return visits, generally of condolence, which on the whole were too few to satisfy his old parishioners—the bonds which united them to him have strengthened and deepened until at last, when he has been called home to his reward, it could be truly said that there is grief in every family and sadness at every hearthstone where his presence, when he was among us, was ever known.

That his personal character was unusually pure and lofty goes without saying. In this respect none knew him or knew of him but to praise him. There are not so many, however, who have understood the geniality and bonhomie of his frank and childlike nature. His personal friends were conversant with, and understood and appreciated this side to his character, and to them the remembrance of it is as a benediction. He could rejoice with those who rejoiced, as well as speak with the tenderness of a father to those who mourned, but he best loved to rejoice. Life to him was serious, but it was also enrapturing, for it was to be everlasting.

When in the Holy Land, companioning in sweet fellowship with a number of persons who, to all appearances, became dear to him as he became to them, treading together spots that were sacred because of the erstwhile presence of the gentle Nazarene, whom he so adored, the characteristics to which I have alluded, of buoyancy and cheerfulness, were so interblended with the spirit of helpfulness and tenderness of feeling, that all the large company who were thrown daily in his society learned to love the man as before some few of us had learned to appreciate the preacher.

One cannot travel for three months in close association with other men and not learn both the defects and virtues in their characters. Dr. Richard's ministerial associates on that wonderfully interesting tour, including the late well-known Dean Rodman, and the late saintly Dr. Hutton, of New Brunswick, both of whom have passed away so recently, were just the kind of companions to draw him out of himself and induce a forgetfulness of all home work or worry. There were others along, both parishioners and strangers, to many of whom he became warmly attached, and who daily experienced the pleasures of close and intimate relationship to him. Not the preacher or teacher, but the manly man then appeared. The apparent reserve

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### It Wasn't An Airship.

It wasn't an airship nor an aeroplane which so disturbed the nerves of a few people who were out late last night. Somebody was trying out a new searchlight with a universal joint in its mechanism.

### Appointed a Senate Page.

Dorrance Smith, of Grove street, was appointed a page in the State Senate yesterday by President Frelinghuysen. Smith was recommended for the position by Mayor Newton B. Smalley.

### Sesame Club to Meet.

The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. C. W. Tennant, 759 Kensington avenue.

Miss Irene Voehl, of West Front street, is detained at home on account of illness.

Wells E. Floyd, of Macon City, Missouri, is visiting his sister-in-law, Mrs. Jacob Gaub, of Duer street.

Mrs. Danielson, wife of J. E. Danielson, M. D., of Plattekill, N. Y., is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Lillian A. Force, of Duer street.

The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U., postponed from last week, will be held in the rooms on Madison avenue, tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.


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WANTED—Position as companion or housekeeper; competent to take charge of invalid; highest reference given. Telephone 115, Plainfield. 1 6 6

EXPERIENCED laundress wants work at home or Monday, Tuesday out. 933 West Third St. 1 11 3

YOUNG colored girl would like to assist in general housework. 602 East Third St. 1 11 3

TWO white girls wish situations as first class cook and waitress together or separate. Call three days, 541 West Sixth St. 1 12 3

COLORED woman wants day's work, washing or ironing; home, or will go out. 308 Arlington Ave. 1 11 2

POSITIONS wanted for several men, colored and white; nurses, cooks, general workers, coachmen; also two or three married couples. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue; 'Phone 1347-L. 1 12 3

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### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

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### Help Wanted—Female.

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WANTED—Young girl to assist with care of children daily, from 8 to 6. Apply 68 Norwood Ave. 1 10 3

WANTED—Good plain cook and laundress; wages $25. Apply 11 Rockview avenue. 1 10 3

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Call at 91 Rockview avenue; reference required. 1 11 3

WANTED—A first class colored waitress; references required. Call 1233 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 8 p. m. 1 11 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; references. Apply 600 Franklin place, corner of Sixth St. 1 10 3

WANTED — Girl for general housework; three in family; reference. 924 Madison Ave. 1 10 3

AT MURRAY'S Registry, good cooks, also laundresses, chambermaids and waitresses; superior girls as nurses and fifty good general houseworkers for first class positions. Apply at once, 226 East Front street, near Y. W. C. A.; 'Phone 666. 1 12 3

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call at 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—An experienced laundress, white, for Mondays and Tuesdays. Call evenings, bringing references, 604 West Seventh St. 1 12 3

A GIRL to do general housework. 414 West Eighth St. 1 12 2

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Chambermaid and waitress. 91 Mercer avenue; apply between 5 and 7. 1 11 tf

FORTY GIRLS WANTED—Cooks, nurses, waitresses and general houseworkers. Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 6

WANTED—Two girls (white), one as cook, the other as waitress, in family of two. Call Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 2

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Two girls, one for cooking, washing and ironing; the other as chambermaid and waitress. Apply 526 West Seventh St. 1 5 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

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TO LET — Furnished rooms, two minutes from station; all improvements; reasonable; telephone. 215 Church St. 1 10 3

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TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Help Wanted Male.

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### Automobiles.

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### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Rooms for two adults, unfurnished, with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

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### For Sale.

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texler. 1 3 tf

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FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

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### Miscellaneous.

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STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

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LOST—Open face gold watch and fob on Front street, yesterday afternoon. Reward return to 822 Second place. 1 12 2

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

### For Rent.

SMALL house to let. 132 Johnston avenue. Apply 409 East Fifth street or 122 Johnston Ave. 1 5 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

FOR RENT—Ten room modern house on Westervelt avenue, near Front, for rent at $20 a month. Address L. W., care Press. 12 3 w th

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

LARGE loft; 3,000 square feet; with offices, suitable for manufactory, situation North and Park avenues. Apply C. H. Leman, North avenue, Plainfield. 12 29 tf w

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. Fagno, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

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### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—House to rent from April 1, 10-room modern, preferred, in city. Address H., care of Daily Press. 1 11 2

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WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 11 3

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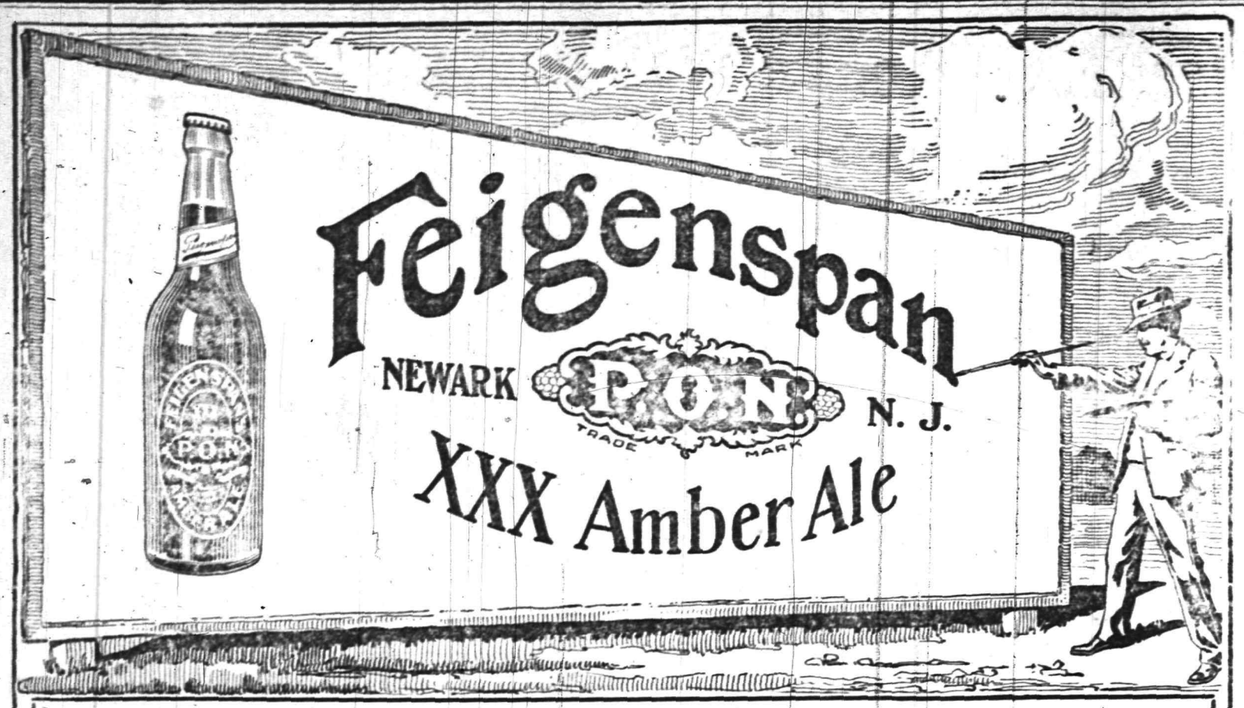


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# ASKS DIVORCE FROM RURAL MAIL CARRIER

Newton, Jan. 12.—Vice-Chancellor James E. Howell, of Newark, who is hearing the suit brought by Mrs. Anna D. Longcor, of Main street, against her husband, Virgil C. Longcor, of Andover Borough, a rural mail carrier, to compel the latter to support herself and two children, adjourned the case Saturday after the morning session. The adjournment came while the complainant was under cross examination conducted by her husband's counsel, Lewis J. Martin.

As told Saturday, the Longcors were married on March 18, 1898, after the complainant, then Miss Anna Drexler, of Brooklyn, had been a summer guest of her husband's mother, Mrs. Sarah Longcor, for several seasons.

Mrs. Longcor testified that they immediately went to housekeeping in a house at Andover, she paying the rent and all the household expenses. She said that their troubles began almost at once, and that her husband was "mentally cruel to her." Two years afterward, at her husband's suggestion, they went to live on a farm he had purchased near Sparta prior to their marriage, on which she held a mortgage.

Affairs became so serious between them after that that she finally went away on June 25, 1905, again on July 2, returning during the following fall. During that time she had supported herself by making embroidery at Sparta. During 1904 she had decided to leave her home, and ordered George Patfield, a local drayman, to come to the farmhouse for her furniture. The goods were partly loaded when Longcor came back and had the men unload them. Mrs. Longcor said that she "kept giving her husband money" to keep peace in the family, and when she had any and refused to give it to him, he pouted and would not speak until she handed it over.

She alleged that sometimes for as long as six months he would not bring home any meat, and the family had to subsist on bread and potatoes alone during those periods. She figured up that she could support herself and two children for $45 a month, and for ten dollars more could clothe them. Longcor is the rural mail carrier at Andover, and that sum is about all he earns from the government. Three children were born to them, one daughter remaining with the father when she left for the last time. She claimed that the trouble resulting in her leaving her husband for all time came over a note she had indorsed for him, and which she would not sign when the time came for renewal. She sent a letter of reconciliation, but got no reply, and made a personal visit to her former home and the door was shut in her face. She said that all Longcor married her for was her money.

Mrs. Longcor is now supporting herself and family by conducting an art room. Her case is being presented by former Assemblyman Levi H. Morris.

# UNION ASSEMBYMEN SHARE IN THE PLUMS

(From a Staff Correspondent)

Trenton, January 12.—In the assignment of members to House committees, Speaker Ward favored Assemblyman Pierce with the chairmanship of the Committee on Revision of Laws, the same post held by the latter last year. Mr. Pierce is also the second man of the Appropriations Committee, which is one of the most important in the House. On the joint committees he is a member of the Home for Feeble Minded Women.

Mr. Schwartz, of Union county, is made chairman of the committee on New Jersey Reformatory, and the Bill Files Committee. He is second man on Corporations and also second man on Banks and Insurance, both of which are very important committees. He is also third man on the Stationery Committee.

Mr. Thompson, of Union, is first man on the House joint committee on the Sanitorium for Tuberculosis Diseases at Glen Gardner; and second man on the Committee on Towns and Townships.

## Y. M. C. A. SPORTS.

Basketball results in the Sunday School Athletic League Monday night were as follows: First Presbyterian 29, Grace Episcopal 15; Congregational 19, Trinity Reformed 13; Hope Chapel 34, Crescent Avenue 27.

In a Business Mens' Basketball League contest at the Y. M. C. A. Monday afternoon the Whites defeated the Grays by the score of 36 to 13.

The Suburban basketball quintet of Orange will be the opponents of the local Y. M. C. A. aggregation on Saturday night.

Manager Listman is highly elated over the victory over the Orange State champions on Saturday night. He predicts that the locals will even matters up with the Williamsbridge five when the latter team makes its re-appearance here on the night of February 5. In the last encounter the Williamsbridge experts won by a ten-point margin.

Walter Cahoone has been elevated to the captaincy of the Y. M. C. A five to succeed Amos Rumsey, who left this city to take up his residence in Woonsocket. Rumsey played left guard for the locals for three seasons and was rated as one of the speediest basketball players turned out on the local court.

Up to date the Y. M. C. A.'s have been a splendid showing considering the high class of teams which they have opposed. The record is eight victories and three defeats.

Physical Director G. L. Listman is attending a conference of State Y. M. C. A. physical directors at Newark today.

Arrangements are completed for the Plainfield Y. M. C. A.-Troy Y. M. C. A. "telephone competition" for Friday night, January 28. There will be five events, as follows: Running broad jump, standing broad jump, three standing broad jumps, shot put and a quarter mile potato race.

The first and second teams will meet for practise on the gym floor tonight.

N. P. H. S. and Leals will clash in an Interscholastic Basketball League contest on Friday night.

## HAD MONEY TIED TO HIS LEG.

Paterson, Jan. 12.—Nicholas and Edward Den Blyker, brothers, arrested in Passaic Saturday, charged with grand larceny, have been committed to the county jail. When searched nearly $1,200 was found tied with a cord about the lower part of Nicholas Den Blyker's right leg.

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"That is Mariana—'la bella Mariana la Mursiana.'" George answered—"one of those women who come to Paris from the tropics to form themselves on the legend of the one great famous and infamous Spanish dancer who died a long while ago. Mariana did very well for a time. I've heard that the revolutionary societies intend striking medals in her honor. She's done worse things to royalty than all the anarchists in Europe! She danced at the Folie Rouge last week."

*"That is Mariana—'la bella Mariana la Mursiana.'"*

"Thank you, George," I said gratefully. "I hope you'll point out the Louvre and the Eiffel tower to me some day. I didn't mean Mariana."

"What did you mean?"

What I had meant was so obvious that I turned to my friend in surprise.

"I meant the man with her," I said.

"Oh!" He laughed sourly. "That carrion?"

"You seem to be an acquaintance."

"Everybody on the boulevard knows who he is," said Ward curtly, paused and laughed again with very little mirth. "So do you," he continued, "and as for my acquaintance with him—yes, I had once the distinction of being his rival in a small way, a way so small, in fact, that it ended in his becoming a connection of mine by marriage. He's Larrabee Harmon."

That was a name somewhat familiar to readers of American newspapers even before its bearer was fairly out of college. But frolic degenerated into

"Perfectly, monsieur. Perhaps monsieur knows them."

"Yes, I know them."

"Truly?" He affected dejection. "And poor Mme. Brossard thought monsieur had returned to our old hotel because he liked it and remembered our wine of Beaune and the good beds and old Gaston's cooking!"

"Do not weep, Amedee," I said. "I have come to paint, not because I know the people who have taken Quesnay." And I added, "I may not see them at all."

Miss Elizabeth had mentioned in one of her notes that Ward had leased Quesnay, but I had not sought quarters at Les Trois Pigeons because it stood within walking distance of the chateau. In my industrious frame of mind that circumstance seemed almost a drawback. Miss Elizabeth, ever hospitable to those whom she noticed at all, would be doubly so in the country, and I wanted all my time to myself since my time was not conceivably of value to any one else. I thought it wise to leave any encounter with the lady to chance. George himself had just sailed on a business trip to America, and until his return I should put in all my time at painting and nothing else, though I liked his sister, as I have said, and thought of her often.

Amedee laughed incredulously. "But monsieur will call at the chateau in the morning," the complacent varlet prophesied. "Monsieur is not at all an old man—no, not yet. Even if he were—aha—no one could possess the friendship of that wonderful Mme. d'Armand and remain away from the chateau."

"Mme. d'Armand!" I said. "That is not the name. You mean Mlle. Ward."

"No, no!" His fat cheeks bulged with a smile. "Mlle. Ward"—he pronounced it "Ware"—"is magnificent. Every one must fly to obey when she opens her mouth. It needs only a glance to perceive that Mlle. Ward is a great lady, but Mme. d'Armand—aha!" He rolled his round eyes to an effect of unspeakable admiration. "But monsieur knows very well for himself."

"We were speaking of the present chatelaine of Quesnay, Mlle. Ward. I have never heard of Mme. d'Armand."

"Monsieur is serious?"

"Truly!" I answered, making bold to quote his shibboleth.

"Then monsieur has truly much to live for. Truly!" he chuckled openly.

He had cleared the table.

"Amedee," I said, "who is Mme. d'Armand?"

"A guest of Mlle. Ward at Quesnay; in fact, she is in charge of the chateau, since Mlle. Ward is, for the time, away."

"Is she a Frenchwoman?"

"It seems not. In fact, she is an American, though she dresses with so much of taste. Ah, Mme. Brossard admits it, and Mme. Brossard knows the art of dressing."

*"Then monsieur has truly much to live for. Truly!"*

"Mme. d'Armand's name is French," I observed.

"Yes; that is true," said Amedee thoughtfully. "No one can deny it; it is a French name." He rested the tray upon a stump near by and scratched his head. "I do not understand how that can be," he continued slowly. "Jean Ferret, who is chief gardener at the chateau, is an acquaintance of mine, and Jean Ferret has told me that she is an American."

"I believe," said I, "that if I struggled a few days over this puzzle I might come to the conclusion that Mme. d'Armand is an American lady who has married a Frenchman."

The old man uttered an exclamation of triumph.

"Ha! Without doubt! Truly she must be an American lady who has married a Frenchman. Monsieur has already solved the puzzle. Truly, truly!" And he betook himself across the darkness to emerge in the light of the open door of the kitchen with the word still rumbling in his throat.

I rose from the chair on my little porch to go to bed, but I was reminded of something and called to him.

"Monsieur?" his voice came briskly.

"How often do you see your friend, Jean Ferret, the gardener of Quesnay?"

"Frequently, monsieur. Tomorrow morning I could easily carry a message if"—

"That is precisely what I do not wish. And you may as well not mention me at all when you meet him."

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**Local Real Estate Transfers.**

These real estate transfers have been recorded at the County Registrar's office, Elizabeth: Edgar C. Schenck et ux. to Frederick Bakker, southeasterly side West Third street, corner Grant avenue, $1; Abram Kunzman et ux. to Louis Fay, southeasterly side West Third street, 62 feet southwesterly of L. R. Opdyke, $1; James W. Jackson et ux. to James L. Arrowsmith, northwesterly side West Seventh street, 71 feet, southwesterly of Plainfield avenue, [illegible]

Miss Estelle Morris, of Jersey City, has returned home after a visit with friends here.

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All cases reported will be promptly investigated.
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# The Plainfield Trust Company

## Report (condensed) as rendered to the Department of Banking, State of New Jersey

December the thirty-first nineteen hundred nine.

ASSETS.

| | |
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| R. R. and other bonds (book value) | $ 580,475.36 |
| [Market value $593,730.50] | |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 |
| Overdrafts, None | |
| Cash | 454,592.95 |
| | $3,121,954.67 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital Stock | | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | | 202,501.58 |
| Accrued Interest | | 4,249.15 |
| Deposits— | | |
| Time | $1,015,641.78 | |
| Demand | 1,799,562.16 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
|---|---|---|
| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |


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First Presbyterian Church
Thursday Ev'g, Jan. 13
Miss Edith Cecelia Rubel, VIOLINIST
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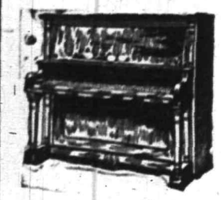

# Piano Clearance Sale

For the next ten days, beginning today, we will hold our annual Clearance Sale. Sale comprises of new, discontinued styles, used pianos taken in exchange, Player Pianos, Organs and Square Pianos.

It is absolutely necessary for us to hold this sale in order to make room for the new 1910 style pianos which are now ready for shipment from our Boston factories.

The discontinued styles are new, perfect pianos, but have been dropped from the 1910 catalog and must be moved to make room for the new style piano. Every instrument guaranteed with the solid Hallet & Davis warranty

The prices—

USED UPRIGHTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Bradbury | $ 75 |
| Bowen | $160 |
| Wellman | $155 |
| Hallet & Davis | $215 |
| Angelus Player | $175 |
| Angelus Player | $ 65 |

SQUARE PIANOS—

| | |
|---|---|
| Steinway | $20 |
| Bradbury | $15 |
| Decker | $15 |
| And 10 others at | $10 |

NEW, BUT DISCONTINUED STYLES

| Value | Sale Price |
|---|---|
| $450 Pianos | $375 |
| $400 Pianos | $325 |
| $375 Pianos | $300 |
| $350 Pianos | $275 |
| $275 Pianos | $200 |
| $250 Pianos | $175 |

ORGANS—

| | |
|---|---|
| Estey | $25 |
| Plebout | $15 |
| American | $10 |
| Cornish | $10 |

TERMS WILL BE ARRANGED TO SUIT THE PURCHASER.

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The Policy of The Paris is, no Suits, Skirts or Coats can be carried over to another season. Therefore, we say again,

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## PARK CLUB'S TEAM DEFEATS ELIZABETH

The Park club five took three games from the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. on the local courts, last night, in the Central Bowling League tournament, all by good sized scores. They won the first game by a score of 944 to 833, the second by a score of 881 to 859 and the third by a score of 931 to 873. The Parks were in fine condition for bowling, as is shown by the good scores put up.

In the first game, Lyman rolled a double century, while Ball put up a 204. In the second game, Barlow rolled a 202 and in the third game he put up a 203. The other scores were uniformly good.

Bleicher was high man for Elizabeth, rolling a 198 in the first game, and while the scores of the visitors were generally quite good, they were unable to overcome with the good work of the Parks. The scores:

**Park Club.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Barlow | 173 | 202 | 203 |
| Long | 184 | 166 | 170 |
| Lyman | 200 | 170 | 188 |
| Mulford | 183 | 173 | 175 |
| Ball | 204 | 170 | 195 |
| | 944 | 881 | 931 |

**Elizabeth Y. M. C. A.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Martin | 184 | 174 | 174 |
| Craig | 163 | 174 | 187 |
| Schindler | 124 | 153 | 155 |
| Miller | 164 | 167 | 168 |
| Bleicher | 198 | 191 | 189 |
| | 833 | 859 | 873 |

**Home Department Social.**

The visitors of the Home Department of Trinity Reformed church Sunday-school will meet for a social hour at the home of Mrs. William VanDeventer, 336 East Fifth street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

**Harold Firstbrook Celebrates.**

Harold Firstbrook, of Grant avenue, was twelve years old Monday, and in celebration of the event he entertained a number of his friends at a birthday party last night. About a dozen guests were present.

## REV. DR. W. R. RICHARDS

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manifested in his parish life at home gave way to the open joy and exhilaration of the camp life, the horseback riding, the unusual walks, and the strange sights and sounds of the intensely colored and kaleidoscopic Orient.

When at home in repose his countenance had been sometimes wearied in its look, as if his shoulders carried a great weight, a look which alas! has been deepening since he later took up the burdens of a strenuous pastorate in the city of New York. But all this left him under the sunny skies of Italy and Greece, and especially amid the flower-crowned hills of Galilee. He was then a boy in exuberance, a child in his simple tastes, but above all a full-rounded, well-equipped, open-eyed, happy traveler, doing the very thing which he most longed to do in the way of travel. He was looking with his own eyes upon the very ground over which the saints of old had passed, and where the great sermons of his Lord and Master had been preached to his handful of disciples. Saddened he must have ben at some of the spectacles by the wayside, especially at the impoverishment and gross fanaticism of the men and women who now form the population of Palestine. But he rose above all depression, and was so serenely self-contained and at times so jubilant that he made fatigues seem as delights and hardships as pastimes. There were moments when he proved himself to be a master among men, as when he stilled the turbulence of two Mohammedan drivers who quarrelled on the road from Jericho, and by a quiet exhibition of muscular force and dignified disapproval compelled them to throw aside the stones in their hands with which each sought to take the other's life. But he could be the jolliest of the party in joking around the camp-fire at evening time; he could sing with his melodious bass voice, in the truest spirit of tenderness, the beautiful "Galilee, sweet Galilee!" on the banks of that holy lake; he could walk in the rain around the city walls of Jerusalem and hum melodies as he passed on; he could give that smile so constantly characteristic of him, which fairly transfigured his countenance, as easily when conversing with the aged monk in the Garden of Gethsemane as when he climbed the Pyramids and assured us he was refreshed by it, when *others were complaining of dislocated joints*; and he could feast with *Arabs at an evening wedding festival* (as related by him in the last sermon he prepared, which Dr. van-Dyke read from the Brick church pulpit two days ago). In all circumstances, good, bad or indifferent, such as come to all travelers, he proved himself to be in a remarkable degree a model fellow-traveler and friend. Those were hallowed days, indeed, and nothing comes up now in memory concerning those days with greater vividness and even personal helpfulness than the splendid and royal and joyous Christian character of Dr. Richards.

As a preacher, Dr. Richard's style and logic were forceful in proportion as one heard him week after week. He was not an orator and he was the reverse of sensational. His language though carefully studied, was always plain and direct; in the use of simple words he had the characteristics of the style of Theodore Roosevelt. He had no liking for the complex or abstruse in stating his propositions. There is no easier religious reading than his numerous printed sermons; a child can understand them. The beauty of his style, to my mind, lay in this simplicity of diction, and in the cumulative arguments, with which, as a rule, his sermons (especially his carefully written out morning sermons) were bound to convince the hearer. As he advanced in his subject step by step, the argument grew, as from the acorn to the oak. No point was dropped out by the way, but each one stood side by side until the final one clinched the whole. He had evidently carefully studied Scripture dialectics (in the best sense of the term) and knew how first to convince the reason and then to stir into life dormant emotions. By the very ingenuity of his felicitously put reasoning he constrained attention and compelled adhesion to his own clear cut views. He would have made a grand lawyer, but he well knew that he was practising before a higher court than that of a single earthly judge. His court was that of many human consciences, and above, on the appellate bench, was a Judge whose law was final and perfect.

If any one of his admirable collections of published sermons exhibits his methods of reasoning better than another, it is his "God's Choice of Men." In that series will be found "The Second Mile," which finely illustrates the constraining influence of his methods of statement. There are many similar sermons that were notable ones when delivered, and are likely to be influential as long as they are remembered, or whenever they are read anew, and the wonder of them is their extreme simplicity, and yet their potency. The fact was, however, that not alone the sentences, nor the ingenious reasoning surcharged his pulpit utterances with their hidden power, but the grand character of the man himself who stood behind the pulpit! He put all of himself into his message, and this was finely beaten-out gold.

I doubt if any plainer, healthier, or more robust guide to human conduct in all the ordinary relations of life can be found, outside of the Bible itself, than is contained in Dr. Richard's several published volumes of sermons.

Perhaps the most commented upon characteristic of Dr. Richards' sermons was that one never knew when he began his discourse how or about what it was going to end. Not that he did not stick to his text, because he did this to a degree far above that of the average preacher, but one could not tell whether the ultimate goal was to be a quiet appeal to the unconverted, or the holding up of a high Scriptural plane of living for the guidance of church members, or the striking of a blow at some sore in the body politic, or an indorsement of some measure of reform, or the presentation of a benevolent cause for the outturning of the contents of the pocketbooks of his congregation. In the latter case he invariably won over the scruples of those whose natures were not too liberal toward missions or other religious objects needing money; in fact without any direct appeals for benevolent contributions he was the most successful collector for such causes whom I have ever heard preach. In the former cases his congregations always left his church with the feeling that they had heard the pure and unadulterated Gospel presented in an original and timely form, and with a spur to it distinctly intended to reform and ennoble character and sweeten the graces of the Christian life.

What Dr. Richards was in the councils of his ministerial brethren and in the boards of the church others better know. What he was at the few clubs whose meetings he delighted to attend, and at family gatherings, where the playfulness of his mind and a quick repartee were always in evidence when in place, is a matter which will not soon be forgotten. But in the pulpit he will be most sorely missed, for there his torch put forth a light pure, tranquil and strong, too strong to be extinguished by his death. Here, just as in the street and home, he was always and exactly himself. Without ostentation of learning, he had deeply drunk of the wells of knowledge. Without practice of unnatural oratory, whose effect would have been meretricious, he always spoke to the point and quit when he had finished. Without show of pride, he was justly sensitive to a good name, prizing it above all other riches. Craving not fame, he has secured it in the affectionate tribute of regard which all who knew him now gladly render. Unostentatious in his life, his was a knightly soul, and it departed from us almost as the spirit of Elisha, by translation. Or as Enoch, who in a moment "was not, for God took him!"

A. V. D. HONEYMAN.


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The Seaburys' Skatorial Novelty.

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Charles Clarence, Monologuist.


## FOR INTER-CITY LEAGUE

### The Plainfield Baseball Club to Become a Member of Association.

HELD ITS ANNUAL ELECTION.

Brit Martin Again President and Captain—Casting About For a New Diamond.

Plainfield youths who hold ambitions of becoming baseball stars will be accorded the opportunity of advancing in the sport, as well as becoming members of the Plainfield Baseball Club team for 1910, by Manager Ernest Dorflinger next spring. Mr. Dorflinger, who is also a scout for several minor league clubs, has determined to open an outdoor school for trying out local players of promise, before the opening of next season.

Players who display the necessary speed will be given a fair chance to make the local nine, which will compare in strength, to the New Brunswick and Somerville nines. Mr. Dorflinger's intentions are to give local boys the first call in the make-up of the Plainfield nine and if he is unable to complete the team with Plainfield talent, he will fill the positions with out of town players.

The club at its annual meeting last night re-elected all of its former officers, as follows: President and captain, Brit Martin; vice president, Norman Barnes; secretary, Adam Shott; assistant secretary, James Steele; treasurer and manager, Ernest Dorflinger.

It was decided to put a team on the field whether the Crescent Oval is available or not. Several new sites are under consideration and some definite information on the ground question is expected to be forthcoming in the next few weeks.

An inter-city series which should promote big interest among the fans will be arranged between Plainfield, New Brunswick and Somerville, and Dorflinger is confident of organizing a combination that will be able to carry off the championship honors.

**Tool Thief Sentenced.**

Gilbert Field, who was convicted of stealing carpenters tools in this city and in other towns in Union county was sentenced to a term of three months in the county jail, by Judge Atwater, at Elizabeth, this morning.

JANUARY THIRTEENTH.

1493—First battle between white men and American Indians; incident of Columbus' settlement in Hispaniola.

# THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.

Rain tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature; moderate to brisk east and southeast winds.
Max., 35; Min., 19.

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## EXCISE RECOMMENDATION

### Lawmakers Receive Mr. Fisk's Suggestions for Needed Legislation.

PROHIBITION NOT FAVORED.

Stringent Regulation Solution of Problem and Some Advice Is Given as Requested.

Members of the commission appointed by Governor Fort to investigate the subject of excise in the State have not infrequently been consulted by members of the Legislature regarding their views upon the subject of excise legislation. Responding to such requests Mayor Charles J. Fisk, of this city, who was chairman of the commission, and Peter Backes, of Trenton, a member and counsel, have prepared a letter, the substance of which has been sent to members of the present Legislature who have sought information from them.

Both Mayor Fisk and Mr. Backes inclined to the view expressed by Governor Fort in his message to the Legislature on Tuesday that prohibition is an unlikely condition in this State, but insist that a proper regulation of the liquor traffic is essential to the State's best interests. The latter in part says:

"At the outset, it is well to bear in mind that the policy of this State in relation to this traffic has always been one of regulation rather than prohibition. Thus we find as early as 1797, a statute regulating inns and taverns. This statute was revised in 1846 and is now, together with supplements and amendments, the fundamental law upon this subject.

"We next find that the Legislature, in 1872, enacted a law which regulates the sale of malt liquors, and then next in order we find the act which has become known as the Werts act, in 1888. This act was, in its day, a high license measure, and, for the first time this statute fixed a minimum license fee, based on population to be charged for a license. This act also included a local option feature which was declared unconstitutional.

"Next in order, we find the Legislature amending the Werts act in 1906, the amendment becoming known to fame as the Bishop's Law. This amendment fixed a higher minimum license fee, prohibited back rooms, provided for the exposure of the bar rooms, forbade the selling to minors, and, in case of revocation, prohibited the granting of a new license to the person or in the place for a period of one year.

"In addition to the foregoing acts, it became the practice of the Legislature to grant special charaters giving the municipailities the right to grant licenses for inns and taverns, and after the adoption of the constitutional prohibition, against such charters, the practice became common to incorporate such privileges in general municipal corporation acts. They all provided, however, that the licenses should be granted in accordance with the act regulating the granting of licenses to inns and taverns.

"And within recent years the Legislature has, by general statute, taken from the municipal governing body this right, and has placed it in local excise boards. Such boards were either elected, as in Elizabeth, Camden and Trenton, or were appointed by the mayor, as in Jersey City and Newark, or were appointed by the judge of the court of common pleas, which is the practice in third class cities. But the adoption of these acts was optional with the municipality, and we thus find that in Paterson and Atlantic City the licenses are still granted by the Common Council, and the foregoing statutes recognized the right of each municipality to regulate its own internal affairs, there being no limit to the number of licenses which could be granted, and, since the enactment of the Werts act, was only limited by the fixing of a minimum license fee.

"This power which was by the Legislature vested in the local board or governing body, became a subject of great abuse. Especially was this true in the larger cities, where licenses were gratned to favorite political workers, to agents and representatives of breweries, without limitation as to the number, and on the payment of the minimum license fee fixed by law, without giving any heed whatever to the existence of a demand or the necessity for a licensed place, or whether the same would be conducive to the public good or not.

"In recent years frequent attempts to obtain legislation to abolish the traffic in intoxicating liquors have been made, and it is urged that every community should have the right to determine for itself whether intox-

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## COMMITTEE MEETINGS OF COMMON COUNCIL

The Councilmanic license committee held a meeting last night as did the laws and ordinances committee as to matters pertaining to their departments, at the mayor's office, last night. Tomorrow night the police committee will hold a meeting at the mayor's office. The playgrounds' commission will meet at the same place on Saturday night.

On Friday afternoon Mayor Fisk will meet the heads of all municipal departments to receive their suggestions and to review as well as to forecast the work. These conferences will be held on each succeeding Friday afternoons during the year.

At an early date the fire committee will hold a meeting to consider the mayor's suggestions, as contained in his recent message, for the good of that department.

## MORNING SONG RECITAL FOR WHITE PLAGUE FUND

The morning song recital given at the home of Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., of Belvidere avenue, yesterday, for the benefit of the Plainfield Society for the Relief and Prevention of Tuberculosis, was a charming affair. The recital was given by Miss Christine Miller, contralto, who has been heard here on several occasions and more recently at the McIntyre Chamber Music concert on Monday night. Mr. McIntyre in addition to being the accompanist yesterday, also favored the audience with a group of piano selections.

The audience was so enthusiastic over the singing of Miss Miller and the playing of Mr. McIntyre that the artists were obliged to give several encores.

Perhaps, the most interesting part of Miss Miller's program was her singing of a group of true Indian songs, as well as a group of Gypsy, German and Scotch songs. It is seldom that one is accorded the ovation given by Miss Miller and the applause was frequent and enthusiastic.

Mr. McIntyre gave a group of Russian compositions and his interpretation, as well as execution, was perfect. For encores he gave several popular numbers. Mr. McIntyre gave his services for the recital, and a substantial sum will be realized as profit for the tuberculosis society and its commendable work here. After the recital Mrs. Wharton gave a luncheon to a limited number of friends.

## HEAVENLY REST'S MEN PROVIDE ENTERTAINMENT

The parish house of the Church of the Heavenly Rest was filled to its utmost capacity last night when the Men's Club entertained over two hundred of its friends, and when incidentally something over seventy-five dollars were added to the club's treasury. It was the largest gathering ever seen in the growing parish and it was most enthusiastic in its applause of the entertainers.

Harry Lundy was an added star in the firmament of artists and with his comic songs and local jokes kept the audience in roars of laughter Judge William N. Runyon, who is never at a loss for a song, helped out in the program and sang the "Old Maid" so well that he was rewarded with numerous encores.

Because of the absence of one of the members of the male quartet the numbers allotted to them were cancelled, but the entire entertainment was a success despite the handicap. The club has arranged for some interesting speakers for the balance of the season, among whom will be Mayor Charles J. Fisk.

### Juniors to Give Euchre Parties.

The members of Franklin and Somerset Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., have arranged to hold a series of progressive euchre parties. They will be continued until April 1. The first party will be held tonight under the auspices of Franklin Council. A week from tonight one will be held under the auspices of Somerset Council. The committee of arrangements comprise Louis Hall and Hary Nolte, of Franklin Council, and Joseph England and George Romond, of Somerset Council.

### Mrs. Randolph Dead.

Mrs. Catharine Randolph, died this afternoon shortly after 1 o'clock, from a complication of diseases. She is survived by a son, Howard, and a daughter, Mrs. W. B. R. Mason, of Bound. Brook. Notice of the funeral will be published tomorrow.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## MERE MAN OSTRACIZED

### But the Dunellen G. E. Club Failed to Feaze Walter Nelson's Appetite.

WHO PLAYED "HORRID" JOKE?

That is the Question Which is Puzzling the Minds of the Women Folk of New Market and Dunellen.

Such a thing as a man, married or single, or even a prospective benedict, entering within the portals of the G. E. Club of Dunellen and New Market, was up until last night considered as one of the big impossibilities of this life. Such a task was considered about as difficult as the old Biblical story relative to a camel being able to pass through the eye of the needle.

But—when the history of the G. E. Club is filed away into the archives of time, the name of Walter Nelson, of New Market, whose engagement to Miss Ruth Gardner, one of the leading spirits in the organization, was recently announced, will be inscribed as the first man to be admitted to a session of the club.

By what means Mr. Nelson received an invitation to attend the meeting of the club at the home of Miss Cora Dayton last night is not known, but he received the necessary document, and reported in time for the regular feast which is always a leading feature of the semi-monthly meet.

It is needless to state that there were gasps galore among the members when Mr. Nelson arrived. There were several excited "What will we do" conferences, but when a member imbued with twentieth century ideas, suggested that he be permitted to share the repast—in silence—the ancient ban on men, which had been in existence during the forty-seven years of existence of the club, was dispensed with.

When the dinner bell sounded eleven members took their seats and Mr. Nelson was given the seat of honor at the head of the table.

"Horrors upon horrors," murmured one of the members: "Is it really true that there is a man with us or am I in a trance?"

"Hush, Hush!" whispered another.

There was roast chicken and all the "fixins" including cranberry sauce, pumpkin and mince pie, in two-inch thick slices. Mr. Nelson started to throw bouquets at the young women for preparing such a charming and appetizing feast. The salt and pepper were passed. Mr. Nelson was proffered extra pieces of pie, but not a word was spoken by the G. E. members.

Some of the young women twittered now and then, but when it come to talking, they were mute. They left it to Mr. Nelson to do all the talking. "Quite a big joke," he mused after he finished his fourth piece of pie and helped himself to a toothpick, and prepared himself for his homeward trip. Mr. Nelson before departing thanked and wished all of the members good night, but "silence" was adhered to.

Those who sat around the "silent festive' board in addition to Mr. Nelson were Mrs. A. G. Nelson, Mrs. Ogden Meeker, Mrs. Herbert Benwood, Mrs. Alfred Osmun and the Misses Cora and Iva Dayton, Alice Pierce, Irene Day, Ruth Gardner, Rita Meeker and Violet Bodine

The significance of its name has always been a secret. "G. E," according to some of the wiseacres of the villages, stands for "get engaged," "great expectation," "girl's embroidery," or the "great eating" club. During the last ten years eight male candidates for membership have been blackballed.

When the club was originally organized old maids were only eligible for membership. This rule was observed for about thirty years, then the rules were modified. About ten years ago the club was re-organized, and at that time a rule was adopted making married and unmarried women eligible for membership.

### DECREE NISI GRANTED TO MRS. EUGENE MOORE.

Vice-Chancellor Garrison has advised a decree nisi to grant to Anna Moore, of West Seventh street, an absolute divorce from her husband, Eugene A. Moore, on statutory grounds. Mrs. Moore has been living with her father, Mr. Walter E. Stewart, for more than two years.

In the litigation Mrs. Moore was represented by Craig A. Marsh.

### Service for Mrs. Linbarger.

The funeral services of Mrs. Sarah R. Linbarger will be held at her late residence, 293 Somerset street, on Saturday afternoon at 1:30. The interment will be in the family plot at Bound Brook.

## GOLDEN WEDDING NIGHT

### Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hatfield Celebrate a Half Century of Happy Married Life.

RECIPIENTS OF MANY GIFTS.

More Than a Hundred Guests Gather to Offer Congratulations to Couple Well Known In This Section.

If Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hatfield ever had a more pleasant evening during the fifty years of their married life than they enjoyed last night, neither one of them can remember it. Surrounded by friends to the number of more than a hundred and congratulations pouring in from those who were unable to attend the celebration of the golden wedding, Mr. and Mrs. Hatfield were more than pleased with the tokens of friendship which were extended to them.

The Knights of Pythias, of which Mr. Hatfield is one of the oldest members, presented him with a handsome emblem of the order, made of gold and inlaid with embossed jewels. Many other beautiful gifts of gold were received by the couple. One especially notable present was a set of solid silver spoons inlaid with gold and several gold pieces of money.

During the evening refreshments were served by Warnock and music furnished by Judge William N. Runyon kept the guests in fine humor. The presentation of the emblem of the K. of P. was one of the most pleasing features. Lawyer Case handed the charm to Mr. Hatfield while delivering a speech full of feeling and the happy couple were in the midst of responding in kind when the other surprises were sprung on them.

Among the members of Mr. Hatfield's family present were Mrs. William Butcher, of Camden, and William Hatfield, of Philadelphia. Other guests from Newburgh, N. Y.; Weehawken, Somerville and this city, helped to make the evening a pleasant one. Mr. and Mrs. Hatfield said this morning that they would cherish the memory of the event until time for them is no more. They appreciate the thoughtfulness of the friends who remembered them and hope to live for many years longer in the harmony which has always characterized their lives. Neither one looked last night as though they had been through a half century of life, to say nothing of fifty years of married happiness. The congratulations were hearty and spontaneous and were appreciated by the happy couple.

## ARTHUR WHITE TALMAGE DEAD AT PRESCOTT, ARIZ.

Arthur White Talmadge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Talmadge, of Belvidere avenue, died at Prescott, Arizona, on Monday, of lung trouble. He had been afflicted with the disease for sometime and last June went to Prescott in the hopes that the change would prove beneficial. This was only temporary and the best of medical skill was unavailing.

Mr. Talmadge was well known here, where he had a host of friends. Besides his parents, he is survived by a brother, Frank Talmadge and two sisters, Miss Talmadge and Mrs. Daniel Runkle, of this city. The funeral arrangements have not been announced as yet by the family.

## CITIZENS TO ACCEPT MR. PARKER'S OFFER

In order to have a proper understanding and make arrangements for the gift made by A. McClean Parker to the city of a playground for the use of the High School, Y. M. C. A. and Sunday School Athletic Association, there will be a meeting in the office of Mayor Charles J. Fisk Saturday night at 8 o'clock.

The following men will be present at Mayor Fisk's invitation to discuss the subject: George P. Mellick J. W. Gavett, Lindsay Best, J. E. Kimball, W. D. Murray, Charles W. McCutchen, representing the Sunday School Athletic League; President R. I. Tolles and F. E. Mygatt, of the Common Council and Judge William N. Runyon. To these must be added the name of Mayor Fisk, who will assist at the deliberations. There is no doubt whatever that the playground will be one of the finest in the country and its proper supervision will be of paramount importance to the city.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## MAYOR EXPLAINS PLAN

### Mr. Fisk Does Not Consider Boston Theory Similar to His Idea.

STANDS BY RECOMMENDATIONS.

Civil Service for Subordinates Would Prevent Mayor Building A Political Machine.

When Mayor Charles J. Fisks's attention was called today to the result of the election in Boston, where the new charter's provision are on somewhat similar lines to the recommendations made by the local executive in his message to the city fathers, he declined to discuss the Boston situation. He made plain his own theory of municipal government and went further in his proposition than what he said in his message.

"I don't know anything about Boston politics and it would be foolish for me to discuss the result of that election," said Mr. Fisk. "I presume, however, that the majority of the people in that city wanted Mr. Fitzgerald for mayor or else they would not have elected him. Basing my premises on an editorial in the Newark News I cannot see that my statement in my message is similar to the Boston charter provisions. I can readily see that a mayor could build up a powerful machine if he had all the patronage at his disposal. But you will not say that I specifically declare myself in favor of civil service for all subordinate employees of the city save heads of departments. I cannot see how a mayor could form a machine when the employees are protected by civil service.

"What I do say," continued Mr. Fisk' "is that if a mayor—put a big 'If' there—is to be held responsible by the people for the municipal government, then I say that he should have the right to select his own heads of departments. If these heads of departments are not performing their duties as they should then the mayor should have power to remove them. I go further. I say that the mayor himself should be subject to removal if he is a rascal. This power might be vested in the Governor, the courts or other high authority, but neither the mayor nor his heads of departments should be removed until after they are given a hearing.

"My recommendations are similar to those in the Galveston charter. In Chicago the mayor appoints his own heads of departments and therefore should have a responsible administration. It is my belief that if the mayor is to be held responsible then the province of the Common Council is to make up a budget for the various departments and to pass such ordinances as they deem proper. Then it is up to the mayor to see that the money is spent as intended. If a head of a department fails to do this, then I say the mayor should remove him and place a man in charge who will carry out the purpose of the Common Council."

## ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR MERCHANTS' FEAST

The committee in charge of the annual banquet to be given Thursday night, January 20, by the Plainfield Merchants' Association at Truell Hall, has completed all arrangements for the affair. While last year's banquet was conceded to be one of the best ever given here, the committee promises to excell it this year. The dinner will be served promptly at 7 o'clock.

Thus far about 250 tickets have been sold and those desiring tickets should secure them before Monday.

William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, has been secured as the toastmaster for the occasion, and the speakers will be Job. E. Hedges and John N. Beach, of New York.

Those who have been assigned seats at the speakers' table include Mayor Charles Joel Fisk, of this city; Mayor Newton B. Smalley, of North Plainfield; Father B. M. Bogan, pastor of St. Mary's church; Rev. Geo. A. Warner, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross; James E. Martine, Alexander Gilbert and A. E. Force, the last named being president of the Plainfield Merchants' Association.

The committee has made arrangements with the Public Service Corporation for special trolley accommodations on the Netherwood line and the company assures the association that a sufficient number of cars will be operated to take the guests to and from Truell Hall.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

## LUNCHEON IN HONOR OF A BRIDE-ELECT

Miss Ethel Millar, of Madison avenue, gave a luncheon yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Marguerite Ostrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Ostrom, whose marriage to Raymond Smith, of Madison avenue, will occur on Wednesday, January 19. The guests included the members of her class at the Plainfield Seminary: Miss Millar, Miss Marguerite Carpenter, Miss Marion Brown, Miss Susanne Wharton, Miss Marguerite Ostrom and Miss Isabel Taylor.

The decorations comprised sweet peas and bride roses and the arrangements was most attractive. There were also attractive favors for the guests. Miss Ostrom was showered with congratulations and altogether the affair was a delightful one.

## TEMPLE BAPTISTS HOLD THEIR ANNUAL MEETING

The election of two trustees and reception of reports from all the societies made the annual business meeting of Temple Baptist church, last night, an interesting one. Rev. J. W. Musson, the pastor, presided and the organizations reporting included the Christian Endeavor Society, King's Daughters, Junior Christian Endeavor Society, Ladies' Aid Society, Sunday-school, financial secretary, treasurer, trustees, deacons, clerk and pastor.

Ira L. LaRue and George Viebrock who were previously elected trustees for one year, were re-elected for a term of three years.

The church, which is now one year old, started with a membership of 106 and during the past year thirteen new members were received, making the present enrollment 119.

On December 30, 1908, there was a balance of $168.87 and the total receipts last year from all sources were $2,307.60, which together with the balance made a total of $24,076.53. The expenditures for the past year amounted to $22,036.05, leaving a balance on December 31, 1909, of $440.48. The trustees presented their annual budget of expenses for the coming year, which is the same as last year.

Charles W. McCutchen, who was formerly president of the board of trustees, sent a letter of congratulations to the church upon what had been accomplished during the past year. L. W. Randolph is now president of the board of trustees. The church has paid all indebtedness and starts the year with a balance in the treasury.

## MISS KING INTRODUCED AT RECEPTION AND TEA

Mrs. Charles W. King, of 911 Watchung avenue, gave a reception at her home yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, the occasion being the debut of her daughter, Miss Lillian King. The affair was largely attended by residents of this city and vicinity, including many of the younger society set. The debutante was showered with beautiful floral gifts, as an evidence of her popularity.

Among those who received with Mrs. King and her daughter were Mrs. DeWitt C. Ivins, Mrs. Frank S. Martin, Mrs. Charles E. Brooks and Mrs. Henry E. Bowen.

Those who assisted in the dining-room were Mrs. Gerald Carle, Mrs. Walter L. C. Glenney, Mrs. John Swan, Miss Ella Martine, Miss Malcolm MacKenzie and Miss Elsie Martin.

These young women also aided in the reception: Miss Hope Ivins, Miss Louise Booth, Miss Caroline Martin, Miss Marguerite Carpenter, Miss Ruth Waldo, Miss Anne Waldo, Miss Edith Mellick and Miss Elizabeth Tweedy.

The prevailing color of the decorations in the dining-room was pink, and these together with the numerous floral gifts received by Miss King, made an attractive sight which was greatly admired by the guests.

### Fourth Addition to Factory.

Building Inspector Doane today issued a permit to the Spicer Universal Joint Company to erect another addition to its factory. The new structure will be erected on Madison avenue, and will be the fourth addition to the factory since the company started in business about three years ago.

—Reserve your seats for the McIntyre concert of Old Favorite Songs, January 27. Tickets at Armstrong's; $1.00. *** 1 13 3

## GASOLENE CAUSED FIRE

### Sets Woman's Clothing Afire and Results in Serious Injuries.

MRS. V. CHICKERING BURNED.

First Aid Rendered By Chief T. O. Doane—Suffering Intensely From Burns.

Mrs. Virginia Chickering, a sister of Mrs. Charles P. Leggett, of 822 Madison avenue, was painfully burned about her face, hands and arms, and head by gasolene flames, at the latter's home this morning about 9 o'clock.

The fire was of an unusual origin. Mrs. Chickering was engaged in cleaning some articles of clothing with gasolene in the bathroom of the house. Friction caused by the constant rubbing of the gasolene on the clothing caused a spark to ignite the gasolene saturated clothing.

Without any warning there was a puff of smoke and flames shot upward, inflicting burns on Mrs. Chickering's body. When she realized her danger she shouted for help, and Mrs. Leggett hastened to her assistance. The latter by smothering the flames with a small rug saved her sister from death.

The flames from the burning clothing set fire to several rugs and curtains in the bath room and the wainscotting of the room also caught fire. Fire headquarters was notified by telephone, and five minutes later an alarm from box 78 was sent in which brought all of the downtown companies to the house. They had little to do, however, as the contents of a tank of chemicals extinguished the flames.

Fire Chief Doane assisted the family in rendering aid to Mrs. Chickering until the arrival of Dr. P. J. Zeglio. The injured woman suffered intensely from pain, and unless unfavorable complications set in, she will recover.

## TRIBUTE OF RESPECT PAID TO HER MEMORY

Resolutions of respect on the death of Mrs. A. L. Force were passed by the Marconnier chapel congregation at a meeting when several members spoke feelingly of her life and character. The resolution follows:

Whereas, We have received the sad intelligence of the decease of Mrs. Clarissa M. B. Force, whose beautiful life and character have brought its heavenly reward, and the remembrance of which will ever be a helpful influence to those who knew and loved her and to all who came within the reach of her Christian ministrations, be it

Resolved, That we hereby extend our deepest sympathy to her husband, Mr. A. L. Force, our beloved friend and Elder, praying that God may support him in this severe trial with His sufficient grace.

The Ladies Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, of which Mrs. Force was for several terms president, has also taken action on her death. These resolutions have been received by the family:

Resolved, That we herewith bear tribute to the Christian character, her unflagging zeal and faithfulness in any work to which she was assigned; her great faith in the ability of the society to accomplish any work given it to do, and her genial manner that inspired enthusiasm in her coworkers.

Resolved, That while we, as members of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church, bow in submission to the Divine will, we with tender hearts extend to the bereaved husband and daughter, our sincere sympathy for them in their loss of a devoted wife and mother.

Resolved, That these resolutions be placed upon the minutes of our society, and that a copy be sent to the bereaved family and sent to the Christian Intelligencer.

### MRS. CORNELIA CLAYTON PASSES AWAY AT TRENTON.

Mrs. Cornelia S. Clayton, wife of Robert Clayton, and a sister of Miss M. H. Hoagland, of Manning avenue, died at her home in Trenton on Tuesday, aged forty-four years. She was only ill a few days. Mr. Clayton was engaged in the milk business and amassed a considerable fortune. Mrs. Clayton was well-known here, where she had many friends.

Surviving are five children, all grown up; three daughters and two sons. One daughter is married. The funeral services will be held from the late home in Trenton, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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All Hats that sold up to $5.50, sale price ..... $3.98

### SALE OF LAWN WAISTS

$1.00 WAISTS FOR ..... 49c

$1.25 WAISTS FOR ..... 75c

### HOUSEFURNISHINGS

15c DUST PANS, heavy Japanned, sale price ..... .09

59c WASTE PAPER BASKETS, assorted sizes & styles, sale price ..... .33

$1.19 MRS. POTTS' SAD IRONS, nickel and japanned, sale price ..... .79

40c PRESERVING KETTLES, 10 quart size, sale price ..... .27

$1.50 ALARM MISSION CLOCKS, ornamental and useful, sale price. .98

### RIBBONS AND NECKWEAR

20c AND 25c RIBBONS, in a broken line of various widths, plain and fancy, sale price ..... .15

25c LADIES' EMBROIDERED LAUNDERED TURN OVER COLLARS, all sizes, sale price ..... .15

25c RUCHING, colors, white and black, sale price ..... .15

15c TO 25c LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS will be put together in one lot for this sale, your choice ..... .10

### LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

18c EMBROIDERIES on lawn, cambric and nainsook, with insertions to match, sale price ..... .10

10c LACES, cotton and linen torchon, 1½ to 3 inches wide, sale price ..... .03½

### ART GOODS AND GLOVES

50c PILLOW TOPS, Plainfield High School, Harvard and Columbia; sale price ..... .35

$1.00 LADIES' KID GLOVES, in a broken assortment of colors and designs, sale price ..... .50

$1.19 MYERS' LADIES' CREPE GLOVES, in all sizes, sale price ..... .98

25c CHILDREN'S GLOVES, knit wool, all colors, plain and fancy, sale price ..... .19

### WHITE GOODS

$1.19 PIECE OF LONG CLOTH, 36 inches wide, 12 yard piece, sale price ..... .89

12½c INDIA LINON, 40 inch, fine and sheer, sale price ..... .10

## Fourth Annual January Clearance Sale

Following our usual custom we inaugurate this yearly sale to close out all surplus stocks of Fall and Winter goods. Our policy is not to carry over from one season to another, any class of merchandise but the most staple lines. In order to make this the most successful sale ever held by us, the cost is not considered. It will be a clearance sale in which every department in the store is represented. Come and participate in this GREAT BARGAIN SALE—it occurs but once a year.

## Sale Ladies' Suits and Coats

Every Suit and Coat must be closed out at Bargain Prices. It is positively the most important sale ever held in this city at a saving of from $5.00 to $15.00 a Suit.

$20.00 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now ..... $12.00

$25.00 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now ..... $15.98

$30.00 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now ..... $19.98

$35.00 LADIES' TAILORED SUITS now ..... $24.00

## Ladies' Tailored Coats

$10.00 COATS reduced to ..... $6.98

$12.50 and $15.00 COATS reduced to ..... $9.00

$15.00 and $16.50 COATS reduced to ..... $12.00

$25.00 and $30.00 COATS reduced to ..... $19.00

JACKETS, DRESSES, CAPES, ETC., also reduced to effect a quick Clearance.

## Silks & Dress Goods ½ Price

On our aisle Bargain Tables we will display about $3,000 worth of SILKS and DRESS GOODS at prices that will startle you. Every piece new and desirable in weave and color. The lot includes Broadclothes, Serges, Cashmeres, Cheviots, Panamas, Poplin, Plaids, Checks and Stripes. Silks include plain colors and fancy weaves. Range of regular prices from 50c to $2.00. All will go at HALF PRICE.

### SATURDAY

## 10c Specials in Our Music Dept.

Carry, Marry, Harry — Cubanola Glide
I Didn't Mean to Make You Cry — Garden of Dreams
Molly Lee
Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet
Garden of Roses — Dear, Old, Dear
There's a Big Cry Baby in the Moon
Liza — Yip-i-ad-dy-i-ay
If I Had the World to Give You
Next to Your Mother, Who Do You Love?
I Wish I Had My Old Girl Back Again
Mop Rag — Black and White Rag
Moon Birds — Moonbeams On the Lake
Third Degree Waltzes

The entire DE LUXE EDITION we will sell at 4c per copy, 7 for ..... .25

### WASH GOODS

9c EVERETT CLASSICS GINGHAMS, all the best styles, sale price ..... .06½

10c OUTING FLANNEL, in light & dark stripes and checks, sale price .07

50c FINE GAUZE, two style stripes, and one style check, twelve shades, sale price ..... .25

### DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

22c BEST GRADE TABLE OIL CLOTH, in light, dark and plain white, sale price ..... .15

10c BLEACHED TOWELING, with red and blue borders, good grade, sale price ..... .07

7c HUCK TOWELS, red border, good quality, medium size, sale price ..... .04

10c CREAM SHAKER FLANNEL, good close weave, sale price ..... .07

12½c BLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS, good size, hemstitched, sale price ..... .08

$1.00 ALL LINEN TABLE DAMASK, neat designs, 72 inch; sale price ..... .79

$2.98 NAPKINS, to match the above, 22x22 in. size, sale price. $2.25

20c PILLOW CASES, size 45x36, made of the Rival brand cotton, sale price ..... .15

### RUGS AND DRAPERIES

$39 ROYAL WILTON, 9x12, perfect rugs, Oriental designs; tans, green and blue; ten only at this price ..... $28.98

$25 AXMINSTER RUGS, 9x12, perfect, Oriental designs; only six at this price ..... $18.98

$35 ROYAL WILTON RUGS, 8x10, tans and greens, Oriental designs; only five at this price ..... $27.49

$3.98 RUGS, Axminster and Smyrnas, size 36x72, Oriental designs, only twelve at this price ..... $2.98

12½c SILKALINES, in a variety of figures, light and dark colors, sale price ..... .09

### NOTION SALE

15c BOX OF FINE TALCUM POWDER, sale price ..... .05

25c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes assorted odors, sale price ..... .15

25c POUND WRITING PAPER, fine cloth finish, envelopes to match, 7c; sale price ..... .15

25c LADIES' ELASTIC BELTS, metal buckles, assorted sizes and colors, sale price ..... .10

25c, 39c AND 50c HAIR ROLLS, 24 in., all colors, for ..... .19

25c TO 50c FANCY BRAIDS, assorted kinds, HALF PRICE.

### MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

$1.25 MEN'S PAJAMAS, small, medium and large, assorted styles, sale price ..... .79

10c MEN'S WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, also fancy, sale price ..... .05

$1 GENTS' AND YOUTHS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, plain and pleated, sale price ..... .75

69c BOYS' OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS, 12, 13 and 14, sale price ..... .49



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By paying a Small Deposit will secure any piano in this sale. Call at once—don't delay. Stock must be disposed of. Come while they last and save $100 to $200. Remember every piano is guaranteed as represented or money refunded. Call be convinced, see for yourself. Stool, Scarf or Rubber Cover and Free Delivery everywhere. Easiest possible terms. If you want bargains this is your great chance. Sale positive.

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## HERE AND THERE.

Chicken train jumpers and ride stealers are exceedingly rare on the Jersey Central. Whether such practices are considered too hazardous by the members of this tribe is not definitely known, but the doings of a speckled hen, that stole a ride from Clinton avenue to Grant avenue the morning, on the New York express that leaves this city at 7:30 a. m. made conductor "Charley" Dodwell and his crew sit up and take notice.

As the train stopped at Clinton avenue to take on passengers, the hen, which is of six-pound proportions, displayed a spirit of bravado by hopping on the rear platform of the last car. The car started, and although the hen had ample opportunity to alight, she decided to stick to the train and have a free ride.

When the Grant avenue depot was reached the hen exuded a loud cackle, leaped off the steps, and excitedly made its way through a crowd of commuters, and disappeared in an open lot.

### THIS ORGANIZATION IS THE "BUZZARDS' CLUB."

The Independent Social Club held a spirited meeting Tuesday night in its room in the Babcock building. The meeting was called especially for the purpose of adopting a new name for the organization, the committee appointed to prepare a list reported having listed fifty different titles. After a discussion of an hour the name of "Buzzards' Club" was chosen, and hereafter the club room will be known as "Buzzards' Roost."

Various other matters were discussed, including the advisability of securing larger and more commodious headquarters as the membership is increasing rapidly. The treasurer's report showed a neat balance and in consequence in the near future the club members intend to furnish the "Buzzards' Roost" with furniture of the latest design.

### A GOSPEL PREACHER.

Rev. William R. Richards, D.D., pastor of the Brick Presbyterian church of New York, who died suddenly last week, devoted the latter part of his ministerial life to New Jersey. For sixteen years he was pastor in Plainfield, leaving the church there in response to a call to the larger field in New York.

It is interesting to know that when Dr. Richards was examined before the Presbytery of Elizabeth, there were those who felt impelled to question his orthodoxy and who rather reluctantly voted to license him to preach. All these good, strict old ministers and elders have passed away, but they lived long enough to love Dr. Richards for his scholarship, for his Christian zeal and his plain but strong preaching. He constantly refused to stoop to sensational topics or sensational methods. He was a noble example of the kind of preacher the people need. He had no difficulty in drawing large congregations to all his services, he never lacked funds for carrying on church work. He preached the Gospel only, as applied to the needs of human nature.—Newark News.

### A REVOLUTIONARY HERO.

The real origin of the greatest fake hero story every told has come to light in a scrapbook owned by an old resident of Washington.

A group of Revolutionary heroes were standing before an old bar in Washington, and from the lips of each there fell wondrous stories of what he had done in the shock of battle or the frenzy of the charge. Finally one old fellow with a long white wiskers remarked:

"I was personally acquainted with George Washington.

"I was lying behind the breastworks one day pumping lead into the Britishers when I heard the patter of a horse's hoofs behind me. Then came a voice:

"'Hi, there! You with the deadly aim! Look here a moment!'

"I looked around and sighted, recognizing General Washington, and he said:

"'What's your name?'

"'Hogan,' I said.

"'Your first name?'

"'Pat, sir—Pat Hogan.'

"'Well, Pat,' he said, 'go home. You're killing too many men.'

"'I think I'd better get a few more, general,' I said, kind of apologetic.

"'No,' he said, 'you've killed too many. It's slaughter. And, Pat, don't call me general. Call me George.'"—Washington Star.

### HOME CURE FOR ECZEMA.

Does it not seem strange that so many people suffer year in and year out with eczema?

A 25-cent bottle of a simple wash stops the itch and will surely convince any patient.

This wash is composed of mild and soothing oil of wintergreen mixed with thymol and glycerine, etc., and known as D. D. D. Prescription. We do not know how long the D. D. D. Labortories will continue the 25c offer, as the remedy is regularly sold only in $1.00 bottles and has never before been put on the market on any special offers.

If you want relief tonight try a bottle at 25c on our personal recommendation.

L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

## AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### SOMERVILLE.

Miss Verda Opie entertained the Monday Evening Club at her home in Mountain avenue. Miss Maud Macalfee read an essay on "Navigation in the Air; Its Practical Value," Miss R. Anna Miller gave a reading; the rest of the evening was spent in discussion and a general social hour.

Mrs. Charles Hopkins, of West Cliff street, is visiting her parents in Pennsylvania. Monday, Mrs. Hopkins helped her parents celebrate their golden wedding.

Miss Helen Porter, of Newark, who has been spending several days with her aunts, the Misses Porter, on West Cliff street, returned to her home Tuesday.

Mrs. William Stryker, of Summit street, is visiting her sister in Millstone.

Mrs. Dewey, of West High street, is visiting relatives in Toronto, Can.

### RARITAN.

Cornelius Tobin, night watchman in the Somerset Manufacturing Mill, is suffering from shock and a number of bruises received from a fall on the ice.

John McWilliams, of Doughty street, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Thomas Mulligan, in Waterbury, Conn.

Mrs. William Durling, of Manasquan, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Durling, in Raritan.

Miss Elizabeth Carey, of Dover, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Asa R. Dilts.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The hockey game between the local club and the P. H. S. freshmen team has been cancelled. The locals will play the P. H. S. first team here this afternoon instead.

Frank Vaness, of Tottenville, a former resident of South Plainfield, is spending a few days with friends here.

Harry Soffield has resumed work on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, after a short vacation.

Mrs. Mendle, of Maple avenue, visited Plainfield friends Tuesday.

Miss Grace Norman visited friends in Plainfield Tuesday.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Dunellen National Bank elected the following directors: Alvah A. Gray, Dr. P. W. Brakeley, W. L. McGauley, A. J. Hamley, Paul Reusch, H. L. Pierce, B. K. Burke, G. W. Harris, John P. Fenner, Joseph Kuldoshes, L. L. Block, L. D. Walker, Edward T. Wilson.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Baptist church, held a business session last night at the conclusion of the prayer meeting, which was led by Pastor Gardner.

Frank Fletcher and Miss Ethel Garretson visited Miss Louise Sanders, a former resident of the borough, at Newark, on Tuesday.

Rev. William Giddes will preach in the First Baptist church next Sunday night.

The Middlesex County Grange will install officers in Frinedship Hall tonight.

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Isadore De Castro, a former resident here, but now of Havana, Cuba, where he holds a position in the secret service department, has been visiting friends in town.

Installation of officers will be held by Fireside Council, R. A., of Westfield, tonight. All local members are requested to attend the meeting.

Rev. Mr. Hollingsworth, of the Methodist church, is arranging to hold special services every night during the first week in February.

The weekly prayer and praise meeting held in the parlors of the Baptist church last night was led by Deacon David Hand.

Miss Elizabeth Gallagher, who has been visiting Mrs. W. H. Lee, of Front street, has returned to her home at Metuchen.

The next dance of the Bachelors' Club will be held in the hall Tuesday night, February 1.

Miss Isabella Hyams, of Front street, is visiting relatives in New York for a week.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., meet tonight in the Library rooms.

### Y. M. C. A. Orchestra at Elizabeth.

The Plainfield Y. M. C. A. orchestra, under the leadership of Martin A. Korff, gave a concert at the Elizabeth Y. M. C. A. building, last night. Mr. Korff has been organizing an orchestra in the Elizabeth association and has met with considerable success. As an incentive, he arranged to take his local orchestra to the county seat and give a concert.

Miss Elizabeth McGee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. McGee, of Rockview avenue, has returned to Ingleside Boarding School, New Milford, Conn., after spending the holiday vacation at her home.


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Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale .....95c

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Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at.....29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale.....39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price.....$3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price...$6.98

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Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at.....$7.85

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**Men's All Wool Sweater Coats**—the well known Blauvelt make, Shaker knit with pockets; Oxford gray only; sizes 36 to 42; regular price $3 to $3.75, to be closed at.....$1.49

**Men's Sweater Coats**—pure wool, Shaker knit; gray color with pockets; sizes 36 to 42; Blauvelt make; regular price $4.00 to $4.25; special..$1.98

**Men's Sweater Coats**—pure worsted; Shaker knit; Oxford and silver gray; sizes 36, 38 and 40; regular $5.25, at .....$2.49

**Men's Sweater Coats**—ribbed worsted; Oxford and silver gray; sizes 36 to 42; regular $3.50 and $3.75; at .....$1.49

**Men's Pure Worsted Shaker Knit Sweater Coats**—pearl gray and light mixed; sizes 34 to 42; $4.00 kind for .....$1.75

**Boys' Worsted Sweater Coats**—ribbed, in gray, gray with navy trimmed; sizes 28 to 34; $1.50 kind for .....98c

**Men's and Women's Sweater Vests** with pockets; French knit; plain white, plain gray, white or navy trimmed, white with white trimmed, gray with maroon trimmed; Blauvelt make; sizes 36 to 42; regular price $4 and $4.50; to go at..$1.75

**Boys' Worsted Sweater Coats**; Shaker knit, plain gray, gray with navy trimmed; sizes 30 to 34; $1.50 kinds for.....$1.25

**Women's French Knit Sweater Coats** of finest worsted; plain white, white with gray trimmed; white with royal blue trimmed; sizes 34 to 42; Blauvelt make; regular $5.25; to go at.....$2.98

**Boys' Lambs' Wool Sweaters** with pockets; plain white and gray, white with Oxford trimmed; gray with navy trimmed; sizes 24 to 32; $3 kinds for .....$1.49

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### Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 13 to 15

**NEEDLES.**

Needles—Machine Needles for all makes of sewing machines, 2 in a paper .....2c

Pant Bands—Boys' Pant Bands, well made button holes, all sizes, each .....3½c

Corset Steels—Extra fine quality Sateen and Batiste covered Corset Steels, 5 and 6 hook, white, at .....7c

Corset Laces—Special quality five-yard-long Linen Corset Laces, each .....3½c

**PINS.**

Dressing Pins—English make, Queen Brand Dressing Pins, full count 360 on a paper, assorted sizes; regular price 8c, special.6c

Dressing Pins—Sandow brand of Sheet Pin, containing 400 pins .....1½c

Dressing Pins—Good quality American Dressing Pins, assorted size paper, each .....3½c

Safety Pins—The well-known brand of Treasure Nickel Safety Pins, 1 dozen on card, dozen..2c

Hair Pins—Kirby Beard good quality Japanned Hair Pins in all sizes, straight and waved..1½c

Hair Pins—Cabinet Hair Pins, containing assorted styles and sizes of heavy and invisible hair pins .....3½c

Hair Pins—Large size Hair Pin Cabinets, containing 250 assorted styles of heavy and invisible hair pins .....7c

Horn Hair Pins—Large and small size Horn Hair Pins in shell colors, 6 and 12 pins on a card, a card .....10c

Belt Pins—Assorted styles Belt Pins, with white and black heads, a paper, at .....3c

Cube Pins—Large and small sizes; good quality .....3½c

**CUSHIONS.**

Pin Cushions—Special lot of Merino covered Pin Cushions, each .....7c

Pin Cushions—A special lot of Tomato styles Pin Cushions, at .....3½c

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Skirt Form—Full Dress Form, Jersey Bust Wire Skirt; very strongly made and good quality Jersey cloth covering; sizes 32 to 40 inch bust measure; regular $2.00, special .....$1.59

Bust Forms—Good quality Jersey cloth covered Bust Forms, sizes 32 to 40 inch, at .....35c

Skirt Markers—Ladies' Skirt Markers or gauges, nickel, very handy for home use, each...39c

**TAPES.**

Bunch Tape — Non-twisting Tape, assorted widths in a bunch .....3c

Tape—White Cotton Roll Tape, 24-yard pieces, one-half inch wide, white and black, piece .....6c

Tape—Extra quality non-twisting Bunch Tape, containing 12 pieces assorted widths, bunch.7c

Tape Measures—Good quality double stitched Tape Measures, 60 inches long, each .....7c

Cotton Tape—White Cotton, ½ inch wide, 3 yards to piece, at, dozen .....10c

**MACHINE OIL.**

Machine Oil—Good quality Sperm Sewing Machine Oil, 4 oz. bottles, at .....7c

Machine Oil—Good quality Sperm Sewing Machine Oil, 2 oz. bottles, at .....3½c

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Shoe Laces—Special lot good quality black tubular laces; 4-4 and 5-4 only; one dozen to the bunch; regularly 10c a dozen, at .....5c

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# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## GOLF.

Although the Baltusrol Golf Club is not in line for any championship for next season, the officials of this well known New Jersey organization have already decided upon an active campaign. One move under consideration is to hold an open tournament for women, the idea being to have the contest attract the best players in the East. No decision has as yet been reached with regard to the date, but it is not unlikely that a week in the spring will meet with the most favor.

Apropos of this, it is worthy of remembering that the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association may decide to change the time for holding its annual championship tournament from spring to fall, and should this be done the Baltusrol open meet, probably in May, would prove all the more welcome. The women enjoy indulging in the competitive side of the game in the spring, but an early date has always had its disadvantages as to weather.

No matter what tournament will be held over its course, the Baltusrol Golf Club will be in better condition than ever to accommodate visitors. The new clubhouse is one of the most attractive of its kind to be found anywhere in this part of the country, while the course, under skilful treatment, continues to improve. The wide hazard guarding the home green was still further altered during the fall, as from its depths tons of sand were taken. So as not to have the hazard too penalizing, part of the excavation has been refilled. There is a spring close at hand, and this has suggested a partial water hazard as well.

That the professional golfers of this country and Great Britain will ere long measure strength and skill in actual conflict is now a settled fact. It was learned recently that H. H. Barker, secretary of the Eastern Professional Golfers' Association, had received assurances from the other side which makes it certain that the American representatives will be accommodated with not only one but several matches.

At a meeting of the Eastern Professional Golfers' Association held a few weeks ago in New York city, it was decided to issue a challenge to the foreign golfers for a team match, and Barker was instructed to communicate with the "pros" in Great Britain on behalf of the Eastern body. At the same time Alec Smith, the Eastern and metropolitan open champion, was chosen captain.

There is no desire on the part of the visiting "pros" to array themselves against the combined strength of Great Britain in any one test, but rather take on the different professional associations one at a time, an arrangement which would be more equitable, considering that the invading team will consist only of certain members of the Eastern Professional Golfers' Association who happen to be abroad this winter. Smith and Dave Hunter, treasurer of the Eastern body, have booked passage from this port on Saturday.

Besides the pair mentioned, others expected to make the American team are Gilbert Nichols, Isaac Mackie, Barker and Peter Robertson. Nearly all of these "pros" finished well up in the national open championship tournament over the Englewood links in June. Although Hunter missed the prize list on that occasion, the Essex county man had the distinction of establishing a new record for the links of 68, figures that still remain unbeaten.

**Fighting Their Dismissals.**

Rahway, January 13.—Former Street Commissioner B. W. Hughes and other Democratic officials who came under the civil service rules, they claim, in the matter of appointments or dismissals at the outgoing of the old and the incoming of the new council, are preparing to fight for what they call their rights. Mr. Hughes says that the Civil Service Commission will meet at Rahway this week, probably on Wednesday, and then there'll be "something doing." He is confident of winning. Meantime his competitor, William Armstrong, is sharpening up his tools and getting ready for business. The overseer of the poor, Frank Prince, is putting up a strong fight to retain his place, while Judge A. B. Cook and City Clerk Charles Lambert are on the anxious seat or listening for the ground echoes.

**$1,200 Fire at Cranford.**

Fire broke out at 6 o'clock last Tuesday in the section known as Prospect Park, in the suburbs of Cranford, and partially destroyed a residence owned by Peter Buffo, an Italian. About $1,200 damage was caused by the blaze. The Cranford fire department was called out, but could not give any assistance as the building was beyond the limits of the fire hydrants. The property was partially insured.

Mr. Emerson B. Parvin, the secretary of the American Mercantile Marine Association, will give a lecutre on next Tuesday morning on "The Building of a Ship." The lecture will be illustrated.

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## Jan. 13 in American History.

1493—First battle between white men and American Indians; incident of Columbus' settlement in Hispaniola.

1690—George Fox, founder of the sect commonly called Quakers, died; born 1624.

1908—Rhoads Opera House disaster at Boyerstown, Pa.; 173 deaths caused by fire and panic.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:51, rises 7:19; moon sets 7:16 p. m.; Mercury visible; 10:14 p. m., moon in conjunction with Venus, passing from west to east of the planet 7¾ degrees south thereof; seen on nearly the same meridian early this evening.

Plainfield, N. J., January 13, 1910.

# THIS PEANUT THIEF GETS TERM IN PRISON

James Green, colored, who was convicted last Friday after a trial without a jury of stealing a peanut-vending machine from the Central Railroad station in Elizabeth, was sentenced yesterday by Judge Atwater in the Court of Special Sessions to eighteen months in State prison at hard labor.

Assistant Prosecutor Walter Hetfield, Jr., requested the judge to impose a heavy sentence on the prisoner. He informed the court that Green was arrested and sent to jail for sixty days about a year ago for breaking into and looting a telephone booth in the Rahway station of the Pennsylvania railroad. Mr. Hetfield also said that Green was arrested in Kenilworth on a petty charge several months ago and escaped from an officer while on the way to the county jail. He was not apprehended again until arrested by Detective Rabig, of the Central Railroad, two weeks ago for stealing the peanut machine.

Green was tried before Judge Atwater on an allegation and found guilty by the judge.

One of the saddest cases to come before the county authorities in some time was that of John Quinn, a fifteen-year-old boy, who was arraigned in the County Juvenile Court before Judge Atwater. Julia Gibson, the boy's mother, surrendered him to the court. She said that he is incorrigible, and despite his youth, has been intoxicated several times. He stays away from home at night and steals from his mother. The boy had pleaded not guilty, but waived trial by jury. He was on the stand yesterday and said that his mother was kind to him. He has been in the care of the probation officer for two and one-half years. Quinn admitted that he had been drinking lately.

Quinn has been arrested four times, and his case was brought before the court by the probation officer. He went to the probation night school, having been suspended from St. Mary's School.

The Rev. William B. Hamilton, assistant probation officer, was on the stand and testified to several facts regarding the boy's case. The judge placed the boy in the care of the probation officers, authorizing them to do what they desired with him.

Louis Westphalen, charged with breaking, entering and stealing, was arraigned, and sentence in his case was suspended.

The P. H. S. basketball team will play the Morristown High School on Saturday at Morristown.


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115 East Front Street.

# January Sale of Muslin Underwear

It is the part of wisdom to buy now, not only because this sale is a money-saving occasion, but because of the scant cotton crop and exceptionally great advances in all cotton goods; values like these will be impossible later on.

NIGHT DRESSES.....59c, 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75
COMBINATION SUITS—Corset Cover and Drawers, and Corset Cover and Skirts.....59c, 79c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.59
FULL SIZE SKIRTS.....98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50
SHORT SKIRTS.....29c, 65c, 75c, $1.00
CORSET COVERS.....25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25
MUSLIN DRAWERS.....25c, 50c, 65c, 89c, 98c
CHEMISE.....69c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50

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## Pillow Cases and Sheets

42x36 & 45x45 Pillow Cases with 2½ inch hem, made of good quality, soft finished muslin for.....12½c

SHEETS—with welded seam, made of heavy muslin, size 72x90 for.....50c
81x90 for.....60c

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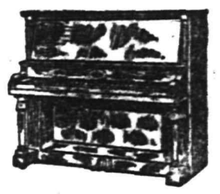
# Piano Clearance Sale



For the next ten days, beginning today, we will hold our annual Clearance Sale. Sale comprises of new, discontinued styles, used pianos taken in exchange, Player Pianos, Organs and Square Pianos.

It is absolutely necessary for us to hold this sale in order to make room for the new 1910 style pianos which are now ready for shipment from our Boston factories.

The discontinued styles are new, perfect pianos, but have been dropped from the 1910 catalog and must be moved to make room for the new style piano. Every instrument guaranteed with the solid Hallet & Davis warranty

The prices—

USED UPRIGHTS

| | |
|---|---|
| Bradbury | $ 75 |
| Bowen | $160 |
| Wellman | $155 |
| Hallet & Davis | $215 |
| Angelus Player | $175 |
| Angelus Player | $ 65 |

NEW, BUT DISCONTINUED STYLES

| Value | Sale Price |
|---|---|
| $450 Pianos | $375 |
| $400 Pianos | $325 |
| $375 Pianos | $300 |
| $350 Pianos | $275 |
| $275 Pianos | $200 |
| $250 Pianos | $175 |

SQUARE PIANOS—

| | |
|---|---|
| Steinway | $20 |
| Bradbury | $15 |
| Decker | $15 |
| And 10 others at | $10 |

ORGANS—

| | |
|---|---|
| Estey | $25 |
| Plebout | $15 |
| American | $10 |
| Cornish | $10 |

TERMS WILL BE ARRANGED TO SUIT THE PURCHASER.

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### Philathea Class Elects.

The officers-elect of the Philathea Class of the Temple Baptist church, recently chosen, are as follows: Teacher, U. B. Crane; assistant teacher, Mrs. Julia C. Ward; president, Mrs. Edward Gulberg; assistant secretary, Mrs. Charles Brewin; financial secretary, Mrs. Albert Randolph; treasurer, Mrs. Harry Bouton; press reporter, Mrs. Eleanore Frank.

Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Long Island, will preach at the Park Avenue Baptist church on Sunday, morning and evening, as a candidate.

"Candles Under Bushels," will be the topic of the Christian Endeavor society meeting of the Park Avenue Baptist church Friday night. A short business session will follow.

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# The Plainfield Trust Company

## Report (condensed) as rendered to the Department of Banking, State of New Jersey

December the thirty-first nineteen hundred nine.

ASSETS.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| R. R. and other bonds (book value) [Market value $593,730.50] | $ 580,475.36 | |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 | |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 | |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 | |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 | |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 | |
| Overdrafts, None | | |
| Cash | 454,592.95 | |
| | $3,121,954.67 | |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital Stock | $ 100,000.00 | |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | 202,501.58 | |
| Accrued Interest | 4,249.15 | |
| Deposits—Time | $1,015,641.78 | |
| Deposits—Demand | 1,799,562.16 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

## Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
|---|---|---|
| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |



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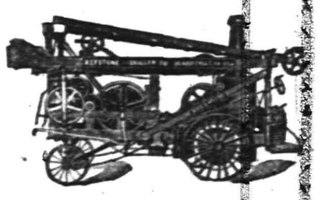

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# EXCISE RECOMMENDATION

(Continued from page 1.)

icating liquors should or should not be sold within its borders.

"The commission of which the writers were members, during 1908, for a period of nearly six months, heard the testimony of more than 300 witnesses, judges, mayors, prosecutors and other public officials in all parts of the State. The findings of this commission were reported to the governor. As a result of the investigation, the commission sought only to bring about a better regulation of the traffic, and, for the purpose of giving to every municipality power to regulate the same within its bounds, it was thought well to recommend the giving of the absolute power to grant or refuse licenses to an elective board of three members, one to be elected every year.

"The amount of the license fee could, in our judgment, be well left to each local board, the Legislature first having fixed a minimum license fee, which should not be less than $500 in all first and second class cities.

"We would call your attention to the fact that under the present laws there is no fixed closing hour, excepting from twelve o'clock midnight, Saturday, until Monday morning. There should be a fixed closing hour throughout the State, not later than one a. m.

"Under the present practice and rules of evidence adopted by the courts, it is more difficult to secure a conviction for a violation of the liquor laws or illegal sale of liquors than it is for murder.

"You will note the recommendations:

"First. Local excise boards elected at special elections with power to grant, refuse and regulate.

"Second. Limited number of licensed places, ratio of not more than one place to every 500 population. No new license to be granted, except to re-place an existing license.

"Third. A minimum license fee throughout the State, not less than $500. Local board to have power to fix maximum fee.

"Fourth. No transfer or assignment of license, except in the case of the decease of a former holder.

"Fifth. Liability of the owner of the property.

"Sixth. Provision for the uniform enforcement of the laws.

"Seventh. A fixed uniform closing hour.

"Eighth. Place open during prohibited hours and persons inside should be prima facie evidence that business is being conducted.

"Ninth. Publication by advertisement of all applications for license. There are other points that are already covered by the present laws.

### Governor Fort a Director.

The directors of the Essex County Trust Company of East Orange reelected Tuesday morning are: Governor John Franklin Fort, Edward F. Andreson, Aaron Adams, Orlando E. Condit, Oscar H. Condit, Richard Coyne, Fredeick W. Egner, Charles A. Groves, Joel W. Hatt, Wilbur S. Johnson, Uzal H. McCarter, William Scheerer, David S. Walton, Charles Wiley, Leslie D. Ward and Theodore M. Woodland.

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# LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

The complications and difficulties consequent of suddenly transforming a plodding fire-builder into a full fledged king are shown in the latest musical farce comedy to be used by Johnny and Emma Ray as a starring vehicle, and which will be seen at the Plainfield theatre January 20. The title of this jumble of nonsense and music is "King Casey," and is from the pen of Aaron Hoffman, one of the brightest comedy writers of the times. "King Casey' is announced as one of the biggest and most pleasing musical offerings of the season, and local theatregoers who are familiar with the Ray offerings will accept the promise as already fulfilled, while those who may not happen to be so well informed are advised to take no chance by remaining away.

### What Texas Has.

While it may be almost impossible for some to appreciate the vast teritory within the borders of the State, a statement of its wonderful resources yet in the infancy of their development and some yet as virgin as when the earth rounded into its present form, will stagger the most credulous.

Texas has—

More wheat lands than both Dakotas.

More corn lands than Illinois.

More fruit lands than California.

More timber lands than Michigan and Wisconsin combined.

More rice lands than all the rest of the States.

More marble than Vermont.

More granite than New Hampshire.

More petroleum than Pennsylvania.

More cotton than any other two States, producing one-tird of the crop of the United States.

More iron than Alabama.

More gypsum than any other State.

More lignite than the whole of Europe.

More kaolin than the whole of Europe.

More railroad mileage than any other State.

Coal fields that cover an area of 80,000 square miles.

And a thousand other things unequaled by any other State in the Union.—Galveston News.

### After Borough Delinquents.

Tax Collector George F. Brown, of the borough, is making preparations to collect all unpaid personal and poll taxes. A list of the delinquents is now being prepared and will be put in the hands of Deputy Collector Frank Neal in a few days.

### Rev. E. B. Brown to Speak.

Rev. Ernest B. Brown, pastor of the Presbyterian church, Dunellen, who has been conducting evangelistic services in his own church the past week, will speak at the West End Tabernacle tonight. The public is invited.

### Salvation Army Meeting.

Adjutant and Mrs. Jackson will conduct a meeting of special interest at the Salvation Army Hall, tonight, the purpose being to present the industrial branch of the army work here.

The North Plainfield High School basketball team, by defeating Cranford High by the score of 100 to 0 in Debele Hall last night, hung up the record score of the season. The borough team was made up of Conroy and Stine, forwards; C. Smith, center; Becker and Dunning, guards.

# THE ENGLISHMAN AT PLAY.

There are some dates one simply hos to know to hid one's own in England, writes Sydney Brooks in Harper's Weekly. August 12 is one of them—the "Glorious Twelfth" when grouse shooting begins. September 1 is the second; it marks the opening of the partridge shooting season. October 1 is more important still, for on it you may shoot pheasants without breaking the law. But greatest and most pregnant of all is November 1, when fox hunting commences its five months' reign.

To complete your social education you must also know precisely when each season closes. Grouse shooting, then, lasts from August 12 to December 10; partridge from September 1 to Februarp 1; fox hunting from November 1 to March 31, and pheasant shooting from October 1 to February 1. With these dates at your finger ends you are at least equipped to listen intelligently to the dominating conversational topic of the country. Without them you will be socially lost. The "Twelfth" has this further significance. It marks the official close of the London season. Actually the season winds up two or three weeks before.

For nearly a month before the "Twelfth" the Park, which is the best and about the only public gauge of London's "emptiness," which can alone tell you whether the half-million who count have fled and only the seven millions who do not count remain, is practically deserted. And yet, while Parliament is sitting and the light burns in the clock tower at Westminster, the season is still officially in being. You see here the advantage of being governed by rich men. I suppose half the grouse moors i the kingdom belong to members of either the upper or lower house. There is, in consequence, an immense pressure put upon legislators to get through their work and wind up the session before the "Twelfth." Bills are rushed through or ruthlessly dropped, importunate democratic members who do not shoot are gagged and crushed into silence, and the government greases every wheel to bring the Parliamentary machine up to its topmost speed.

When Englishmen finally settle down to work they work quickly, and the machine somehow never fails to respond to the call. With the smell of the heather already in their nostrils, and the pop of the guns clicking in their ears, honorable members display the most unwonted activity. A foreigner who did not know the motive might really mistake the British House of Commons, during the momentous days that precede the "Twelfth" for a business-like assembly. There is such earnestness, such speed, such relentless refusal to be led astray from the straight and narrow path. It always meets with its reward. The crisis is scarcely imaginable that would persuade the House to sit beyond the "Twelfth." It never fails to get itself prorogued in time to pack up and catch the night express for Scotland and the moors. And with its prorogration the London season that for weeks beforehand has been spluttering is finally stamped out.

### The Auto Girl.

"That is a beautiful bracelet you got for Christmas."

"Yes; it was given me by an old-fashioned friend. For the same money he could have bought ten barrels of gasoline or a set of tires."—Exchange.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.


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For Friday, January 14.

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| Weakfish, per lb | 8c |
| Fresh Haddock, per lb | 8c |
| Flounders, per lb | 8c |
| Small Whitefish, per lb | 10c |
| Spanish Mackerel, per lb | 15c |
| Frost Fish, 3 lbs for | 25c |
| Fresh Herring, 3 lbs for | 25c |
| Boston Mackerel, large, each | 35c |

Halibut, Cod, Butterfish, Eels, Salmon, Blues, Smelts, Scallops, Oysters, Clams and Lobsters.

All kinds of Smoked and Salted Fish.

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Report of the Condition of

## The Plainfield Trust Co.,

of Plainfield, N. J.,

at the close of business Dec. 31, 1909.

RESOURCES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bonds and mortgages | | $ 458,800.00 |
| Stocks and bonds | | 580,475.36 |
| Demand loans on collaterals | | 182,650.00 |
| Time loans on collaterals | | 306,285.00 |
| Notes and bills purchased | | 1,061,830.89 |
| Overdrafts—None | | |
| Banking-house | | 85,000.00 |
| Due from banks, etc | $268,391.85 | |
| Cash on hand | 84,231.28 | |
| Checks and cash items | 1,969.82 | |
| | | 454,592.95 |
| Interest accrued | | 12,320.47 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

LIABILITIES.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital stock paid in | | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus fund | | 90,000.00 |
| Undivided profits (net) | | 112,501.58 |
| Time deposits | $ 920,720.87 | |
| Time certificates of deposit | 94,920.91 | |
| Demand deposits | 1,728,999.00 | |
| Demand certificates of deposit | 4,450.88 | |
| Certified checks | 10,524.45 | |
| Treasurer's checks outstanding | 1,458.62 | |
| Due to banks, etc. | 54,129.21 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| Interest accrued | | 4,249.15 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

State of New Jersey, County of Union, ss.

O. T. Waring, President, and J. Herbert Case, Treasurer, of the above-named company, being severally duly sworn, each for himself deposes and says that the foregoing statement is true, to the best of his knowledge and belief.

O. T. Waring, President;
J. Herbert Case, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of January A. D. 1910.

Edward F. Peickert, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
A. V. Heely,
C. B. Tyler,
Samuel Townsend,
Directors.

### DIED.

LINBARGER—In North Plainfield, N. J., on Wednesday, January 12, 1910, Sarah R. Linbarger, widow of the late Joseph Ross Linbarger, in her 81st year.

Funeral services on Saturday, January 15, from her late residence, 293 Somerset street, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Bound Brook. 1 13 2


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Miss Jessamine Burd, CONTRALTO
Miss Leah A. Coleman, DRAMATIC READER

Tickets of Admission - 50c

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WANTED—By sober, honest, capable man, position as coachman or gardener; handy with tools; good references. Apply J. J., care Press. 1 11 3

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—Competent white girl as cook and laundress; references required. 718 Madison Ave. 1 6 tf

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework. Call at 91 Rockview avenue; reference required. 1 11 3

WANTED—A first class colored waitress; references required. Call 1233 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 8 p. m. 1 11 3

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WANTED—An experienced laundress, white, for Mondays and Tuesdays. Call evenings, bringing references, 604 West Seventh St. 1 12 2

A GIRL to do general housework. 414 West Eighth St. 1 12 2

WANTED—By family of three adults, good white woman for general housework. 127 East Ninth St. 1 12 2

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WHITE chambermaid and waitress wanted. Apply with reference. 733 Watchung Ave.

WANTED—Laundress by the day. Apply 749 Belvidere avenue. 1 13 3

WANTED—A girl for general housework; good wages. Mrs. J. H. Pearsall, 527 Carlton place, Westfield. 1 13 2

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 8 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—A competent, quiet white girl for general housework; two in family; good reference required. Address Box 22, Fanwood, N. J. 1 13 3

WANTED—Young girl for housework and errands; no washing or cooking; sleep home; wages $10. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

COMPETENT woman for general housework in small family; small house; laundry is sent out; man cleans one day a week. $25 a month. Address Box 94, care Press. 1 13 12

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

FORTY GIRLS WANTED—Cooks, nurses, waitresses and general houseworkers. Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 6

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

WANTED—Young colored girl to assist with housework; no washing; sleep home. 52 Craig place. 1 13 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

INVALID nurse desires position; competent; with reference. Address Field, care Press. 1 11 3

EXPERIENCED laundress wants work at home or Monday, Tuesday, out. 933 West Third St. 1 11 3

YOUNG colored girl would like to assist in general housework. 602 East Third St. 1 11 3

TWO white girls wish situations as first class cook and waitress together or separate. Call three days, 541 West Sixth St. 1 12 3

POSITIONS wanted for several men, colored and white; nurses, cooks, general workers, coachmen; also two or three married couples. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue; 'Phone 1347-L. 1 12 3

TWO colored women want places together, one as cook, the other as chambermaid. 47 Cottage place. 1 11 3

### Help Wanted. Male.

WANTED—Young man stenographer. Write or apply Ransome Concrete Machine Co., Dunellen, N. J. 1 13 2

WANTED—At once, ten lathe hands. Apply Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 8 6

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WANTED—Rooms for two adults, unfurnished, with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

WANTED—Fresh family cow. A. E. Faber, 38 Rockview Ave. 1 10 3

### Miscellaneous.

CONVALESCENT lady can be suitably entertained in private family. No. 822 Second place. 1 13 6

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TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

FOR RENT—Ten room modern house on Westervelt avenue, near Front, for rent at $20 a month. Address L. W., care Press. 1 12 w t f s

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. Rano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT—Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Runyon, 515 Park Ave. 1 11 3

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### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis I. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 9 21 tf

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$28,000 TO LOAN at 6 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 17 tf

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LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail.

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Open face gold watch and fob on Front street, yesterday afternoon. Reward return to 822 Second place. 1 12

FOUND—Pair skates. Owner can obtain same by proving property and paying for ad at this office.

LOST—On Wednesday, Jan. 1, part of automobile tire holder with strap attached. 514 Central Ave.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

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FOR SALE OR RENT—At Netherwood, new 11-room house, all improvements; part cash. George Strathie, R. D. No. 6. New Brunswick. 1 11

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7 room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 6 1m

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 11

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 168 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 18 North avenue. 10 21 tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thomson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

Other Classified Ads on Page 3.

# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

The wife of Dr. John Ashcroft, of Mullica Hill, fell in her kitchen and dislocated her hip.

Mrs. Matilda Sayres fell downstairs at her home in Heislerville and sustained a fracture of the hip.

The Billingsport fishermen are stringing their shad nets and otherwise preparing for the earliest run of shad.

Teams are being driven across the South Branch of the Raritan River at many points. The ice is the thickest for five years.

Charles Ricker, of Paulsboro, fell at the railroad station Tuesday and broke his right arm. He came near falling under a moving train.

For following girls on their way home from their places of employment in the evenings, Pietro Rocco, of Camden, was sentenced to three months in the county jail.

William Smith, a farmer, of Newfield, has a nice nestegg for a bank account in the receipts from thirty-one dozen eggs delivered to a local dealer at forty cents a dozen.

Proceedings were instituted Tuesday by Charles H. Murdock, of Camden, to recover $165 from Welcome Temple, Order of United Americans, as sick benefits alleged to be due.

The Millville Board of Trade will make another effort to interest Congressman Gardner in securing an appropriation for the dredging of Maurice River, which is almost closed to navigation.

Word has been received at Bridgeton of the death of the wife of Rev. William Bridges, who was pastor of the West Presbyterian church here for many years. She was stricken with paralysis, and died at her home in Conklin, N. Y., Tuesday.

The Atlantic County Bar Association, at its annual meeting at Mays Landing, elected these officers: President, Judge Robert H. Ingersoll; vice-presidents, Charles Moore and G. Arthur Bolte; treasurer, John B. Slack; secretary, Oliver T. Rogers.

Reservoirs capable of holding enough water to supply Atlantic City for more than a week in case of accident to the pumping plant at Absecon or to the meadow pipe lines, will be erected during the year, under an ordinance introduced in council Tuesday night.

George Boardman and Daniel Hunter, of Millville, having been hurried to Pasteur Institute, New York, to be treated for wounds inflicted by mad dogs there, Mayor Smith has issued a proclamation forbidding all unmuzzled dogs to be at large for three months.

While coasting, William Kean and Earl Barber, young men of Woodbury, were seriously injured when their sled collided with a tree. Barber's nose was flattened to his face and he was cut about the head, while Kean was terribly cut about the head and injured internally.

Mayor Stoy, of Atlantic City, vetoed a bill proposing to permit the raising of old frame structures in the hotel and cottage districts on the ground that the legislation was contrary to the movement for civic beautification and would increase the fire risk. City Council confirmed the veto.

General E. Burd Grubb in an open letter has conveyed the greetings and appreciation of Grand Army veterans throughout Burlington county to their comrade, Mayor Charles P. Farner, of Burlington, for his stand for law enforcement. General Grubb declares the people are tired of electing officials "to evade and avoid the enforcement of the laws and ordinances."

After going about for nearly a week it was found Tuesday that Albertus Finger, seven years old, of Camden, had a fractured leg. He was taken to the Cooper Hospital. The boy fell on the ice last Thursday, and on his return home complained of pains in his leg. Home remedies were applied, but there was no cessation of pain. Finally a physician was called in and he found that the limb was broken.

Because two of the members, Samuel B. Burkett and William Fisher, declined to be sworn into office over the telephone, the Woodbury Board of Health came near not organizing Monday night. City Clerk Starr desired to take the two members' oath of office over the wire in the afternoon, but as they feared that might not be legal they qualified before the inspector, Joshua S. Dawson, who is a justice of the peace.

Left alone at home while her mother was calling on neighbors and her father was at his employment in a factory, four-year-old Ida Johnson, daughter of Zachariah Johnson, of Burlington, was fatally burned Tuesday afternoon. Police are uncertain whether her little dress caught in an oil stove and upset it or whether she was playing with matches and started the blaze. Her mother, discovering the child in flames, tried to beat out the fire and was herself badly burned. Physicians could do nothing for the child, whose entire body, except the soles of her feet, was burned to a crisp.

Mrs. John D. Runyon and Miss Annie Boice, of Park avenue, left on Tuesday for Braidentown, Florida. They will remain South for several months.


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The Windsor Art Galleries, Atlantic City; capital, $50,000. Incorporators, Harry W. Skerry, Charles G. Forner and Thomas J. Burke.

Stewart & Endicott Co., Atlantic City; capital, $6,000. Incorporators, William H. Steward, Allen B. Endicott and Abel Spence.

Riverside Park Amusement Company, Atlantic City; capital, $75,000. Incorporators, Salvatore D'Agostino, William T. Welsh and Louis F. Schuck.

Perth Amboy Chronicle Publishing Company, Perth Amboy; capital, $10,000. Incorporators, Frank C. Henry, George F. Reynolds and Hyman Greenspan.

Penn Central Light and Power Company of New Jersey, Camden; capital, $3,600,000. Incorporators, F. R. Hansell, William F. Eidell and John A. MacPeak.

North Jersey Realty and Construction Company, Jersey City; capital, $200,000. Incorporators, Louis Frank Tucci, Josephine Tucci and Andrew Kovac.

National Transfer and Forwarding Company, Jersey City; capital, $200,000. Incorporators, H. O. Coughlan, S. A. Anderson and John R. Turner.

Automatic Fan Company, Newark; capital, $150,000. Incorporators, Joseph B. Bloom, J. Hansbury Callaghan and Emanuel Bloom.

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### Stopping the "Fire Wagon."

When the first railroad was laid over the western plains and the cars began running to San Francisco the Indians viewed the locomotive from the hilltops at a distance, not daring to come nearer the "fire wagon." A train of cars was to them "heap wagon, no hoss." An Apache chief gathered a party of warriors in Arizona and went several hundred miles to see the terrible fire wagon that whistled louder than the eagle's scream and poured out dense black smoke. W. M. Thayer says in his "Marvels of the New West" that the redskins grew bolder and once attacked a fire wagon, expecting to capture it. When they failed and many were injured they said, "Fire wagon bad medicine!"

The Indians stretched a lariat across the track, breast high, each end being held by thirty braves.

"When the engineer first saw it he didn't know what on earth was the matter," said the narrator, "but in a minute more he burst out laughing. He caught hold of that throttle, and he opened her out.

"He struck that lariat going about forty miles an hour, and he just piled those braves up everlasting promiscuous."

### They're All Good.

Burne-Jones, the famous artist, made many sketches for the children of his friend, J. Comyns Carr. He once laughingly proposed to instruct the eldest boy in the principles of anatomy, and there and then made for him two beautiful drawings representing the anatomy of the good man and the good woman, in both of which the heart, magnificently large, winged and backed by spreading flames, is the central detail.

By special request he made another drawing, illustrating the anatomy of the bad man. On being met with the reproach that the third drawing showed nothing of the details of internal structure he replied:

"There are none. The bad man is quite hollow."

On being challenged to illustrate the anatomy of the bad woman he gravely replied:

"My dear boy, she doesn't exist"

### Plymouth Rock.

Plymouth rock has become an object of veneration in the United States because of its interesting historical associations. As is well known, it is the rock or ledge on which the pilgrims are believed to have landed when they first stepped from their boats in the harbor of what is now Plymouth, Mass. In 1775 part of the rock was removed to the vicinity of Pilgrim hall, but was afterward restored to its original site and is now under the stone canopy that surmounts the main rock on Water street. Charles Sumner said, "From the deck of the Mayflower, from the landing at Plymouth rock, to the senate of the United States is a mighty contrast, covering whole spaces of history hardly less than from the wolf that suckled Romulus and Remus to that Roman senate which on curule chairs swayed Italy and the world."

### The Hypocrite a Genius.

Really to be a hypocrite must require a horrible strength of character. An ordipary man such as you or I generally fails at last because he has not enough energy to be a man. But the hypocrite must have enough energy to be two men. It is said that a liar should have a good memory. But a hypocrite must have not only a good memory of the past, but a consistent and creative vision of the future; his unreal self must be so far real to him. The perfect hypocrite should be a trinity of artistic talent. He must be a novelist like Dickens to create a false character. He must be an actor like Garrick to act it. And he must be a business man like Carnegie to profit by it. Such a genius would not be easy to find in any country.—G. K. Chesterton.

### A Story of Gambetta.

It is told of Gambetta that once, when in the heyday of his power, when he went to some agricultural department to oust a reactionary candidate in favor of one of his friends, he inquired about the agriculturists' wants. "We are sadly in need of rain," came the answer. "I'll see about it when I get to Paris," promised Gambetta. And his listeners believed in his promise. The record runs that the rain came down in torrents a day or two after and that when the reactionary candidate presented himself he was booted at. "Let your party do as much for us as Gambetta, and we'll elect you," they said.

### Anatomical Expert.

When a butcher answered the bell of his telephone instrument one day the shrill voice of a little girl greeted his ears. "Hello! Is that Mr. Wilson?"

"Yes," he answered kindly.

"Well, can you tell us where grandpa's liver is? We've got to put a hot flannel on it, and we can't find it!"—London Telegraph.

### Her Train.

"I shall miss my train," she said petulantly.

"Oh, no, you won't," the dressmaker assured her. "You will soon get used to these gowns which haven't any."—New York Journal.

### His Share.

Councilman—I've come to see if you will subscribe anything to the town cemetery. Old Resident—Good gracious! I've already subscribed three wives.—London Telegraph.

### Varied Formula.

"Did he tell the whole truth?"

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CHAPTER III.

ONE evening I returned to the inn to find a big van from Dives, the nearest railway station, drawn up in the courtyard at the foot of the stairs leading to the gallery, and all the people of the inn, from Mme. Brossard (who directed), to Glouglou (who madly attempted the heaviest pieces), busily installing trunks, bags and packing cases in the suit engaged for the "great man of science" on the second floor of the east wing of the building. Neither the great man nor his companion was to be seen, however, both having retired to their rooms immediately upon their arrival, so Amedee informed me.

I made my evening ablutions, removing a Joseph's coat of dust and paint, and came forth from my pavilion, hoping that Professor Keredec and his friend would not mind eating in the same garden with a man in a corduroy jacket and knickerbockers, but the gentlemen continued invisible to the public eye, and mine was the only table set for dinner in the garden. Upstairs the curtains were carefully drawn across all the windows of the east wing, little leaks of orange here and there betraying the lights within.

"It is to be supposed that Professor Keredec and his friend are fatigued with their journey from Paris?" I began a little later.

"Monsieur, they did not seem fatigued," said Amedee.

"But they dine in their own rooms tonight."

"Every night, monsieur. It is the order of Professor Keredec. And with their own valet de chambre to serve them. Eh?" He poured my coffee solemnly. "That is mysterious, to say the least, isn't it?"

"To say the very least," I agreed.

"Monsieur the professor is a man of secrets, it appears," continued Amedee. "When he wrote to Mme. Brossard, engaging his rooms, he instructed her to be careful that none of us should mention even his name, and today when he came he spoke of his anxiety on that point."

"But you did mention it."

"To whom, monsieur?" asked the old fellow bluntly.

"To me."

"But I told him I had not," said Amedee placidly. "It is the same thing."

"I wonder," I began, struck with a sudden thought, "if it will prove quite the same thing in my own case. I suppose you have not mentioned the circumstance of my being here to your friend Jean Ferret of Quesnay?"

He looked at me reproachfully. "Has monsieur been troubled by the people of the chateau? Have they done anything whatever to show that they have heard monsieur is here?"

"No; certainly they haven't." I was obliged to retract at once. "I beg your pardon, Amedee."

"Ah, monsieur!" He made a deprecatory bow, which plunged me still deeper in shame. "All the same," he pursued, "it seems very mysterious—this Keredec affair!"

When a man is leading a very quiet and isolated life it is inconceivable what trifles will occupy and concentrate his attention. Thus, though I treated the "Keredec affair" with a seeming airiness to Amedee, I cunningly drew the faithful rascal out until virtually I was receiving every evening at dinner a detailed report of the day's doings of Professor Keredec and his companion.

The reports were voluminous, the details few. Professor Keredec's voice could often be heard in every part of the inn, at times holding forth with such protracted vehemence that only one explanation would suffice—the learned man was delivering a lecture to his companion.

Amedee brushed away my suggestion that the auditor might be a stenographer to whom the professor was dictating chapters for a new book. The relation between the two men, he contended, was more like that between teacher and pupil. "But a pupil with gray hair," he finished, raising his fat hands to heaven, "for that other monsieur has hair as gray as mine."

"That other monsieur" was further described as a thin man, handsome, but with a "singular air," nor could my colleague more satisfactorily define this air.

I ascertained that, although "that other monsieur" had gray hair, he was by no means a person of great age. Indeed, Glouglou, who had seen him oftener than any other of the staff, maintained that he was quite young. Nevertheless, Amedee remarked, it was certain that Professor Keredec's friend was neither an American nor an Englishman.

"Why is it certain?" I asked.

"Monsieur, he drinks nothing but water, he does not smoke, and Glouglou says he eats his soup silently."

"Glouglou is an authority who resolves the difficulty. That other monsieur is a Frenchman."

"I can find no flaw in the deduction," I said, rising to go to bed. "We must leave it there for tonight."

The next evening Amedee allowed me to perceive that he was concealing something under his arm as he stoked the coffee machine.

"What is that?" I said.

"It is a book."

"But why do you bring it to me?"

"Monsieur," he replied in the tones of an old conspirator, "this afternoon the professor and that other monsieur went, as usual, to walk in the forest. When they returned this book fell from the pocket of that other monsieur's coat as he ascended the stair, and he did not notice."

The book was Wentworth's algebra—elementary principles. Painful recollections of my boyhood and the binomial theorem rose in my mind as I let the leaves turn under my fingers.

His tone became even more confidential. "Part of it, monsieur, is in English. That is plain. I have found an English word in it that I know—the word 'O.' But much of the printing is also in Arabic. Yes, monsieur, look there." He laid a fat forefinger on "$(a+b)^2=a^2+2ab+b^2$." "That is Arabic. Old Gaston has been to Algeria. He looked at the book and told me it was Arabic."

I shed no light upon him. The book had been Greek to me in my tender years. It was a pleasure now to leave a fellow being under the impression that it was Arabic.

But the volume took its little revenge upon me, for it increased my curiosity about Professor Keredec and "that other monsieur." Why were two grown men—one an eminent psychologist and the other a gray haired youth with a singular air—carrying about on their walks a text book for the instruction of boys of thirteen or fourteen?

The next day that curiosity of mine was piqued in earnest. It rained and I did not leave the inn, but sat under the great archway and took notes in color of the shining road and bright drenched fields. My back was toward the courtyard, and about noon I became distracted from my work by a strong self consciousness which came upon me without any visible or audible cause. Obeying an impulse, I swung round on my camp stool and looked up directly at the gallery window of the salon of the "grande suite." A man with a great white beard was standing at the window, half hidden by the curtain, watching me intently. He perceived that I saw him and dropped the curtain immediately.

The spy was Professor Keredec.

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The next day I painted in various parts of the forest, studying the early morning along the eastern fringe and moving deeper in as the day advanced.

The path debouched abruptly on the glade and was so narrow that when I leaned back my elbows were in the bushes. I had the ambition to paint a picture here—to do the whole thing in the woods from day to day, instead of taking notes for the studio, but when I rose from my camp stool and stepped back into the path to get more distance for my canvas I saw what a mess I was making of it. At the same time my hand, falling into the capacious pocket of my jacket, encountered a package—my lunch, which I had forgotten to eat. Whereupon, becoming suddenly aware that I was very hungry, I began to eat Amedee's good sandwiches without moving from where I stood.

Absorbed, gazing with abysmal disgust at my canvas, I was eating absentmindedly and with all the restraint and dignity of a Georgia darky attacking a watermelon when a pleasant voice spoke in French from just behind me:

"Pardon, monsieur. Permit me to pass, if you please."

I turned in confusion to behold a dark eyed lady, charmingly dressed in lilac and white, waiting for me to make way so that she could pass.

I have just said that I "turned in confusion." The truth is that I jumped like a kangaroo, but with infinitely less grace. And in my nervous haste to clear the way, meaning only to push the camp stool out of the path with my foot, I put too much valor into the push, and with horror saw the camp stool rise in the air and drop to the ground again nearly a third of the distance across the glade. Upon that

*I turned in confusion to behold a dark eyed lady.*

I squeezed myself back into the bushes, my ears singing and my cheeks burning.

There are women who will meet or pass a strange man in the woods or fields with as finished an air of being unaware of him (particularly if he be a rather snabby painter no longer young), but this woman was not of that priggish kind. Her straightforward glance recognized my existence as a fellow being, and she further acknowledged it by a faint smile, which was of courtesy only, however, and admitted no reference to the fact that at the first sound of her voice I had leaped into the air, kicked a camp stool twenty feet and now stood blushing, so shamefully stuffed with sandwich that I dared not speak.

"Thank you," she said as she went by and made me a little bow so graceful that it almost consoled me for my capers.

Then, discovering that I still held the horrid remains of a sausage sandwich in my hand, I threw it into the underbrush with unnecessary force and, recovering my camp stool, sat down to work. I did not immediately begin. At thought of the jig I had danced to it my face burned again.

Suddenly a snapping of twigs under foot and a swishing of branches in the thicket warned me of a second intruder forcing a way toward the path through the underbrush, and very briskly, too, judging by the sounds.

He burst out into the glade a few paces from me, a tall man in white flannels, liberally decorated with brambles and clinging shreds of underbrush. The youthful sprightliness of his light figure and the naive activity of his approach gave me a very false like first impression of him.

"Have you seen a lady in a white and lilac dress and with roses in her hat?" he demanded eagerly.

What surprised me was the instantaneous certainty with which I recognized the speaker from Amedee's description.

My sudden gentleman was striking, good looking, his complexion so clear

*"I have seen her only once before."*

and boyishly healthy that, except for his gray hair, he might have passed for twenty-two or twenty-three, and even as it was I guessed his years short of thirty. But there are plenty of handsome young fellows with prematurely gray hair, and, as Amedee said, though out of the world we were near it. It was the newcomer's "singular air" which established his identity. Amedee's vagueness had irked me, but the thing itself—the "singular air"—was not at all vague. Instantly perceptible, it was an investiture, massed, definite and intangible. My interrogator was "that other monsieur."

In response to his question I asked him another:

"Were the roses real or artificial?"

"I don't know," he answered, with what I took to be a whimsical assumption of gravity. "It would not matter, would it? Have you seen her?"

"Isn't your description," I said gravely, thinking to suit my humor to his own, "somewhat too general? A great many white hats trimmed with roses might come for a stroll in these woods."

"I have seen her only once before," he responded promptly, with a seriousness apparently quite genuine. "That was from my window at an inn three days ago. She drove by in an open carriage.

"A little while ago," he went on, "I was up in the branches of a tree over yonder, and I caught a glimpse of a lady in a light dress and a white hat, and I thought it might be the same. She wore a dress like that and a white hat with roses when she drove by the inn. I am very anxious to see him again."

"You seem to be!"

"And haven't you seen her? Hasn't she passed this way?"

"I think that I may have seen her," I began slowly, "but if you do not know her I should not advise"—

I was interrupted by a shout and the sound of a large body plunging in the thicket. Professor Keredec floundered out through the last row of saplings and bushes, his beard embellished with a broken twig, his big face red and perspiring. He was a fine, a mighty man, ponderous of shoulder, monumental of height, stupendous of girth. He seized the young man by the arm.

"Ha, my friend!" he exclaimed in a bass voice of astounding power and depth, "that is one way to study botany—to jump out of the middle of a high tree and to run like a crazy man."

"I saw a lady I wished to follow," the other answered promptly.

"A lady! What lady?"

"The lady who passed the inn three days ago. I spoke of her then, you remember."

"Tonnerre de Dieu!" Keredec slapped his thigh violently. "Have I never told you that to follow strange ladies is one of the things you cannot do?"

"That other monsieur" shook his head. "No; you have never told me that. I do not understand it," he said, adding irrelevantly, "I believe this gentleman knows her. He says he thinks he has seen her."

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The bowlers of both teams did their prettiest work in the second game, which Raritan took by a 991 to 959 score. In this contest C. Ortlieb marked up the highest score of the night—241.

W. Schaub made an excellent showing although he was handicapped by a blistered thumb. The scores:

**Raritan.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Brown | 168 | 171 | 165 |
| J. Schaub | 193 | 212 | 196 |
| Vliet | 186 | 214 | 201 |
| W. Schaub | 202 | 195 | 174 |
| Matthews | 167 | 199 | 172 |
| | 916 | 991 | 908 |

**Westfield.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Menenzbach | 204 | 184 | 183 |
| C. Ortlieb | 129 | 241 | 145 |
| Edwards | 169 | 160 | 165 |
| McMahon | 172 | 172 | 171 |
| Miller | 183 | 202 | 165 |
| | 857 | 959 | 829 |

# P.H.S. TEAM DEFEATED BY BAYONNE HIGH FIVE

The Plainfield High School basketball five went down to defeat yesterday afternoon in the local gymnasium, when the Bayonne High School team was victors by the score of 34 to 31. The visiting team held the lead all through the game and the Plainfield boys did their best work in the last two minutes of play. Tipschutz played a star game for Bayonne, seconded by Chayss. Lidgate and Morris showed up fine for P. H. S.

Bayonne distinguished itself all through the game by its fine passing and guarding. Near the end of the game, the guarding on both sides became too difficult and many fouls were called. At the end of the first half the score stood 25 to 17 in favor of Bayonne, which shows that P. H. S. did some lively playing in the second half.

Overton put up his usual fine game at guard and Clark made good as forward. The lineup:

Bayonne H. S.—Forwards, Chayse, Katko; centre, Jacks; guards, Maloney, Tipschutz.

P. H. S.—Forwards, Morris, Clark; centre, Lidgate; guards, Overton, Doane and Vail.

The points were made as follows: Chayse, three field and two foul; Jacks 3, Maloney 3, Tipschutz 7, Morris 5, Clark 2, Lidgate 5 field and one foul; Overton two field and one foul; all one foul. Time of halves, twenty minutes; referee, Bostwick; umpire, Smith.

The senior and juniors had a hot basketball game between the halves of the first game, the seniors winning by a score of 26 to 19. Miller, Van Zandt and Thompson distinguished themselves above the rough-house. The lineup:

Seniors—Forwards, Ricketts, Loizeaux; centre, Runyon; guards, Miller and Hamilton.

Juniors — Forwards, Wilson, Thompson and Phillips; centre, Smith; guards, VanZandt, Carr and Harris. Time of halves, ten minutes; referee, Woodhull.

## HOPE JUNIORS SCORE VICTORY OVER GRACE P. E.

The Hope juniors defeated the Grace church lost night by a score of 26 to 11. The teams were evenly matched but Hope outplayed their opponents in both passing and shooting. Charlie Martin played good for Grace, while Tom Herron played an excellent game for Hope. The lineup:

Hope: Forwards—Tom Herron, John Heron; centre, G. Leighs; guards, W. Brown, C. Nicholson.

Grace: Forwards—Charlie Martin, H. Williams; centre, A. Martin; guards, Cottrel, Manley.

Field goals, T. Herron, 6; Leighs, 1; Nicholson, 4; C. Martin, 3; Manley, 1. Foul goals, J. Herron, 1; Leighs, 1; Brown, 1; Nicholson, 1; C. Martin, 1; A. Martin, 2.

Among the recent arrivals at the Carolina Hotel, Pinehurst, N. C., is Stuart H. Patterson, of this city.

Miss Ruth VanVliet, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Van Vliet, of Washington avenue, has gone to Washington, D. C., to visit friends.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

RELIABLE DENTISTRY.

| | |
|---|---|
| Set of Teeth | $10.00 |
| Gold Crowns, 22-k | 5.00 |
| Gold Fillings | 1.50 |
| Platina Fillings | 75c |
| Painless Extracting | 50c |

DR. FRANCIS PAINE—Dentist
148 E. Front St. Open Evenings

# Treasurer's Report
## OF THE
# City of Plainfield, N. J.,
## For the Year 1909.

## GENERAL FUND

**January 1, 1909—**
Balance on hand:

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| General Fund | $39,911.46 | |
| Police Building Fund | 3,909.43 | |
| Contingent Fund, 1908 | 18,452.29 | |
| Water Commission | 1,700.00 | |
| Sinking Fund—Darrow Avenue School | 1,040.00 | |
| Sinking Fund — Fire House | 300.00 | |
| High School Bonds | 1,917.31 | |
| | | $67,221.57 |

**RECEIPTS.**

**State School and County Taxes.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Year 1907 | $ 38.13 | |
| Year 1908 | 19,448.78 | |
| Year 1909 | 107,777.14 | |
| | $127,264.05 | |
| Contingent Fund, 1908 | $ 12,165.00 | |
| | | 139,429.05 |

**CITY TAXES.**
**Including Polls, Dogs, Snow and Ice, and Contingent Fund.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Prior to 1908 | $ 1,352.27 | |
| Year 1908 | 18,467.15 | |
| Year 1909 | 110,594.75 | |
| | 130,414.17 | |
| Martin Act Taxes | 2,598.84 | |
| Contingent Fund, 1908 | 8,636.34 | |
| | | 141,649.35 |

**Franchise Tax.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| 5% Gross earnings, Plainfield St. Ry. | $ 5,692.43 | |
| Postal Telegraph and Cable Co. | 1.97 | |
| Plainfield-Union Water Company | 1,553.01 | |
| Somerset, Union and Middlesex Lighting Company | 2,954.52 | |
| New York Telephone Company | 892.71 | |
| | | 11,094.64 |

**Interest.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Penalties on City Taxes | $ 2,796.04 | |
| Park Ave. Widening | 38.27 | |
| Flagging and Curbing | 24.95 | |
| Interest on bank balances | 943.79 | |
| Accrued Interest on School Bonds | 256.66 | |
| | | 4,059.71 |

**Licenses.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Liquor | $ 11,625.00 | |
| Hack, Peddler, Show, etc. | 2,992.20 | |
| Dog | 2,212.50 | |
| New Street Sewer | 25.00 | |
| | | 16,854.70 |

**Fines and Fees.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| City Judge | $ 606.95 | |
| District Court | 1,065.30 | |
| Board of Health | 1,017.00 | |
| | | 2,689.25 |

**Repayments.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Amount loaned the Fire Fund | $ 13,500.00 | |
| Amount loaned the Poor Fund | 3,500.00 | |
| | | 17,000.00 |

**Streets.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Public Service Ry. Co. for removing snow | $ 60.77 | |
| Public Service Ry. Co. for repairing & oiling of streets | 1,528.85 | |
| Sale of Stone, Pipe, Barrels, etc. | 40.46 | |
| Use of Steam Roller, Men and Teams by contractors and others | 839.92 | |
| Money due Italians and others, location not known | 2.35 | |
| | | 2,472.35 |

**Sewers.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sewer Permits | $ 236.00 | |
| Repair of ditch | 5.72 | |
| Account Spruce St. Sewer | 7.50 | |
| | | 249.22 |

**Police.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Call Box No. 55 | $ 100.00 | |
| Borough North Plainfield, Charter Day | 129.00 | |
| | | 229.00 |

**Shade Tree Commission.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Wood | $ 102.75 | |
| Planting, Trimming, and Spraying and Removing Trees | 110.87 | |
| Sale of Horse, etc. | 43.05 | |
| | | 257.67 |

**Sinking Fund.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Darrow Avenue School: | | |
| Raised by tax | $ 950.00 | |
| Interest on City Bonds | 90.00 | |
| Bank Interest | 33.47 | |
| | | 1,073.47 |
| Fire House, East End: | | |
| Raised by Tax | $ 1,300.00 | |
| Bank Interest | 23.33 | |
| | | 1,323.33 |
| Tax Releases | 174.60 | |
| Tax Researches | 285.00 | |
| | | 459.60 |
| Flagging and Curbing | | 1,298.70 |
| Advertising Licenses | | 66.00 |
| Amount Collected not on Assessors' Books | | 73.36 |
| Local Railroad Tax, 1907 | | 2,746.97 |
| Local Railroad Tax, 1908 | | 2,688.97 |
| Widenging Park Avenue, Stebbins Place and Sycamore St. | | 63.56 |
| Bonds, Darrow Avenue School Furnishing | | 10,000.00 |
| Bonds, Dunellen Avenue School | | 45,000.00 |
| Lincoln Day Celebration, A. Gilbert, Chairman | | 91.57 |
| Martin Act Tax | | 4.23 |

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

**Streets.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Macadamizing, Grading, Repairs, Oiling, etc. | $ 17,466.49 | |
| Crosswalks | 1,417.27 | |
| Culverts | 747.19 | |
| Storm Sewers | 165.51 | |
| General Street Cleaning and Opening Gutters | 8,101.84 | |
| Cleaning brooks and outlet ditches | 403.67 | |
| Cleaning Storm Sewers, Culverts and Catch Basins | 531.72 | |
| Street Sprinkling | 5,212.82 | |
| Removing Snow from Streets | 494.40 | |
| Removing trees and branches | 61.46 | |
| Steam Roller — Cost and Repairs | 2,422.30 | |
| Office assistant | 355.00 | |
| Assistants and Inspectors on Street Grades, etc. | 953.88 | |
| Blacksmithing, Repair of Scraper, etc. | 161.37 | |
| Tools and Supplies and Telephone | 359.50 | |
| Tar Heating Wagon | 170.00 | |
| Street Sweeper | 250.00 | |
| Oil Spreading Attachment | 125.00 | |
| Work done for Companies and Individuals | 265.76 | |
| Street Signs, Street Monuments & Miscellaneous expenses | 107.17 | |
| | | $ 39,772.35 |

**Sewer Maintenance.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Improvement of Contact Beds and Septic Tanks | $ 2,184.76 | |
| Care of Contact Beds and Septic Tanks | 917.54 | |
| Emptying Septic Tanks and Carting Sledge | 241.58 | |
| Attending to Screen | 298.30 | |
| Laboratory | 147.18 | |
| Repairing Sewers and Appurtenances | 144.39 | |
| Testing and Flushing Sewers | 268.88 | |
| Water for Flushing | 727.71 | |
| Water Guarantee on Pipe Line | 73.20 | |
| Cleaning Sewers | 180.34 | |
| Inspecting Construction of Sewer Contions | 130.50 | |
| Pumping Station, Electric Power | 266.90 | |
| Pumping Station, Attendance | 441.85 | |
| Pumping Station, Supplies | 96.91 | |
| Staking Sewers and Inspecting Construction, Assessment Maps and Lists | 165.52 | |
| Repair and Insurance of Buildings | 82.09 | |
| Tools and Supplies | 65.25 | |
| Telephone | 28.58 | |
| Engineer in Charge | 1,200.00 | |
| Day Operator, Analyst and Consulting Engineers | 1,818.46 | |
| Spruce Street Sewer (cost subscribed) | 18.53 | |
| Held for Cleaning Beds, assessed 1909 | 4,150.75 | |
| | | 13,749.22 |

**Police.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries | $ 25,885.13 | |
| Department expenses | 317.50 | |
| Telephone | 35.75 | |
| Moving Cells | 28.00 | |
| Furnishings | 1,070.20 | |
| Station House Supplies | 352.99 | |
| Plainfield-Union Water Company | 70.91 | |
| Fires | 317.85 | |
| Keep and Maintenance of Horse | 307.28 | |
| Carriage Hire | 168.80 | |
| Insurance | 21.00 | |
| Y. M. C. Assn. | 85.00 | |
| Moving Alarm System | 140.00 | |
| Meals for Prisoners | 150.80 | |
| Equipments | 98.65 | |
| Special Police | 17.75 | |
| Department Physician | 200.00 | |
| Care of Gamewell Alarm System | 423.52 | |
| Bicycle Repairs | 205.50 | |
| Charter Day | 825.00 | |
| | | 30,221.73 |
| Police Headquarters, to complete contracts and furnishing | | 4,182.31 |
| Street Lighting | | 14,985.73 |
| Printing and Stationery | | 3,012.32 |
| Election | | 150.00 |
| Board of Health | | 10,234.84 |

**Shade Tree Commission.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Care of City Park | $ 200.00 | |
| Spraying Trees | 1,280.38 | |
| Trimming and Removing Trees | 923.94 | |
| Hire and Keep of Horse, Rent of Wagon and Barn, Repair of Spraying Engine and Supplies | 155.35 | |
| Wagon for Spraying Engine | 45.00 | |
| Hauling Manure | 20.50 | |
| Watering and Mulching New Trees | 36.40 | |
| Tools, Supplies, etc. | 66.10 | |
| | | 2,727.67 |

**Salaries.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Assessor, First ward | $ 400.00 | |
| Assessor, 2nd ward | 400.00 | |
| Assessor Third ward | 400.00 | |
| Assessor, 4th ward | 400.00 | |
| Assessors' Clerk | 720.00 | |
| City Clerk | 1,500.00 | |
| City Collector | 2,250.00 | |
| City Treasurer | 1,200.00 | |
| Street Commissioner | 1,500.00 | |
| Building Inspector | 500.00 | |
| City Judge | 1,000.00 | |
| Corporation Counsel | 2,000.00 | |
| Stenographer | 500.00 | |
| Custodian of School Moneys | 550.00 | |
| Janitor | 420.00 | |
| | | 13,440.00 |
| School Bonds Retired | | 1,000.00 |
| Police Bonds Retired | | 500.00 |
| Snow and Ice | | 639.08 |
| Firemen's Pension Fund from Show Licenses | | 491.00 |
| Flagging and Curbing | | 2,739.46 |
| State School and County Tax | | 133,007.21 |
| Fee License Employment Bureaus | | 62.50 |
| Amount Loaned to Fire Fund | 13,500.00 | |
| Amount Loaned to Poor Fund | 3,500.00 | |
| | | 17,000.00 |
| Recording Tax Deeds, etc. | | 46.80 |

**Division Contingent Fund, 1908:**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| City Fund | $ 8,636.34 | |
| State School and County | 12,165.00 | |
| Library | 115.63 | |
| Poor | 121.40 | |
| Fire | 519.21 | |
| Sewer Interest | 161.53 | |
| Sewer Bonds | 91.20 | |
| School | 531.78 | |
| | | 22,342.19 |
| District Court | | 2,178.75 |
| Rent | | 1,610.00 |

**Interest:**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Brick Pavement Bonds | $ 1,395.00 | |
| Fire House Bonds | 675.00 | |
| Police Headquarters Bonds | 1,138.25 | |
| High School Bonds | 5,280.00 | |
| Darrow Ave. School Bonds | 4,275.00 | |
| | | 12,861.25 |
| Care City Dump | | 300.00 |
| Repairing Drinking Fountain | | 3.86 |
| Furniture | | 27.48 |
| Stenographer for Mayor | | 207.15 |
| Delinquent Tax Collector | | 12.67 |
| Miscellaneous Expenses | | 549.11 |
| Collector's Assistant and Expenses | | 313.15 |
| Assessors' Expenses | | 20.00 |
| Corporation Counsel's Expenses | | 34.40 |

## GENERAL FUND—Continued

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Return of Tax, E. M. French | | 2.10 |
| Killing Dogs | | 344.50 |
| Telephone | | 11.15 |
| Insurance | | 217.50 |
| Care of Voting Machines | | 86.50 |
| Trees Charged to Property Owners in taxes | | 407.27 |
| Lincoln Day Celebration | | 300.00 |
| Damage to "Horse" | | 30.00 |
| G. A. R. Appropriation | | 100.00 |
| Moving Safe | | 25.00 |
| New Safe | | 250.00 |
| Care of Town Clock | | 30.00 |
| Sewer Commission, Plainfield and North Plainfield | | 525.94 |
| Fourth of July Celebration | | 1,000.00 |
| H. C. VanEmburgh, Care Assessors' Maps, May 1, 1908-09 | | 125.00 |
| H. C. VanEmburgh, Correcting and recording on City Maps | | 100.00 |
| Revising Building Code | | 500.00 |
| New City Maps | | 602.00 |
| Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, Attys., issue of Bonds—Custodian of School Moneys | | 211.72 |
| Proceeds of Bonds, Darrow Ave. Furnishing | $ 10,000.00 | |
| Proceeds of Bonds, Dunellen Avenue School | 45,000.00 | |
| | | 55,000.00 |

**Sinking Fund:**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Darrow Avenue School | $ 950.00 | |
| Fire House | 1,300.00 | |
| | | 2,250.00 |
| | | $390,539.88 |

**Balance on Hand, December 31, 1909:**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| General Fund | $ 53,780.36 | |
| Contingent Fund, 1909 | 18,121.92 | |
| Sinking Fund, Darrow Avenue School | 2,113.47 | |
| Sinking Fund, Fire House | 1,623.33 | |
| High School Bonds | 1,917.31 | |
| | | $468,096.27 |

$468,096.27

## GENERAL FUND—Summary

**ASSETS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand: | | |
| General Fund | $ 53,780.36 | |
| Contingent Fund | 18,121.92 | |
| Sinking Fund: | | |
| Darrow Avenue School | 2,113.47 | |
| Fire House | 1,623.33 | |
| Darrow Avenue Bonds | 4,000.00 | |
| Flagging and Curbing | 2,221.10 | |
| High School Bonds | 1,917.31 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, 1909 | 53,831.76 | |
| | $137,609.25 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, 1877 to 1908, Doubtful | $ 40,293.55 | |
| Special Account, held for completion of work, Cleaning Sewer Beds, etc. | $ 4,150.75 | |
| | | $137,609.25 |

**LIABILITIES.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Contingent Fund | $ 18,121.92 | |
| High School Bonds | 1,917.31 | |
| Sinking Fund | 7,736.80 | |
| Balance | 109,833.22 | |
| | | $137,609.25 |

## FIRE FUND

**January 1, 1909:**
Balance on hand $ 1,414.67

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sale of Manure | $ 65.00 | |
| Sale of Old Truck | 200.00 | |
| Received from T. O. Doane | 23.36 | |
| Bank Interest | 14.05 | |
| Amount Borrowed from General Fund | 13,500.00 | |

**Taxes Collected.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Prior to 1908 | $ 15.87 | |
| Year of 1908 | $5,833.88 | |
| Contingent Fund 1908 | 519.21 | |
| | 6,353.09 | |
| Year of 1909 | 27,659.62 | |
| | | 34,028.58 |
| Martin Act Taxes | | 241.88 |
| Bills Payable | | 8,500.00 |
| | | $ 57,987.54 |

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salaries | $ 17,389.68 | |
| Repairs to Buildings | 264.02 | |
| Repairs to Apparatus | 444.66 | |
| Supplies | 679.69 | |
| Keep and Shoeing of Horses | 2,904.11 | |
| Rent of Lot | 45.00 | |
| Rent of Horse and Wagon | 18.00 | |
| Laundry | 202.30 | |
| Fuel | 569.20 | |
| Installing Switch Board | 2,735.00 | |
| Care of Fire Alarm and Incidental | 734.00 | |
| Team of Horses | 650.00 | |
| Printing and Stationery | 82.07 | |
| Interest | 609.50 | |
| Equipment | 80.80 | |
| Hydrant Rentals | 5,183.75 | |
| Chief's Convention Expenses | 126.64 | |
| Pension Fund—1% of Salaries | 172.02 | |
| Pension Fund, sale of Manure | 65.00 | |
| Pension Fund, sale of Truck | 250.00 | |
| Insurance | 26.77 | |
| Incidentals | 212.15 | |
| Telephoning | 6.56 | |
| Total | $ 33,450.92 | |
| Repayment of Amount borrowed from General Fund | 13,500.00 | |
| Bills Payable | 9,000.00 | |
| Balance on hand | 2,036.62 | |
| | | $ 57,987.54 |

## FIRE FUND—Summary

**ASSETS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | $ 2,036.62 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, 1909 | 6,579.67 | |
| | $ 8,616.29 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, prior to 1908 | $ 511.02 | |

**LIABILITIES.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bills Payable | $ 6,500.00 | |
| Balance on hand | 2,116.29 | |
| | | $ 8,616.29 |
| Special Account held for completion of Switch Board Contract | | $ 2,735.00 |

## NEW FIRE HOUSE—East End

**January 1, 1909:**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance on hand | $ 15,225.65 | |
| Bank Interest on Balance | 245.17 | |
| | $ 15,470.82 | |
| Expenses | | $ 13,173.00 |
| Balance reserved for equipment | | 2,297.82 |
| | | $ 15,470.82 |

**REAL ESTATE AND EQUIPMENT VALUATIONS.**

| | |
|---|---|
| Headquarters Real Estate Valuation | $ 13,405.52 |
| West Second Street Real Estate Valuation | 9,550.00 |
| West Fourth Street Real Estate Valuation | 5,462.87 |
| East End, Estimated, Real Estate Valuation | 14,341.75 |
| | $ 42,760.14 |
| Equipment and Personal Property | 24,000.00 |
| Fire Alarm System—Cost of | 11,735.00 |
| | $ 78,495.14 |
| Uncollected Taxes, prior to 1908, doubtful | $ 3,853.98 |

## POOR FUND

**January 1, 1909:**
Balance on hand $ 457.50

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| From the Overseer | $ 116.15 | |
| From the County Collector | 25.00 | |
| Check not used | 30.00 | |
| Martin Act Taxes | 141.57 | |
| Taxses collected prior to 1908 | 4.40 | |
| Taxes collected for 1908 | $1,360.99 | |
| Contingent fund, 1908 | 121.40 | |
| | | 1,482.39 |
| Taxes collected, 1909 | | 6,676.46 |
| Borrowed from General Fund | | 3,500.00 |
| Bills Payable | | 1,500.00 |
| | | $13,933.47 |

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

**Industrial Home.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Salary of Superintendent and Matron | $ 484.98 | |
| Food and Provisions | 1,232.76 | |
| City Water | 27.00 | |
| Fuel | 445.78 | |
| Clothing | 46.78 | |
| Repairs | 268.94 | |
| Services | 339.60 | |
| Barber | 60.20 | |
| Utensils and Supplies | 208.83 | |
| Expenses of Superintendent | 1.69 | |
| Burials | 30.00 | |
| | | $ 3,137.56 |

**Outside Poor.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Food and Provisions | $ 461.12 | |
| Fuel | 33.50 | |
| Rents | 521.00 | |
| Board and Care | 440.66 | |
| Burials | 65.00 | |
| Insanes | 149.00 | |
| Transportation | 80.11 | |
| Services | 18.90 | |
| Miscellaneous Expenses | 7.50 | |
| | | 1,776.79 |
| Salary of the Overseer | | 800.00 |
| Salary City Physician | | 400.00 |
| Farming Utensils | | 455.76 |
| Telephone Service | | 27.25 |
| Interest on Bills Payable | | 145.40 |
| Stationery and Stamps | | 7.74 |
| Muhlenberg Hospital, care indigent patients | | 1,500.00 |
| Repayment of amount borrowed from General Fund | | 3,500.00 |
| Bills Payable | | 2,000.00 |
| Balance on hand | | 182.97 |
| | | $ 13,933.47 |

## POOR FUND—Summary

**ASSETS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | $ 182.97 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, 1909 | 1,588.19 | |
| | $ 1,771.16 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, prior to 1908 | $ 511.02 | |

**LIABILITIES.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bills Payable | $ 1,500.00 | |
| Balance | 271.16 | |
| | | $ 1,771.16 |

## LIBRARY FUND

**January 1, 1909:**
Balance on hand $ 6,575.97

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Taxes, prior to 1908 | $ 2.03 | |
| Taxes, year 1908 | 1,296.17 | |
| Contingent Fund, 1908 | 115.63 | |
| Taxes, year 1909 | 6,199.57 | |
| Division Martin Act Taxes | 73.42 | |
| Bank Interest | 106.41 | |
| Treasurer of Library | 197.77 | |
| | $ 14,567.97 | |

**DISGURSEMENTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Expenses | $ 6,836.21 | |
| Balance, Dec. 31, 1909 | 7,731.76 | |
| | | $ 14,567.97 |

## LIBRARY FUND—Summary

**ASSETS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand | $ 7,731.76 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, 1909 | 1,474.75 | |
| | $ 9,206.51 | |
| Uncollected Taxes, prior to 1908 | $ 451.27 | |

**LIABILITIES.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance, Dec. 31, 1909 | $ 9,206.51 | |
| | | $ 9,206.51 |

## SEWER INSEREST and BOND ACCOUNT

**January 1, 1909:**
Balance on hand $ 9,210.24

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Taxes Collected, Sewer bonds, prior to 1908 | $ 3.81 | | |
| Taxes for year 1908 $1,038.14 | | | |
| Contingent Fund, 1908 91.20 | 1,129.34 | | |
| Taxes for year 1909 | 4,168.80 | | |
| | | 5,302.15 | |
| Martin Act Taxes | | 26.61 | |
| Taxes Collected Sewer interest, prior to 1908 | 4.89 | | |
| Taxes for year 1908 $1,814.99 | | | |
| Contingent Fund, 1908 141.53 | 1,956.52 | | |
| Taxes year 1909 | 9,557.80 | | |
| | | 11,519.21 | |
| Martin Act Taxes | | 35.33 | |
| Bank Interest | | 158.69 | |
| Accrued Interest on Bonds | | 200.66 | |
| Premium on Bonds | | 14.95 | |
| | | $ 27,067.86 | |

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bonds paid, Nos. 49, 50, 51, 52 | $ 4,000.00 | |
| Bonds paid, Nos. 3 and 4 | 2,000.00 | |
| Interest Paid: | | |
| Coupons on 4%, $41,000 bons | $ 1,640.00 | |
| Coupons on 4½%, $66,000 bonds | 2,880.00 | |
| Coupons on 4%, $76,000 bonds | 3,040.00 | |
| | $ 7,560.00 | |
| Interest on Notes | 2,785.00 | |
| | | 11,345.00 |
| Balance on hand | | 9,722.86 |
| | | $ 27,067.86 |

## SEWER EXTENSION and SOUTH SIDE SEWERS

**January 1, 1909:**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance on hand— | | |
| Sewer Extension | $ 1,631.04 | |
| South Side Sewer | 312.81 | |

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| South Side Sewer, "City" | $ 4.60 | |
| Sewer Extension, Callahan | 70.00 | |
| Assessments Collected | 17,830.75 | |
| Proceeds of Bond Issue | 43,000.00 | |
| | | $ 62,849.20 |

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| South Side Sewer | $ 317.41 | |
| Sewer Extension | 1,830.43 | |
| Bills Payable: | | |
| South Side Sewer | $ 43,500.00 | |
| Sewer Extension | 17,200.00 | |
| | | 60,700.00 |
| Balance on hand, Sewer Extension | | 201.30 |
| | | $ 62,849.20 |

## SUMMARY

**ASSETS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Cash on hand: | | |
| Sewer Bond and Interest Account | $ 9,722.86 | |
| Sewer Extension | 201.30 | |
| Sewer Plant, as carried on books | 286,540.20 | |
| Sewer Extension | 26,317.31 | |
| Uncollected Taxes: | | |
| Sewer Bonds, 1909 | 1,134.42 | |
| Sewer Interest | 2,268.85 | |
| Uncollected Sewer Assessment | 14,412.16 | |
| | | $340,597.10 |
| Uncollected Taxes, prior to 1908: | | |
| Sewer Bonds | $ 286.04 | |
| Sewer Interest | 389.05 | |
| | | $340,597.10 |

**LIABILITIES.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bonds Outstanding: | | |
| First Issue | $ 72,000.00 | |
| Second Issue | 41,000.00 | |
| Third Issue | 64,000.00 | |
| Fourth Issue | 43,000.00 | |
| | | $220,000.00 |
| Bills Payable, Sewer Extension | | 15,000.00 |
| To be paid by assessment now due | | |
| Balance created—Bonds paid | $ 56,000.00 | |
| Balance | 49,597.10 | |
| | | $340,597.10 |

## STREET IMPROVEMENT—Brick Pavement

**January 1, 1909:**
Balance on hand $ 2,999.99

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| New York Telephone Co. | $ 11.07 | |
| Plainfield-Union Water Co. | 41.81 | |
| Bank Interest on balance | 51.77 | |
| | $ 3,104.64 | |
| Assessment Collected on account of Bonds | | $ 1,025.37 |
| Bonds Outstanding | | 31,000.00 |

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Contract | $ 247.04 | |
| Meeker Contract | 922.04 | |
| | | $ 1,169.08 |
| Balance on hand | | 1,935.56 |
| | | $ 3,104.64 |

## STREET MACADAMIZING

**January 1, 1909:**
Balance on hand $ 8,202.97

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Issue of Bonds, due 1912 | $ 11,000.00 | |
| Bank Interest on Balance | 114.73 | |
| Assessments Collected | 11,604.13 | |
| | $ 30,921.83 | |

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bonds Paid: | | |
| Due 1909 | $ 3,000.00 | |
| Due 1910 | 10,000.00 | |
| Due 1911 | 4,000.00 | |
| Due 1912 | 2,000.00 | |
| | | $ 19,000.00 |
| Cost of Work, Balance 1908 | | 1,187.00 |
| Cost of Work, 1909 | | 7,342.81 |
| Balance on hand: | | |
| Year 1908 | | 1,904.83 |
| Year 1909 | | 1,487.19 |
| | | $ 30,921.83 |
| Bonds Outstanding, Due 1911 | | $ 10,000.00 |
| Bonds Outstanding, Due 1912 | | 9,000.00 |
| Total against uncollected Assessments | | $ 19,000.00 |

## MARTIN ACT TAXES

**January 1, 1909:**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Balance on hand— | | |
| Year 1900 | $ 959.77 | |
| Year 1901 | 87.21 | |
| Year 1902 | 34.62 | |
| Year 1903 | 35.76 | |
| Year 1904 | 46.18 | |
| Year 1905 | 122.99 | |
| | | $ 1,228.53 |
| Balance, Trust Fund | | $ 1,382.04 |

**RECEIPTS.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Sale 1900 | $ 2,461.20 | |
| Sale 1901 | 95.58 | |
| Sale 1902 | 90.09 | |
| Sale 1903 | 98.50 | |
| Sale 1904 | 89.61 | |
| Sale 1905 | 89.77 | |
| | | $ 2,914.75 |
| | | $ 5,525.40 |

**DISTRIBUTION.**

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Year 1900 | $ 3,422.07 | |
| Year 1901 | 142.79 | |
| Year 1902 | 115.21 | |
| Year 1903 | 129.76 | |
| Year 1904 | 135.79 | |
| Year 1905 | 296.74 | |
| | | $ 4,142.36 |
| Balance, Trust Fund Account | | 1,382.04 |
| | | $ 5,525.40 |

## BONDS OUTSTANDING and FLOATING DEBT

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| First Issue of Bonds, Sewers | | $124,000.00 | |
| Amount Retired | | 52,000.00 | |
| | | | $ 72,000.00 |
| Second Issue of bonds, Sewers | | | 41,000.00 |
| Third Issue of Bonds, Sewers | | 68,000.00 | |
| Amount Retired, Sewers | | 4,000.00 | |
| | | | 64,000.00 |
| Fourth Issue of Bonds, Sewers | | | 43,000.00 |
| Brick Pavement Bonds | | | $ 31,000.00 |
| Total Outstanding Sewer Bonds | | | $220,000.00 |
| Street Macadamizing Bonds Issued | | $ 90,000.00 | |
| Amount Retired | | 21,000.00 | |
| | | | $ 19,000.00 |
| High School Bonds | | 123,000.00 | |
| High School Furnishing Bonds | $13,000.00 | | |
| Amount Retired | 2,000.00 | | |
| | | 11,000.00 | |
| Darrow Avenue School Bonds | $95,000.00 | | |
| Darrow Avenue School Furnishing | 10,000.00 | | |
| | | 105,000.00 | |
| Darrow Avenue School Bonds | | 45,000.00 | |
| Total School Bonds | | 284,000.00 | |
| Police Headquarters Bonds | | 25,500.00 | |
| Amount Retired | | 500.00 | 25,000.00 |
| East End Fire House Bonds | | | 15,000.00 |
| | | | $594,000.00 |

**FLOATING DEBT.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Fire Department against uncollected taxes | | $ 6,500.00 | |
| Poor Department against uncollected taxes | | 1,500.00 | |
| Sewers | $ 75,200.00 | | |
| Amount Retired | 60,200.00 | | |
| | | $ 15,000.00 | |
| | | | $ 23,000.00 |
| | | | $617,000.00 |
| Less Sinking Fund on hand | | | $ 7,736.80 |

## BOND TABLE

| Year due. | Sewer. | High School | Police Headquarters. | Brick Pavement. | Amount due Annually to be raised by Tax |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 1910 | $2,000 | $1,000 | $1,000 | .... | $4,000 |
| 1911 | 6,000 | 1,000 | 1,000 | .... | 8,000 |
| 1912 | 6,000 | 4,000 | 1,000 | $1,000 | 12,000 |
| 1913 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,000 | 2,000 | 15,000 |
| 1914 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,000 | 2,000 | 15,000 |
| 1915 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,000 | 2,000 | 15,000 |
| 1916 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,000 | 2,000 | 15,000 |
| 1917 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | 2,000 | 15,500 |
| 1918 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | 2,000 | 15,500 |
| 1919 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | 3,000 | 16,500 |
| 1920 | 6,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | 3,000 | 16,500 |
| 1921 | 6,000 | 5,000 | 1,500 | 3,000 | 15,500 |
| 1922 | 6,000 | 5,000 | 1,500 | 3,000 | 15,500 |
| 1923 | 6,000 | 11,000 | 1,500 | 3,000 | 21,500 |
| 1924 | 7,000 | 7,000 | 1,500 | 3,000 | 18,500 |
| 1925 | 7,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | .... | 14,500 |
| 1926 | 7,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | .... | 14,500 |
| 1927 | 7,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | .... | 14,500 |
| 1928 | 7,000 | 6,000 | 1,500 | .... | 14,500 |
| 1929 | 7,000 | 6,000 | .... | .... | 13,000 |
| 1930 | 7,000 | 6,000 | .... | .... | 13,000 |
| 1931 | 7,000 | 6,000 | .... | .... | 13,000 |
| 1932 | 7,000 | 6,000 | .... | .... | 13,000 |
| 1933 | 7,000 | 4,000 | .... | .... | 11,000 |
| 1934 | 7,000 | .... | .... | .... | 7,000 |
| 1935 | 8,000 | .... | .... | .... | 8,000 |
| 1936 | 8,000 | .... | .... | .... | 8,000 |
| 1937 | 8,000 | .... | .... | .... | 8,000 |
| 1938 | 8,000 | .... | .... | .... | 8,000 |
| 1939 | 8,000 | .... | .... | .... | 8,000 |
| 1940 | 8,000 | .... | .... | .... | 8,000 |
| 1941 | 8,000 | .... | .... | .... | 8,000 |
| 1942 | 7

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## PHTHISIS SOCIETY MEETS

### White Plague Organization Changes Title to Anti-Tuberculosis League.

FIFTEEN TRUSTEES CHOSEN.

First Year's Receipts $4,387.72—To File Articles of Incorporation—Reports Presented.

Articles of incorporation and a new constitution and bylaws were approved, trustees were chosen and a new name was adopted by the Plainfield Society for the Prevention and Relief of Tuberculosis, held in Grace church parish house, last night. There were about fifty members of the society present. Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, president, was in the chair.

The new name adopted is "Anti-Tuberculosis League of Plainfield and North Plainfield," and the articles of incorporation and constitution were drafted to conform to the State laws. As soon as the articles of incorporation are filed, officers will be elected and committees appointed.

The fifteen trustees chosen last night are Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, Dr. William H. Murray, William S. Tyler, Leighton Calkins, Dr. B. Van D. Hedges, Dr. Frederick Hughes, Miss Georgianna Smith, Miss Mabelle C. Phillips, Dr. F. E. DeBuois, William Dutche, E. C. Pearson, Edward P. Feickert, Hugh F. Fox, James P. Murray and George M. Holstein.

The report of the treasurer showed the receipts for the past year to be $4,387.72 and the disbursements, $4,014.07, which, of course, included the building the sanitorium. With what has been promised and is considered good, there will be a balance of about $650. The running expenses of the society, including the sanitorium, averages $300 a month. It is necessary to employ two nurses, a cook and an orderly at the sanitorium. While the hospital has general supervision of the tuberculosis work at the sanitorium, the society stands the expense.

The treasurer's report was read by Mr. Feickert, who also presented a statement for the finance committee, of which he is the chairman. The statement practically covered the same points as the treasurer's report.

It was reported that there are seven patients at the sanitorium, all improving. The average gain per patient to date is seven pounds, or an aggregate of about forty-nine pounds. It was also stated that the present membership of the society is 480 and there is an urgent need of additional members to help carry on this work. Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Murray are at the head of the membership committee, and they reported twenty new members last night.

Miss Mabelle C. Phillips reported for the publicity committee in which she thanked the local newspapers for their hearty co-operation during the past year in advancing the interests of the society and its work.

William Dutcher, who had charge of the sale of Red Cross stamps, reported net receipts of about $220 from the recent sale here, while $100 was reported as profits from the morning song recital at the home of Mrs. Clifton Wharton, Jr., on Wednesday.

Dr. W. H. Murray, who has charge of the admission of patients to the sanitorium, and Dr. Frederic Hughes, who is in charge of the patients, each submitted interesting reports.

### BOROUGH'S FIREMEN FIGHT FOR DELEGATE.

Owing to the large number of members of the North Plainfield Firemen's Relief Association, who are out for the election of representative to the annual State convention at Trenton next fall, the borough association at its annual meeting last night decided to lay this matter over for decision until a future meeting. In the meantime it is anticipated that there will be a lot of wire pulling for votes. The officials elected last night follow:

President, William McCullough; vice-president, David C. Allen; secretary, David Bodine; treasurer and collector, W. W. Rowley; trustees, J. J. Sahl, L. J. Feiring, Percy Culver; board of visitors, J. Walker, Walter Chandler, William Daley.

### Warrenville "Mayor" Blows.

"Mayor" John Cooper, of Warrenville, paid a visit to the North Plainfield Township Committee while in session yesterday afternoon. Mr. Cooper extended New Year's gettings to all and presented the committee a box of cigars.

—Reserve your seats for the McIntyre concert of Old Favorite Songs, January 27. Tickets at Armstrong's; $1.00. *** 1 13 3

## "BOB" ROGERS' PITCHING ARM STRONG AS EVER

Ball players of a dozen years ago remember "Bob" Rogers as the crack twirler of the Berkeley Heights ball team. Well, Bob, like the mountains, is growing older every day, but a report from Washington Valley way, indicates that his cunning arm is just as cunning and as strong as ever.

"Bob," according to his brother, "Dick," who used to be the receiving end of the Roger Bros. battery, in those days, will don the spangles again next season.

"He has passed the forty year mark and is the pop of five children, some of whom play ball too, but he is as spry as ever," declared Bob to a Daily Press reporter yesterday.

This dope appears to be correct as on last Labor Day "Bob" did the iron man stunt by pitching the Berkeley Heights team to victory in two contests.

## CENTRAL LODGE, A.O.U.W. TWENTY YEARS OLD

Central Lodge, No. 48, A. O. U. W., observed its twentieth anniversary, last night, having as its guests a large representation from Columbia Lodge, No. 58, of this city, and Bayonne Lodge, No. 9. In a historical address given by Judge William Newcorn evidence was presented that the lodge is in a flourishing condition.

Instituted on December 26, 1889, with 48 charter members, the enrollment has reached the 163 mark and one application for membership was voted on favorably last night. During its existence the lodge has lost thirty-two members by death and has paid $52,000 in benefits, which is almost as much as paid in the beneficiary fund, which was $61,133.99. Judge Newcorn's address was highly interesting, as well as a second speech during the celebration when he presented to Andrew J. Stiglitz, the retiring Master Workman, an emblematic jewel of the order. The gift was made by the lodge in appreciation of Mr. Stiglitz's conscientious labors during his term of office.

Past Grand Master Workman Julius H. Wolff and staff, of Newark, were present, and they installed the following officers in an efficient manner: Past Master Workman, A. J. Stiglitz; master workman, Fred Bock; foreman, Louis Alpaugh; overseed, Isaac E. Houston; guide, Henry C. Vogel; recorder, Harvey R. Thorn; financier, Judge William Newcorn; receiver, Charles H. Randolph; inside watchman, Walter Bradford; outside watchman, Edward M. Mosher; trustee, Walter Bradford; representatives to grand lodge, A. J. Stiglitz, William Newcorn; alternates, Walter Bradford, Theodore J. Mason; organist, Theodore J. Mason.

Interesting addresses were given by local and visiting brethren after which a collation was served under the supervision of the entertainment committee, which consists of Lorenzo J. Spicer, Harvey R. Thorn and Theodore J. Mason.

### DR. CARROLL TOASTMASTER FOR METHODIST BANQUET.

The committee appointed by Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, district superintendent of the Elizabeth District, Newark conference, has decided to hold a banquet in Vincent chapel, of the First M. E. church, on Thursday night, January 27, at 7:30 o'clock.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, of the borough, will be the toastmaster. Short addresses will be made by representatives from the local M. E. churches. The committee in charge comprises Maurice E. McGrath, William J. Conroy, C. K. Beekman, Samuel Bingaman and Nelson A. Miller, representing the First M. E., Grace and Monroe Avenue M. E. churches.

### Badly Hurt in Fall.

Harry Smith, of Providence, R. I., a carpenter, was seriously injured yesterday afternoon as a result of a fall from the second story of a new house in the Highland section of Westfield. A scaffold on which he was standing gave away. Smith's leg was broken. He was sent to the Elizabeth General Hospital.

### Police Stop Coasters.

Chief Weiss, yesterday afternoon, issued orders that boys should cease coasting on Iterhaven avenue, which is a continuation of Johnson's Drive, west of Somerset street. The hill is considered dangerous for the sport. Several narrow escapes were recorded during the past few weeks.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## CONSENT OF TOWNSHIP

### Borough Given Permission to Locate Sewage Plant at Greenbrook.

OBSTACLES ARE NOW REMOVED.

Petitions for Special Election Now Being Prepared—Mayor N. B. Smalley Is Elated.

Another step was taken toward the consummation of the plans of the Borough Council to build a sewerage system yesterday afternoon, when the North Plainfield Township Committee and Board of Health, at a meeting at Watchung voted unanimously to give permission to establish a disposal plant on the Zvolnack farm, which is situated in the western end of the township, adjoining Bridgewater Township.

Minor changes in the wording of the resolution of the township lengthened the session to nearly four hours. No opposition developed and every incident of the proceedings indicated that the township and borough authorities are united in the belief that a sewerage system is essential to both municipalities.

The resolution of the township giving the required permission to the borough stipulates, however, that the borough shall give the township first preference over other municipalities on the matter of surplus in capacity. This indicates that the township may in the future decide to connect with the system.

Mayor N. B. Smalley, who was present, assured the committeemen that the township would receive first call and be treated fairly in the matter. William J. Buttfield, chairman of the sewer commission, also declared that the township would be looked after.

Judge W. R. Codington, counsel for the township, and Mayor William A. Sanford, of Dunellen, were also in attendance.

After the meeting Mayor Smalley was highly elated over the progress made. Petitions are being prepared for circulation among property owners which will be ready to distribute for signatures in a week. Soon as signers representing fifty per cent. of the assessed valuation of property in the borough is secured, the necessary steps will be taken for holding a special election.

## CONSIDERING LOCATION FOR CHURCH EDIFICE

The Consistory of Trinity Reformed church held its monthly meeting last night at the home of Robert Clark, Jr., on Jackson avenue. There was an informal discussion of a proposed site for a new church, but it was decided not to make public the exact location of the tract being considered.

Rev. John Y. Broek, the pastor, who presided at the meeting, appointed a committee comprising Robert Clark, Jr., M. F. Gano, Haroce J. Martin, Sr., Charles M. Dolliver and John Y. Broek as a committee to investigate the proposition and report at he next meeting of the Consistory in February.

The site in view is not included among those proposed at a previous meeting called for the purpose of considering the project, but in the opinion of those present last night is well worth looking into, although no definite plans for building a new edifice have been decided upon. The other business of the evening was of a routine nature.

After the meeting Mrs. Clark served the Consistory with a fine lunch, which was thoroughly enjoyed and appreciatel. Mrs. Clark received the hearty thanks of the guests for her courtesy and hospitality.

### THE WEATHER.

Rain or snow tonight and Saturday; brisk and high east, shifting to north, winds.
Max., 36; Min., 25.

### Convict Attempts Suicide.

Alexander Meier, an educated young German, serving seven years in State prison at Trenton for burglary, yesterday attempted suicide by hanging himself. He was discovered by a keeper and cut down in time to save his life. Meier left a letter saying that he feared he was contracting tuberculosis. He also asserted that he was innocent of the crime for which he was serving the term.

### Junior Rally at Summit.

The Union County Association of the Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold a rally at Summit on Thursday night, January 20, and a large delegation will attend from this city.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## NARROW ESCAPE OF SIX MOUNTAIN COASTERS

Five boys had a narrow escape from instant death last night while coasting down Smalley's hill at about 9 o'clock, and it was only a providential act that saved the coasters. William Townley is the lad credited with having been the means, and although nursing a bruised limb he is none the worse for the experience this morning.

The boys were coasting on a bob sled and when going at a high rate of speed, "Hub' Reynolds, the steersman, lost control of the steering sled. They were headed for a thirty-foot drop into the brook or into the side of the iron bridge, when Reynolds lost control. Just at the instant that the boys were about to be plunged into the icy water or against the sides of the bridge Townley fell off and the rear end of the bob passed over his leg upsetting all five.

To Townley's fall is due the safety of the bunch. As he fell the overturning upset the bob and all fell off into the snow. Those in the mishap besides Townley and Reynolds were Charles Wendell, Clifford Coles, Frank Hart and Clarence Smalley.

## CARELESS HOUSEHOLDERS CAUSE FLOOD AT FARM

The daily increase of about 500,000 gallons of water at the city sewage farm led Street Commissioner Andrew J. Gavett to make an investigation yesterday. Ordinarily the beds take care of about 1,600,000 gallons of liquid every day and the extra amount, while it has not caused any trouble, taxes the system to almost the limit.

Mr. Gavett at first thought that there might be a leak in the system somewhere, but when he sought information at the office of the local water company he learned that the increase was due to householders permitting their taps to run during the cold weather. William J. Whelan, who is in charge of the water company's affairs here, told Mr. Gavett that the company is now pumping more water than ever, while a great amount goes to waste in the manner stated. If the practice is continued it might lead to troublesome consequences at the sewage farm.

### Ice Cutters Hurt.

Two ice cutters working on the Watchung pond yesterday afternoon were injured. Frank Moore had a foot badly crushed between two huge cakes of ice, weighing three hundred pounds each; George Burnett fell, striking his hand on the blade of an ice saw, inflicting a deep gash. Both men are residents of Watchung.

William Warrick, the head waiter at the Iroquois, has taken his usual pilgrimage to Palm Beach, Fla. He left on the 7:30 train this morning.

J. W. Downey, of Rochester, N. Y., was a guest of friends in town yesterday. Mr. Downey represents one of the largest business houses in Rochester and has a host of friends here.

### Tinners' Union Banquet.

The Tinners' Union enjoyed a banquet at the Waldorf last night, at which twenty-three members were present. The feast was one of the best that Host Windham has provided and the speeches after the cigars indicated a warm appreciation of the good things set before the guests.

### Entertainment Postponed.

Owing to the storm the entertainment which was to have been held tonight at the home of A. C. LaBoyteaux, on Fairview avenue, by the Brightside Circle of The King's Daughters, has been postponed to next week. The date will be announced later.

### Tax Board Hears Appeals.

The Union County Board for the Equalization of Taxes was in session at the Courthouse at Elizabeth yesterday for the purpose of hearing appeals from Elizabeth. There were about a dozen requests for lower assessments, all of them being for trifling sums.

### At Rescue Mission.

The revival service at the Plainfield Rescue Mission was largely attended last night. Evangelist Morrison gave a helpful talk. Charles H. Lewis, baritone, sang two solos. Mr. Morrison will speak again tonight and everybody is welcome.

### Bishop's Uncle Dead.

Charles Henry Spellmeyer, uncle of Bishop Henry Spellmeyer, of Cincinnati, is dead at his home at East Orange. He had suffered from injuries received in a fall from a train just a year ago. He was sixty-eight years old.

## A MINIATURE BLIZZARD

### If Four Weeks of Sleighing are Not Enough, There are Promises of More.

TRAFFIC CONDITIONS FAIR.

Some Trolley Lines Are Running Near the Schedule.—No Indications of Let Up.

Hats off to King Snow, he is again in our midst, and he is undisputed monarch of the situation. The merry jingle of sleigh bells have penetrated the air for four weeks, and the indications are that their joyous sounds will continue for an additional four weeks.

The storm made its advent last night about 10 o'clock, with a powdery mist and the snow flakes are still falling, and up to time of going to press, there are no signs of cessation. The busines section of town was deserted during the morning hours, and it is evident that nobody is venturing out of doors, unless it is absolutely necessary.

Commuters encountered the customary obstacles, but on the whole the conditions are 1,000 per cent. better than those that followed in the aftermath of the Chrismas Day storm. The trolley car system had its troubles until about 9 o'clock. At 10 o'clock the main line cars, and the cars on the local branches were operating at intervals. Of course, there was a little delay at times, but everybody expeced that.

Cars failed to run on the Somerset and Fourth street lines on schedule time until noon. The snow ploughs of the company were at work all night and during the early hours of the morning, and it is due to their activity that citizens are getting some service. The main line cars are only five minutes behind time, and unless blizzardic conditions ensue no great amount of trouble in traveling is anticipated.

The storm failed to feaze the Jersey Central and all of the eastgoing and westward bound trains are on time. In some instances trains from the west are a few minutes late, but on the whole, the conditions are considered fair.

Part of the delay on the main line of the trolley system was due to a broken wire at Westfield. This occurred at 3 o'clock this morning and was discovered an hour later by the "trouble hunter." Of course those pedestrians who sought the cleared trolley tracks were not at all annoyed when they were ordered off by the motormen, who were trying to get their cars through.

## CITY GIRLS DEFEAT BOROUGH GIRLS FIVE

The Plainfield High School girls' basketball team defeated the N. P. H. S. girls' five in Debele Hall, yesterday afternoon, by the score of 14 to 13. In the first half the score stood 6 to 4 in favor of Plainfield. In the second half the borough team led up to the last three minutes with a score of 13 to 10. Then Miss Stuart got busy and made a pretty field goal and Miss Merrill followed with two foul goals, winning the game.

Miss George put up the best game for N. P. H. S., seconded by Miss Conroy. Miss Jessie Stuart and Miss Dorothy Merrill distinguished themselves for the city team. The lineup:

P. H. S.—Forwards, Jessie Stuart, Katherine Sminck; centre, Dorothy Merrill; guards, Ruth Wean, Helen Woolley.

N. P. H. S.—Forwards, Bessie Conroy, Helen Hummel; centre, Marjorie Hart; guards, Clara Smith, Helen George and Henrietta Winn.

Goals—Miss Merrill, one field and four foul; Miss Stuart, two field and two foul; Miss Sminck, one field; Miss Conroy, one field and one foul; Miss Hummel, one foul; Helen George, three field and three foul. Time of halves, fifteen minutes; umpire, Miss Day.

### Will Institute Senior Council.

Forty-four men have signed the charter list for membership in the new Senior O. U. A. M. Council to be organized here. A meeting will be held next Wednesday night at the home of Charles Kiederling and the institution will take place on Wednesday night, January 26, when it is expected that at least one hundred visitors will be present, including the national councilor and his staff. A banquet will be served after the institution.

### Township Buys Safe.

The North Plainfield Township Committee at its meeting yesterday voted to purchase a safe to be used in storing township books and records.

## MISS ISABEL ARNOLD GIVES TALK ON BOOKS

Miss Isabel Arnold, of the Seminary, delivered an interesting address on books before about twenty-five members of the Young Women's Christian Association in the association auditorium last night. Miss Arnold diivded her subject into four divisions—history, reading for amusement, science and biography. The speech was received with profound attention and Miss Arnold was heartily applauded at its conclusion.

The annual meeting of the association will take place next Monday night. James R. Joy will make an address as will also Mrs. Stephen Baker, a member of the National Board. Reports from the various committees will be read and exhibits of the industrial work of the association will be given. These exhibits include dressmaking, millinery, embroidery and stencilling. The meeting will be open to all women and will be presided over by Mrs. Frederick G. Mead.

## SONG RECITAL GIVEN BY MEN'S CLUB FINE

The recital given at the First Presbyterian church, last night, under the auspices of the Men's Club, was an enjoyable affair, although the patronage was not as large as expected. It was arranged by Clifford A. Braider, organist of the church, and the program was an excellent one. The artists were Miss Edith Cecelia Rubel, violinist; Miss Jessamine Burd, contralto; Miss Leah A. Coleman, dramatic reader, with Miss Jessie Utter at the piano.

The selections and the work of Miss Rubel showed conclusively that she has exceptional talent and she was given a cordial reception, being obliged to respond to encores. Her first number was "Fluer de Lis," by Venth, and she gave a popular number for an encore. Later she played "Gypsy Airs," by Sarasate, a descriptive piece, depicting the wandering life of a Gypsy violinist separated from his comrades, his longing for home and friends and finally his meeting his companions and the Gypsy dance. This was an especially noteworthy rendition.

Miss Rubel's concluding numbers were a, "Abend-lied," Schumann; b, "The Swan," Saint-Saens, and c, "2d Mazourka," Wieniawski, and in all three she displayed her ability. She has a grace of manner and method distinctly her own, which captivates her hearers.

Miss Burd was down for two numbers, "Mon coeur s'ouvre a ta voix," from "Samson et Delila," and "Lungi dal caro bene," Secchi, and she gave a popular number as an encore to her second number. Her singing was greatly enjoyed.

Miss Lean A. Coleman, dramatic reader, appeared here for the first time, and she made a favorable impression. Her first selection was "Haga," Anon, which she gave in costume, and her second selection was James Whitcomb Riley's story, "Dot leedle boy of mine," to which she gave an encore, reciting a humorous selection. The work of Miss Utter as accompanist was faultless and added to the enjoyment of the recital.

### JR. O. U. A. M. COUNCILS HOLD EUCHRE PARTY.

The first euchre party under the auspices of Franklin and Somerset Councils, Jr. O. U. A. M., was held last night, and attracted a large number of members. There were five tables and the play was spirited. The euchre tournament will continue until April 1, when suitable awards will be made to the winners. During the meeting of Franklin Council, two propositions were reecived and acted upon favorably.

Next Thursday night the council will initiate five candidates, and the work will be done by the initiatory team in its handsome new robes which arrived a few days ago. The good and welfare committee will provide entertainment afterwards.

### Senator Going to Washington.

State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman will go to Washington on Monday, as one of the New Jersey delegates, named by Governor Fort, attending the National Conference on Uniform Laws, and in consequence he will not be in his seat that evening when the Legislature meets for the second time this year.

### Dr. Wooley Pathologist.

Dr. J. S. Wooley, of East Front street, was appointed assistant pathologist at Muhlenberg Hospital by the Board of Governors of that institution at the meeting on Monday night.

—Special Saturday, pound box Ritz chocolates and Langtry bonbons, 30c. ***

## CAMP BAGLEY'S DINNER

### Spanish-War Veterans Have a Merry Time at Hotel Iroquois.

ITS FIRST ANNUAL AFFAIR.

Commander William R. Townsend Acts As Toastmaster—The Menu Was Exceptionally Good.

Camp Bagley, No. 21, Spanish-American War Veterans, held its first banquet at the Iroquois Hotel last night and the indications are that it will not be the last. Guests from the Civil War organization, the G. A. R., and members of it entertained the younger veterans with reminiscences of the days when the country was in peril. The banquet provided by Ten. Overbaugh was everything that could be desired and in fact was a splendid spread.

William R. Townsend was toastmaster and put the subjects to the speakers in such a happy vein that everyone was in the finest of humor when the first speaker was introduced. Captains William Hand and William Smith, Chief T. O. Doane, Henry Drake, Captain S. E. Peck and Doctor H. D. Corbusier were among the speakers and delighted the men and their guests with their series of experiences in different parts of the world.

Camp Bagley has started off with a vim which means a splendid organization and the members are looking forward with pleasurable anticipation to the future.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the banquet was composed of William R. Townsend, Daniel J. Shea, D. Dugan, Fred J. Frey and M. D. O'Keeffe. The entertainment committee was D. J. Shea, Dennis Dugan and Fred J. Frey; reception committee, D. Dugan, M. D. O'Keeffe, F. J. Frey and E. J. Richards.

The officers of the camp are: William R. Townsend, commander; Dr. H. D. Corbusier, senior vice commander; M. D. O'Keeffe, junior vice commander; D. J. Shea, adjutant; J. D. McNab, quartermaster; Fred J. Frey, officer of the day; G. R. Laird, officer of the guard. The following are the trustees: Irving Weaver, E. J. Richards and Dennis Dugan.

Absolutely nothing was left undone by Mr. Leary and Chef Overbaugh which would in any way conduce to the comfort of the diners and many words of approval were heard before the speaking was concluded, and the service of practical waiters was enjoyed.

After the feast a flash-light photograph was taken of the gathering and after the smoke had dissipated (which, by the way, was the only dissipation noticed) all hands enjoyed to the utmost the remarkable stories of the men who have had the experiences of actual warfare.

### FAREWELL RECEPTION FOR HENRY P. PUGH.

Henry P. Pugh, former janitor of the Irving School, was given a surprise party and farewell reception, Wednesday evening, on the eve of his departure for Florida, where he will go into the fruit raising business. The evening was spent playing cards and various other games and refreshments were served at midnight.

The committee in charge comprised Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, Mrs. Benjamin Evans and Mrs. Harry Fraleigh. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mowen, Mr. and Mrs. James Voorhees, Mr. and Mrs. Philip J. Kirch, Mr. and Mrs. Norman H. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. John Spratt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herring, Mr. and Mrs. William Housman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brown. Mr. Pugh will leave tomorrow for Florida.

### P. H. S. Defeated at Hockey.

The P. H. S. hockey team was defeated by the South Plainfield team, yesterday afternoon, by a score of 3 to 2. The local team was crippled by only having five men to South Plainfield's seven. The lineup: P. H. S.—Church, Sharkey, J. Ricketts, G. Bristol, Sharpe. South Plainfield—McDonough, Geary, Nelson, Harris, May, Sofield, Randolph.

### Time Clock Inventor Dead.

James Sargent, inventor of the time clock and president of the Sargent & Greenleaf Company, is dead at Rochester, N. Y., at 85. Sargent was the inventor of many other clocks, the Sargent automatic railway signal, and a glass enameled steel tank which reduced the time for making beer.

### Fourteen Inch Ice.

Local ice dealers are rejoicing over the big ice crop which is the largest in several years. The crop which is now being harvested on Tier's pond has a measurement of fourteen inches in thickness.

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All of our BEAUTIFUL TRIMMED HATS, ranging in price from $6 to $9, for ..... $5.98

All Hats that sold up to $5.50, sale price ..... $3.98

### SALE OF LAWN WAISTS

$1.00 WAISTS FOR ..... 49c

$1.25 WAISTS FOR ..... 75c

### HOUSEFURNISHINGS

15c DUST PANS, heavy Japanned, sale price ..... .09

59c WASTE PAPER BASKETS, assorted sizes & styles, sale price ..... .33

$1.19 MRS. POTTS' SAD IRONS, nickel and japanned, sale price ..... .79

40c PRESERVING KETTLES, 10 quart size, sale price ..... .27

$1.50 ALARM MISSION CLOCKS, ornamental and useful, sale price ..... .98

### RIBBONS AND NECKWEAR

20c AND 25c RIBBONS, in a broken line of various widths, plain and fancy, sale price ..... .15

25c LADIES' EMBROIDERED LAUNDERED TURN OVER COLLARS, all sizes, sale price ..... .15

25c RUCHING, colors, white and black, sale price ..... .15

15c TO 25c LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS will be put together in one lot for this sale, your choice ..... .10

### LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

18c EMBROIDERIES on lawn, cambric and nainsook, with insertions to match, sale price ..... .10

10c LACES, cotton and linen torchon, 1½ to 3 inches wide, sale price ..... .03½

### ART GOODS AND GLOVES

50c PILLOW TOPS, Plainfield High School, Harvard and Columbia; sale price ..... .35

$1.00 LADIES' KID GLOVES, in a broken assortment of colors and designs, sale price ..... .50

$1.19 MYERS' LADIES' CREPE GLOVES, in all sizes, sale price ..... .98

25c CHILDREN'S GLOVES, knit wool, all colors, plain and fancy, sale price ..... .19

### WHITE GOODS

$1.19 PIECE OF LONG CLOTH, 36 inches wide, 12 yard piece, sale price ..... .89

12½c INDIA LINON, 40 inch, fine and sheer, sale price ..... .10

## Fourth Annual January Clearance Sale

## Great Half Price Sale of Ladies' Tailored Suits & Coats

### BUY NOW AND SAVE MONEY

20.00 Tailored Suits for - 10.00

25.00 Tailored Suits for - 12.50

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35.00 Tailored Suits for - 17.50

### Ladies' Fine Coats at HALF PRICE

$10 Tailored Coats for - - $5

$15 Tailored Coats for - $7.50

$19 Tailored Coats for - $9.98

$30 Tailored Coats for - - $15

### Misses' Coats and Tailored Suits at HALF PRICE

### SATURDAY

### 10c Specials in Our Music Dept.

Carry, Marry, Harry — Cabanola Glide
I Didn't Mean to Make You Cry
Molly Lee — Garden of Dreams
Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet
Garden of Roses — Dear, Old, Dear
There's a Big Cry Baby in the Moon
Liza — Yip-i-ad-dy-i-ay
If I Had the World to Give You
Next to Your Mother, Who Do You Love?
I Wish I Had My Old Girl Back Again
Mop Rag — Black and White Rag
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The entire DE LUXE EDITION we will sell at 4c per copy, 7 for ..... .25

### MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

$1.25 MEN'S PAJAMAS, small, medium and large, assorted styles, sale price ..... .79

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$1 GENTS' AND YOUTHS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, plain and pleated, sale price ..... .75

69c BOYS' OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS, 12, 13 and 14, sale price ..... .43

### WASH GOODS

9c EVERETT CLASSICS GINGHAMS, all the best styles, sale price ..... .06½

10c OUTING FLANNEL, in light & dark stripes and checks, sale price ..... .07

50c FINE GAUZE, two style stripes, and one style check, twelve shades, sale price ..... .25

### DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

22c BEST GRADE TABLE OIL CLOTH, in light, dark and plain white, sale price ..... .15

10c BLEACHED TOWELING, with red and blue borders, good grade, sale price ..... .07

7c HUCK TOWELS, red border, good quality, medium size, sale price ..... .04

10c CREAM SHAKER FLANNEL, good close weave, sale price ..... .07

12½c BLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS, good size, hemstitched, sale price ..... .08

$1.00 ALL LINEN TABLE DAMASK, neat designs, 72 inch; sale price ..... .79

$2.98 NAPKINS, to match the above, 22X22 in. size, sale price ..... $2.25

20c PILLOW CASES, size 45x36, made of the Rival brand cotton, sale price ..... .15

### RUGS AND DRAPERIES

$39 ROYAL WILTON, 9x12, perfect rugs, Oriental designs; tans, green and blue; ten only at this price ..... $28.98

$25 AXMINSTER RUGS, 9x12, perfect, Oriental designs; only six at this price ..... $18.98

$35 ROYAL WILTON RUGS, 8x10, tans and greens, Oriental designs; only five at this price ..... $27.49

$3.98 RUGS, Axminster and Smyrnas, size 36x72, Oriental designs, only twelve at this price ..... $2.98

12½c SIEKALINES, in a variety of figures, light and dark colors, sale price ..... .09

### NOTION SALE

15c BOX OF FINE TALCUM POWDER, sale price ..... .05

25c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes assorted odors, sale price ..... .15

25c POUND WRITING PAPER, fine cloth finish, envelopes to match, 7c; sale price ..... .15

25c LADIES' ELASTIC BELTS, metal buckles, assorted sizes and colors, sale price ..... .10

25c, 39c AND 50c HAIR ROLLS, 24 in., all colors, for ..... .19

25c TO 50c FANCY BRAIDS, assorted kinds, HALF PRICE.

## Fall and Winter Trimmed Hats

19 Hats beautifully trimmed with Ostrich Feathers, Novelty Feathers and Wings; values $12, $15 and $19, at ..... $4.98

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### WESTFIELD.

Funeral sevrcise of Joseph M. Swarthout were held Wednesday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. M. B. Dutcher, Dudley avenue. Mr. Swarthout had been a resident of the town for the past seven years, making his home with his daughter. He was in his seventy-second year and had spent his life in educational work.

Westfield Board of Health is again after the Public Service Railway Company for not keeping the cars that run through the town in a sanitary condition. The claim is made that the cars are not properly cleaned.

The choir of the Presbyterian church will give a concert tonight. An extensive program has been prepared. Mrs. Paul Scharff and A. A. Moser, violinists, with the Winona Quartet.

The High School basketball team will play the Somerville team tonight. The game promises to be a good one as the Somerville School team is a strong one.

Miss Hawkins, of the Prospect Street School, is ill and her place on the staff is being filled by Miss Lucille Johnson.

### SOMERVILLE.

The ladies of the Second Reformed church will hold their annual church supper in the chapel on Thursday evening of next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Mason have returned from Passaic, where they have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. Edward Gruehl.

Dr. and Mrs. Satterwaithe, of Altamont place, left on Tuesday for Florida, where they expect to spend three weeks.

Miss Ida Wise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wise, of High street, is ill with an attack of appendicitis.

Miss Isabel Whiteneck, of South Bridge street, is a guest of her brother, in New York.

Mrs. J. B. Barcalow, of Altamont place, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. McClure, in New York.

Mrs. James Bergen spent Wednesday in Newark.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Mayor Sanford represented the borough in an able manner at the North Plainfield Township Committee and Board of Health yesterday at Watchung, when those bodies voted unanimously to give North Plainfied borough the necessary permits to establish sewerage disposal beds on the Zvoulock farm, located in the extreme westerly end of the township. Mr. Sanford was "on the job" during the lengthy session and returned home satisfied that the Council would take up the matter when all the legal requirements are completed.

Friendship Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., installed the following officers: Councilor, Joel D. DeGroff; vice councilor, James E. Pine; conductor, Russell Garretson; warden, Herbert Dunham; inside sentinel, William H. Medick; outside sentinel, Ziba Osmun; chaplain, David Ward; treasurer, William Coriell; representative to Funeral Benefit Association, Charles Clark.

Mayor Sanford entertains the opinion that the borough fire department should be equipped with a chemical apparatus, which would cost about $1,500. Considerable money could be saved which is now expended for the maintenance of hydrants. Statistics show, according to the Mayor, that chemical apparatuses are able to cope with 80 per cent. of the fires.

Edward Herlich, one of the borough's popular young men, is receiving congratulations on his approaching marriage to Miss Grace E. Predmore, of New York. The ceremony will be solemnized in the latter city on February 2. Miss Predmore, in her frequent visits to the borough, has also made a large circle of friends.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church inaugurated a new year on Wednesday when they elected officers as follows: President, Mrs. Ziba Osmun; first vice president, Mrs. George H. Gardner; second vice president, Mrs. Nelson; secretary, Mrs. Sarah Smalley; treasurer, Miss May Tappen.

Rev. Henry N. Jordan, pastor of the New Market Baptist church, has decided not to accept the call to Leonardsville, N. Y. Members of his congregation, as well as other local churches, are gratified to learn of his decision to remain in the village.

A call has been issued for a meeting to be held next Thursday night in the borough hall to take steps necessary in organizing a board of trade.

Rev. E. O. Brown, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, delivered a gospel address at the West End Tabernacle in Plainfield last night.

Mrs. A. W. Hayes, of Westfield, addressed the Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist church on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Impshweiler, recent arrivals, are the parents of a son which was born one week ago tonight.

Miss Marguerite Coriell has returned home after a pleasant sojourn at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

Henry Case is nursing a broken wrist as the result of a recent fall on the ice.

### $300 Anonymously for Missions.

Trenton, Jan. 14.—Three $100 bills were sent through the mail Wednesday afternoon to Rev. Charles H. Elder, pastor of Trinity M. E. church, by an anonymous donor, who stipulated that the money should be devoted to foreign missions. Mr. Elder stated Wednesday night that he had not the least idea who the generous giver is. The letter enclosing the money came in the late afternoon mail. The envelope was post-marked Trenton, and the writing seemed to be in a feminine hand.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD

The annual offering for ministerial relief will be received at the Congregational church on Sunday.

At the last communion service at the First M. E. church six new members were received, one on probation and five by letter.

The Junior Mission Band of the First Baptist church will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and a full attendance is requested.

The Young People's Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will begin its study of people and their need at the meeting tonight.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss is expected to occupy his pulpit on Sunday morning and in the evening L. V. F. Randolph will give an illustrated lecture on a trip through Jerusalem.

### Williams' Circus at Proctor's.

Williams' animal circus has arrived in town and has pitched its tents at Proctor's theatre for the rest of the week, where it will amuse both young and old. The monkeys have many new tricks and stunts, the dogs are clever and the ponies will captivate the heart of every child. Ted and Kate Gibson will present a sketch of stage life, introducing songs and dances; Millard Watson gives a burlesque on the Hibson act, while the Patchin Brothers, comedy acrobats, are an up-to-date pair. The films d'art are always good.

### Arthur Jennings' Funeral.

The funeral of Arthur F. Jennings, who died on Monday, was held Wednesday afternoon at his late residence, Rockview avenue, and was largely attended. The services were conducted by the Plymouth brethren and the interment was in Hillside cemetery.

### Three Days for Kate.

Kate Carman, colored, was arrested in the borough Wednesday for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Recorder Dolliver yesterday morning sentenced Kate to serve three days in the borough lockup.

Mr. George Taylor, and her eighteen months old daughter, of Marble, Colorado, and Mrs. Frank White, of Brooklyn, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edward Vail, of Elmwood place.

# DR. HENRY VAN DYKE RECEIVES AN HONOR

Princeton, Jan. 14.—Dr. Henry van Dyke, professor of English literature in Princeton University, has been notified by the Royal Society of Literature of the United Kingdom of his election unanimously as an honorary fellow of the society. The only other American at present an honorary fellow in the society is former Ambassador Joseph Choate.

The foreign fellows elected last year were Anatole France; Bjornson, the Norwegian novelist; Nansen, the Danish explorer; Harnack, the theologian, and Paul Heyse. Dr. van Dyke returned to Princeton last fall after a year's absence on leave, during which time he delivered a series of lectures at the Sorbonne, Paris, on "The Spirit of America." These lectures have now been translated into French and are being used as textbooks in schools in France. Dr. vanDyke has been requested to write the Phi Beta Kappa poem for the Harvard commencement this June.

# ONE DOLLAR WORTH FORTY-FOUR CENTS

That the purchasing power of the dollar of today, compared with the dollar of ten years ago, is but forty-four cents, was the startling statement made by Miss Jane B. Richards, of Washington, D. C., in her talk on current topics before the Tuesday Club in the lecture room of the Church of the Redeemer in Paterson. Miss Richards is well known here, where she is delivering a similar series of talks.

The lecturer stated that, by actual statistics, the dollar had decreased in value for purchasing necessities fifty-six per cent. in the past decade, so that what could have been purchased ten years ago for forty-four cents cost a dollar today. Miss Richards further predicted a continued rise in the cost of living, which, she said, will lead to a great uprising of the poorer classes unless a remedy be found. Wages, she stated, have not gone up in proportion.

In her lecture, Miss Richards touched upon two topics of vital interest to the reading public. These were the fight in England over the tax budget of Lloyd George and the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy over the conservation of National resources in the United States. The speaker stopped first to outline the movements toward constitutional government in Turkey, Persia and China, and then sketched the naval program of Germany, which, she said, has caused all the trouble in England, since an increase of taxation is necessary there to increase the British navy that the Kaiser's navy may not exceed it in size. According to the lecturer, the English are having even greater trouble than is the United States with vested interests in the form of landholding noblemen and large brewers using their influence to avoid high tax on their product. The nobility, it was said, owns one-fifth of all the land in Great Britain and holds this practically free from taxation.

In touching upon the Ballinger-Pinchot controversy, Miss Richards seemed to favor the deposed Chief Forester, believing that the Cunningham claims were mere land-grabbing schemes. She intimated that Mr. Pinchot would have some startling disclosures to make, now that he is released from office.

Before closing her talk, Miss Richards defined the difference between suffragists and suffragettes, stating that the latter are the militant body fighting openly for the same ends as the suffragists, who are more quiet in their methods. The lecturer stated that the suffragette movement is an outgrowth of the outrageous conditions now prevailing in England, where women can get, for the same work, but one-third of the wages paid a man.

### RECEIVED SCALP WOUND BY FALL ON ICY SIDEWALK

Mrs. A. Francisco, of 135 West Second street, fell on the icy sidewalk in front of 315 East Front street Wednesday evening and received a serious scalp wound. She was attended by Dr. Gerwein and afterwards taken home.

There are several places along East Front street where the ice has not been cleared from the walks. It is dangerous to pedestrians and should be cleared. Police Chief Kiely has notified the residents along that thoroughfare to have the ice removed from the walks and note that someone has been hurt perhaps the order will be noticed.

### Special Services at First M. E.

Special services will be held at the First M. E. church, Sunday night, the topic being in harmony with the general forward Laymen's Missionary Movement. Meetings are now being held in New York city and tomorrow night there is to be a banquet at the Hotel Astor, when it is expected there will be 2,000 guests.

Mrs. W. G. Shotwell, of West End avenue, has been entertaining her sister from New York.

# Our January Clearance Sale Grows Greater as it Goes On

## Tomorrow We Bring Forward More Sale Offerings

The one dominating purpose now is to clear racks of ready-to-wear garments and counters, shelves and stock rooms of Winter Goods. Clearance and price-cutting here go hand in hand. To move out goods we mark down prices. And as they must go quickly we cut costs deeply. The clearance shall be speedy and complete.

Values veer to heretofore unreached heights as prices reach heretofore unrecorded low levels. Daily is demonstrated in new offerings the clear fact that this event is our greatest value-giving effort.

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard .....15c

**Kid Gloves**—20 dozen black and colored kid gloves; regular value 75c, on sale .....59c

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard.....14c

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale ,at yard.....29c

**SPECIAL**—All silk wash ribbons, colors, 2 shades in blue, 2 shades in pink and white.

No. 1, 10-yard piece at .....12c
No. 1½, 10-yard piece at.....15c
No. 2, 10-yard piece at.....22c
No. 3, 10-yard piece at.....29c

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30), sale.....59c

40-inch Bleached Pillow Casing, excellent 12½c value, at yard..10c

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair.....10c

30 Pieces Outing Flannel, light styles; regular 8c value; sale, yard .....6c

**COAT SWEATERS.**

Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale .....95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale .....39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at.....29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale .....39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Clive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price.....$3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price...$6.98

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at.....$7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at...$9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..$11.15

You must take into consideration that our regular prices are very low on these lines to appreciate the extent of this cut for this great Clearance Sale.

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**

We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price .....$8.50 (Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price .....$10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

**Bargains in the Men's Department at this Clearance Sale.**

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at.....39c

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# HAHNE & CO.

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# Outerwear Takes Flight as Prices Fall

As the lots grow smaller we make the values greater by putting higher-priced odd suits in lower priced lots. Every rearrangement means bigger values for you, but of necessity lessens choice somewhat—tho that is more than made up for by the clearance lots the makers keep sending us and which are surprisingly cheap.

## The Suits

You can buy Suits and Dresses most profitably now.

Suits of Broadcloth, Serge, Cheviot, Chevron, Wide Wale, Homespun, French Serge, Chiffon Broadcloth and Novelties.

Suits in Navy, Black, Bronze Green, Raisin, Catawba, Myrtle, Old Rose, London Smoke, Mulberry, etc.

$16.00 Suits for.....$7.98
$19.98 Suits for.....$9.98
$23.00 Suits for.....$11.98
$27.98 Suits for.....$13.98
$29.00 Suits for.....$15.98
$33.98 Suits for.....$17.98
$34.98 Suits for.....$19.98
$42.00 Suits for.....$23.98
$45.50 Suits for.....$24.98
$47.98 Suits for.....$26.98
$52.00 Suits for.....$28.98
$69.98 Suits for.....$35.98
$75.00 Suits for.....$38.98

## The Dresses

Dresses made of Crepe Meteor, Crepe de Chine, Chiffon, Fine Nets, Dotted Swisses, Messaline, Broadcloth, Chiffon Broadcloth, Prunella, Serge, Tinseled Jets, Tinseled Chiffon, Embroidered Chiffon, Sayin, Crepe, Taffetas, Nets over Satin, Lingerie, Linen and Lawn.

$1.69 Dresses for.....79c
$7.98 Dresses for.....$4.98
$12.00 Dresses for.....$5.98
$15.98 Dresses for.....$7.98
$26.00 Dresses for.....$14.98
$28.00 Dresses for.....$15.98
$34.98 Dresses for.....$17.98
$43.00 Dresses for.....$21.98
$78.50 Dresses for.....$39.98
$100.00 Dresses for.....$59.98

## Very Good Skirts for Very Little

Skirts of Broadcloth, Chiffon Broadcloth, Cheviot, Serge, Voile, Panama, Fancy Worsted, Prunella, Chevron, English Mixtures, Novelty Weaves, Natural Linen, Rep and Novelty Linen; cut in the most approved Spring styles; strictly up to date; most of them just from the makers ready for this sale, and this is how we are going to sell them—

$1.98 Skirts for.....89c
$3.00 Skirts for.....$1.49
$3.93 Skirts for.....$1.98
$6.00 Skirts for.....$2.98
$9.00 Skirts for.....$3.98
$10.00 Skirts for.....$4.98
$11.98 Skirts for.....$5.98
$12.98 Skirts for.....$6.98
$13.98 Skirts for.....$7.98
$14.98 Skirts for.....$8.98
$16.98 Skirts for.....$11.98

# Girls' Junior Suits

## Going at One-Third to One-Half Less Than Formerly

Not many more suits are left in this once great stock for girls, but the narrower lines grow, the lower the prices, for we are determined upon closing out every suit we have in stock today, so as to start with absolutely new garments for Spring selling.

These suits are of Broadcloth, Imported Serge, Cheviot, Homespun, Worsted and Chevron, in the season's very best styles, most of them in black and navy, but including a large variety of the most fashionable colors, for girls of 13, 15 and 17 years.

**Girls' $12.50 to $15 Junior Suits, now marked $7.98.**
**Girls' $12.50 to $25 Junior Suits, now marked $10.50.**
**Girls' $22.50 to $30 Junior Suits, now marked $14.75.**
**Girls' $29.50 to $40 Junior Suits, reduced to $22.50 and $24.75.**
**All Girls' Dresses,** former prices $12.50 to $29.50, are special priced at **$7.98** to **$15.00.**

## All Girls' Winter Coats To Go

**$5.00 Coats reduced to $2.98.**
**$6.98 Coats reduced to $3.98.**
These coats for girls of 6 to 14 years

**$8.50 to $10 Coats reduced to $5.00.**
**$12.50 to $14.50 Coats reduced to $7.98.**
Second Floor.

## Half Price Is All We Ask for These

# Women's Coats and Capes

While we have been clearing out the end of our season's stock we have also been helping the manufacturers to clear out their stocks, and every day new lots are being added to our great clearance sale, bringing you wonderful bargains in the best made apparel. Tomorrow you will find these ready for you, and we are sure you will be tempter to buy if you come.

**Lot 1—includes $9.50 and $10.50 Coats and Capes at $4.98.**
**Lot 2—includes $12.50 and $15 Coats and Capes at $7.50.**
**Lot 3—includes $18.50 Coats and Capes at $9.**
**Lot 4—includes $22 and $25 Coats and Capes at $12.**
**Lot 5—includes $29.50 and $35 Coats and Capes at $15.**

## Best Fur Coat Values in Town

Having contracted for our fur coats so very early in the season we own them today at much less cost than we would have to pay were we to go into the market now; in fact, we are selling them to you at prices that are just about what the wholesalers are asking us, making it positively to your advantage to buy fur coats here. Most of the coats are 50 inches long.

These quotations clearly indicate your savings:

**$75.00 Baltic Seal Coats.....$54.25**
**$69.50 Russian Pony Coats.....$48.25**
**$59.50 Russian Pony Coats.....$38.75**
**$110 Austrialian Seal Coats.....$79.95**
**$150 Hudson Seal Coats.....$109.75**
**$135 Caracul Coats for.....$94.75**
**$135 Hudson Seal Coats.....$94.95**

## Fur Sets—Like Fur Coats—Cheapest Here

**Mink Scarfs, $15.00 ot $150.000.**
**Lynx Scarfs, $15.00 to $75.00.**
**Chinchilla Scarfs, $29.50 to $45.00.**
**Ermine Scarfs, $29.50 to $98.00.**
**Jap. Mink Scarfs, $12.50 to $39.50.**
**Jap. Sable Scarfs $8.50 to $25.00.**
**Sable Racoon Scarfs, $12.50 and $25.00.**
**Sable Racoon Muffs, $15.00 to $19.50.**
**Caracul Ties, $1.98.**
**Caracul Sets, $2.98 and $3.98.**

**Mink Muffs, $15.00 to $150.00.**
**Lynx Muffs, $15.00 to $85.00.**
**Chinchilla Muffs, $65.00 to $75.00.**
**Ermine Muffs, $29.50 to $55.00.**
**Jap. Mink Muffs, $19.50 to $39.50.**
**Jap. Sable Muffs, $22.50 to $39.50.**
**Persian Paw Sets, $8.50, $12.50 and $15.50.**
**Blended Squirrel Sets, $8.50.**
**Blue Wolf Sets, $12.98.**
**French Lynx Sets, $9.98.**

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# Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath, also double and single rooms table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

TO LET—Furnished room, all improvements, in select neighborhood, to a young lady, by a young couple, nurse or teacher preferred. Address Select, care Press. 1 12 tf

LARGE and small front rooms, well heated, with or without board; all conveniences; telephone. 62 Sandford avenue. 12 16 1m

TWO large connecting rooms and adjoining small room, fully furnished. Mrs. Lena Hellstrom, 312 East Seventh St. 1 12 6

NEWLY papered, newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

LADY, being alone in steam-heated flat, will share same with an employed lady. Address 672, Daily Press. 1 13 6

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons 197 North avenue. tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thomason Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### For Sale.

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 12

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

FOR SALE—Seventeen Houdons, Paterson strain; twenty-three S. C. White Leghorns; Blanchard Wykoff strain. 926 West Fifth St. 1 13 3

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

PIANO BARGAIN—Elegant $350 upright grand piano; like new; must sell at great sacrifice; no dealers. Call owner's residence, mornings 180 Somerset St. 1 12 3

FOR SALE—8-room house, all improvements; parquet floors, best residential section; bargain to quick purchaser. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street; 'Phone 160. 1 11 6

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—A MODERN HOUSE, 12-14 ROOMS TO RENT FROM MAY 1 NEXT; GOOD LOCATION ADDRESS REASONABLE, PRESS OFFICE. 1 8 6

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

THE ACKROYD Gas Radiator will heat your dining-room in ten minutes these cold mornings. Demonstration at Woodhull & Martin Co. 1 10 tf

CONVALESCENT lady can be suitably entertained in private family. No. 822 Second place. 1 13 6

NOW is the time to buy Rugs. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 12 15 1m

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette. 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging. 1910 wallpapers; liberal discount. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 10 7

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### Sleighs For Sale.

SLEIGH FOR SALE—Two-seated sleigh, with pole, in good order; $25. Coachman, 105 Rockview Ave. 12 31 tf

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 5.**

# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

Westchester County golfers have organized the Lawrence Park Country Club and have secured a fine old stone building, surrounded by open porches and terraces and with about one hundred feet frontage on Sunny Brook road for a clubhouse. Organization was effected at a meeting held recently at the home of Arthur Lawrence in Lawrence Park, Bronxville, when the following board of governors, to serve for the first year, was elected:

William Lloyd Litchel, Larkin G. Mead, Dudley B. Lawrence, Pressley B. Bisland, Henry R. Burt, Stanley Ward, Charles L. Marvin, Warren J. Hoysradt, Arthur W. Lawrence, Ellis W. Gladwin, John A. Fry and Leonard Kebler. The officers' elected were: President, William Lloyd Kitchel; vice-president, Harry E. Burt, and secretary and treasurer, Warren J. Hoysradt.

The new club has leased for a term of three years the nine-hole links situated in Lawrence Park West. The course is about 3,000 yards long and extends over rolling country. Lawn tennis courts will also be constructed near the clubhouse in the spring.

### CONVICTS GIVEN A CHANCE AT EDUCATION.

Trenton, Jan. 14.—Principal Keeper George Osborne, of the New Jersey State Prison, is meeting with much success with the night school and the cell-study course for the convicts of the institution. When the school was opened on January 4, last year, 229 men of the 1,400 population enrolled. Of these, 122 (some native born, others foreigners) were totally illiterate and 107 were foreigners, who, though not illiterate, were yet ignorant of the English language. Including those in the cell-study course, there were 353 convicts under the direction of the School Board.

Owing to the very large number of men of inferior educational acquirements and the impossibility of gathering all together to teach them, a system of teaching by correspondence within the walls was established during the summer and is called the cell-study course. It consists briefly in this:

Any prisoner who is anxious to broaden his education within the limits of an ordinary grammar school course, say through the usual seventh grade, is at liberty to enter himself in a grade corresponding to his previous educational proficiency. Textbooks are furnished to him and week by week lessons or tasks assigned him and answers to test questions and problems demanded of him. Difficulties that present themselves to him are elucidated by the head teacher, if necessary, through a call on the part of the latter at the prisoner's cell.

The utility and advisability of this course is amply demonstrated by the fact that 278 inmates entered themselves between June 1 and November 1 in the various grades of the cell-study course.

### NEW WATER COMPANY IN SOMERSET COUNTY.

Whitehouse, Jan. 14.—The Somerset Water Company of Peapack has been incorporated with a capital stock of $100,000 for the purpose of supplying water to the citizens of Peapack, Gladstone, Far Hills and Bedminister. The company owns ten acres near Chester and will locate its reservoir there. Shares in the company are being offered to the public, and everybody is to be given a chance to become an investor.

The incorporators are Grant B. Schley, Jr., Theodore S. Hill, William Horton, Nichols T. Ballentine, Rev. J. M. Harper, George H. Logan, D. A. Hulick, John W. Tuttle, S. C. Bloodgood, George R. Layton, Van Doren Layton and John McLaughlin. The company has been organized with officers as follows: President, Theodore S. Hill; vice-president, S. C. Bloodgood; secretary, D. B. Melick; treasurer, George R. Layton.

**Publishes Numbers of Stolen Checks.**

Newton, Jan. 14.—*In an effort to* prevent other persons from becoming victims of fraud, Arthur M. Valz, an Andover contractor, and former employer of Harry Sherman, who is accused of stealing blank checks from the former's book, filling out five and passing them on Andover merchants last Friday, caused the numbers to be published Wednesday in several papers. The checks were on the Sussex National Bank and run serially from 496 to and including 506. There is also one numbered 535. Mr. Valz states that there are possibly some not numbered in the back of the book missing.

The officers-elect of Old Glory Council, No. 62, Daughters of Liberty, will be installed Saturday night, when the council will celebrate its fourteenth anniversary. Several State officers are expected to be present.

Mrs. J. A. Chambliss, of Central avenue, who has been visiting relatives at Chattanooga, Tenn., for the past ten days, is expected home this week.

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## HERE AND THERE.

Is this a nature fake? It is for the readers of The Daily Press to pass judgment.

Councilman J. J. Stahl, Charles Stahl and Albert Friese took a trip to Stephen Beeching's farm yesterday to secure a quantity of sawdust in which to pack the crop of ice harvested on Debele's pond.

When Beeching's farm was reached, acording to the words of every member of the trio, a pond of hot and cold water was discovered, one half of which was covered with a sound coating of ice.

Al Friese, one of the members of the party, was the author of the surprise of the trip when he started to test the thickness of the ice. As he made a few movements he disturbed about three score lizards, or "wiggiers" as they are known by local disciples of Isaac Walton, and a huge snapping turtle made their appearance in the water.

"This is a sure sign of spring," quoth Councilman Stahl. "I'm mighty glad that all the ice is cut." (The borough councilman made no additional comments after he had awakened this morning and beheld the snowstorm.)

While scores of local sports would not care to risk a dime on the discovery, here is another freak of nature which can be rated as "One best bet" of the day.

Up in Washington Valley, at Wilson's stone quarry, to be explicit, there is a huge icicle on exhibition, which residents of Watchung claim is the biggest they ever saw. Its approximate measurement is ninety feet in length, according to the observations of Mayor Smalley and a Daily Press scribe.

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

In the first act of "King Casey," the musical hodge podge being used this season as the starring vehicle of the Rays, Johnny and Emma, Dan Casey, the plodding old fire-builder of the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, enters one of the parlors with a scuttle of coal and arm full of kindling wood bent upon building a fire in the grate. "King Casey" will be seen at the Plainfield theatre January 20, and Johnny Ray will appear in the role of Casey the fireman, who in the second act becomes Casey the king. Mrs. Ray will be seen as Goldie Mine, and both will be supported by a company of fifty carefully chosen principals and chorus people.

**The Day Nursery Birthday.**

The friends of The Day Nursery are reminded of the birthday tea and reception to be held at the Nursery on the afternoon of Wednesday, January 26. Gifts for the store-house will be gratefully received.

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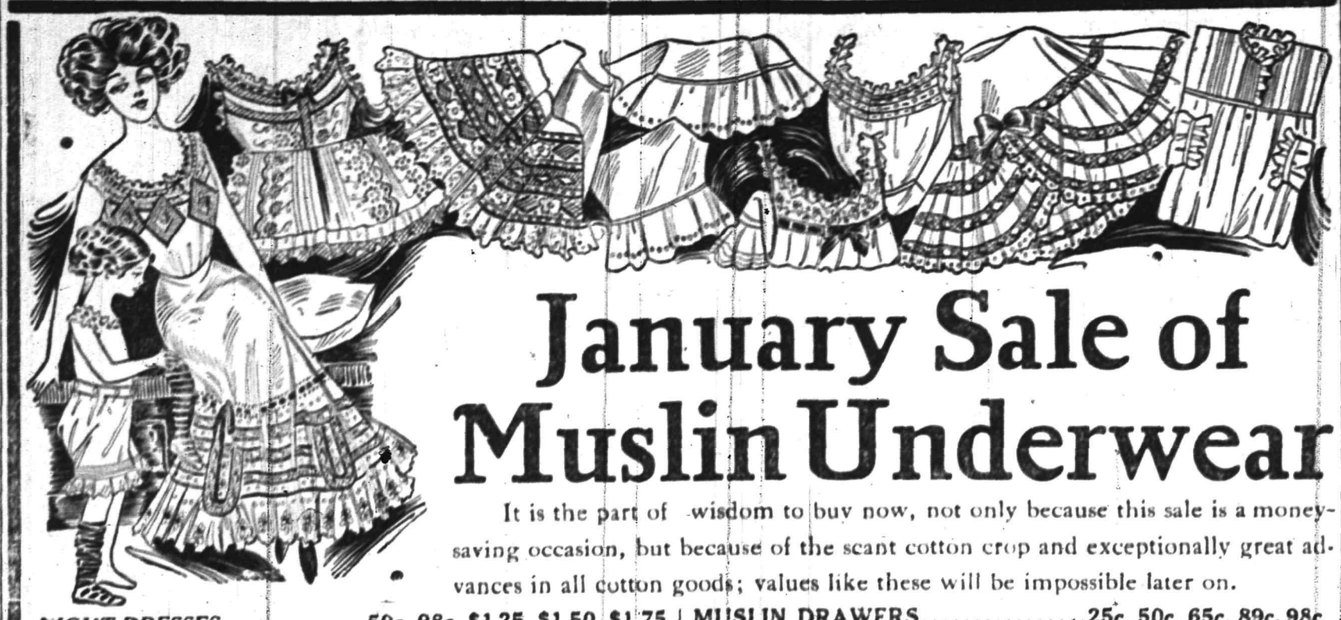

January Sale of Muslin Underwear

It is the part of wisdom to buy now, not only because this sale is a money-saving occasion, but because of the scant cotton crop and exceptionally great advances in all cotton goods; values like these will be impossible later on.

NIGHT DRESSES ..... 59c, 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75
COMBINATION SUITS—Corset Cover and Drawers, and Corset Cover and Skirts ..... 59c, 79c, $1.00, $1 25, $1.59
FULL SIZE SKIRTS ..... 98c, $1.25, $1.50, $1.98, $2.50
SHORT SKIRTS ..... 29c, 65c, 75c, $1.00
CORSET COVERS ..... 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.25
MUSLIN DRAWERS ..... 25c, 50c, 65c, 89c, 98c
CHEMISE ..... 69c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50

Every garment offered in this sale is made of the very best materials, are well made and were manufactured in an absolutely sanitary, "no sweat-shop" factory,

Millinery Cut in Half

In order to close out promptly our entire stock of trimmed and untrimmed hats we offer them at just one half the prices they are marked.

Pillow Cases and Sheets

42x36 & 45x45 Pillow Cases with 2½ inch hem, made of good quality, soft finished muslin for ..... 12½c
SHEETS—with welded seam, made of heavy muslin, size 72x90 for ..... 50c
81x90 for ..... 60c

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It's a Great Chance.

$8.00 Suits or Overcoats - $4.90
$10.00 " " " - $5.90
$12.00 " " " - $6.90
$15.00 " " " - $7.90
$16.50 " " " - $9.90
$18-$20 " " " $12.90

Read the Quotations

$1.50 Derby and Soft Hats - - - 98c
1.50 Men's Sweater Coats - - - 79c
50c and 75c Silk Neckwear - - - 35c
25c Wool Hose - - - - - - 11c
10c Black and Tan Hose - - - - 3c
50c and 75c Princely Shirts - - 35c
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| Roast Beef, blade cut, per lb | 12½c |
| Prime Rib Roast, per lb | 16c to 20c |
| Choice Sirloin Steak, per lb | 16c |
| Canada Mutton Legs, per lb | 14c |
| Rib Lamb Chops, per lb | 16c |
| Shoulder Lamb Chops, per lb | 16c |
| Hamburg Steak, 2 lbs for | 25c |
| Shoulder Steak, 2 lbs for | 25c |
| Corned Beef, lean, per lb | 10c |

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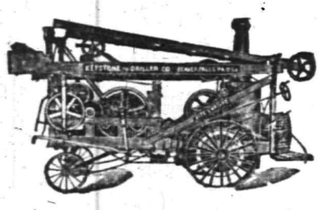

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### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Diamond Hill, on the second mountain, is proving to be a popular coasting place. Every afternoon a number go over and enjoy the sport. The hill is over a mile long and not as dangerous as Spencer's Hill.

The Peoples' Ice Company expect to finish filling their ice houses this week. Two houses are being filled with the finest quality of ice thirteen to fourteen inches thick.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hull, of Westfield avenue, have returned from Newark, where they were called by the death of Mr. Hull's father.

George A. Clark, who has been ill for several weeks, has returned to his position with the P. R. R. Co. in New York.

George Keuhn, who was injured while coasting on Spencer's Hill several days ago, is able to be around again.

Principal S. Dana Townsend, of the public school, visited the Westfield schools yesterday.

The Town Committee meets in the Township rooms tonight at 8 o'clock.

**Monkeyshines at Proctor's.**

Did you ever see a monkey ride a bicycle? At Proctor's theatre this week a monkey with Williams' animal circus, rides the smallest bicycle in the world. One of them is shaved, walks the tight rope, and they do all but talk. The educated pony makes a hit with his superior knowledge. Batchin Brothers in the make-up of a Chinaman and a tramp do a laughable acrobatic turn; Ted and Kate Gibson in their skit of stage life are a scream, Miss Gibson's impersonation of a saleswoman is the limit of fun. Millard Watson as a character impersonator, is a chaser of the blues. The pictures still continue to be a big attraction.

**Broke Arm and Thumb.**

Mrs. William Friese, of Whitewood avenue, fell on an icy sidewalk on Fairview avenue yesterday, breaking a right arm and thumb. She was attended by Dr. D. C. Adams.

**Saturday Night Club.**

Cards and dancing will be the features of the weekly meeting of the Saturday Night Club at the Fanwood fire house on Saturday night.

The Ladies' Guild of the Netherwood Reformed church will hold a social at the church on Thursday night, February 3, and another social will be held at the church on February 22.

Mrs. J. F. Grandin and her daughters, the Misses Sara Todd and Elizabeth Grandin, have closed their country place, "Grandinmere," near Hamden, Hunterdon county, and will spend the winter in this city. They are making a brief visit at present with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Cutter, of Sandford avenue.


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### AMUSEMENTS.

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### DIED

LINBARGER—In North Plainfield, N. J., on Wednesday, January 12, 1910, Sarah R. Linbarger, widow of the late Joseph Ross Linbarger, in her 81st year.

Funeral services on Saturday, January 15, from her late residence, 293 Somerset street, at 1:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment at Bound Brook. 1 13 2

RANDOLPH—On Thursday, January 13, 1910, Catherine F., widow of Isaac F. Randolph, in her 81st year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 532 West Front street, on Sunday, January 16, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 14 2

## Classified Advertisements

### Sleighs For Sale.

FOR SALE—5 sleighs, from $5.00 up; double and single. 135 East Second street. 1 14 2

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—Competent white girl as cook and laundress; references required. 718 Madison Ave. 1 6 tf

AT MURRAY'S Registry, good cooks, also laundresses, chambermaids and waitresses; superior girls as nurses and fifty good general houseworkers for first class positions. Apply at once, 226 East Front street, near Y. W. C. A.; 'Phone 666. 1 12 3

WANTED—An experienced laundress, white, for Mondays and Tuesdays. Call evenings, bringing references, 604 West Seventh St. 1 12 3

WANTED—By family of three adults, good white woman for general housework. 127 East Ninth St. 1 13 2

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Laundress by the day. Apply 749 Belvidere avenue. 1 13 3

WANTED—A girl for general housework; good wages. Mrs. J. H. Pearsall, 527 Carlton place, Westfield. 1 13 2

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—A competent, quiet white girl for general housework; two in family; good reference required. Address Box 22, Fanwood, N. J. 1 13 3

WANTED—Young girl for housework and errands; no washing or cooking; sleep home; wages $10. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

COMPETENT woman for general housework in small family; small house; laundry is sent out; man cleans one day a week; $25 a month Address Box 94, care Press. 1 13 12

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Operators on ladies' muslin underwear; also few learners. Schiller Brothers, 320 West Front St. 1 14 4

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework; reference required. 909 West Front St.

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of two; must be good cook. Call 207 East Seventh St. 1 14 3

FORTY GIRLS WANTED—Cooks, nurses, waitresses and general houseworkers. Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 6

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

TWO white girls wish situations as first class cook and waitress together or separate. Call three days, 541 West Sixth St. 1 12 3

WANTED—Position as managing housekeeper in widower's family; twelve years reference. Miss Taylor, Summit avenue, Westfield.

WANTED—Position in physician's office and willing to do light nursing. Miss Taylor, Summit avenue, Westfield.

POSITIONS wanted for several men, colored and white; nurses, cooks, general workers, coachmen; also two or three married couples. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue; 'Phone 1347-L. 1 12 3

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

### For Sale.

GOOD office stove for sale cheap. 19 Prospect place. 1 8 6

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, Gowell strain; also S. C. Rhode Island Reds, Tompkins strain; $2 each. Lewin, Plainfield avenue, near Hunt Club. 1 14 2

FOR SALE—Pen of twenty thoroughbred S. C. White Leghorns in prime condition; females are of the famous Wyckoff strain; males from the "Cotton Ball" winners; $30 model incubator, 150 egg; complete with moisture regulator, price $10. F. A. DuFlon, Woodland avenue, head of Randolph road, Plainfield, N. J. 1 13 2

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 3.**

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. ano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W 8 17 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Morrett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8, Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted and purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 18 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street.

LOANS negotiated

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Open face gold watch and fob on Front street, yesterday afternoon. Reward return to 22 Second place. 1 12 3

LOST—Brindle bull terrier, white breast, white tip on tail, wearing brass studded collar, bearing inscription "Snow." Suitable reward if returned to Mrs. Snow, 1242 Watchung avenue.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Couple want two unfurnished rooms in private family about March or April, with board or near boarding house. Address Harding, General Delivery, City. 1 14 3

HOUSE wanted in Netherwood about eight rooms; all modern improvements. Address W. K., care Press. 1 14 2

WANTED—Rooms for two adults, unfurnished, with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 11 6

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Help Wanted Male.

WANTED—Young man stenographer. Write or apply Ransome Concrete Machine Co., Dunellen, N. J. 1 13 2

WANTED—At once, ten lathe hands. Apply Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 8 6

### Situations Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man wishes office position, capable of taking entire charge, thorough knowledge of office work; also experienced business correspondence with own typewriter, good add writer; low salary to start; Plainfield or vicinity. Address Energetic, care Press. 1 14 8


# WE DIDN'T THINK

you were as crazy over BATES-STREET Shirts as we were, but that's where we fell. We expected the number of Shirts we placed on sale would last at least a week but Tuesday night we had twenty-six shirts left. We got busy Wednesday. We put it up to the Bates-Street Shirt Co., told them if they had something good that they wanted to unload at a price this was their chance. They came to handsomely. Sent us a lot of new, snappy shirts, a mixture of course, but not one worth less than two dollrrs. Some white plaits included. Of course we get in right, but so do you at

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and if these go as quickly as the others your place in line will be at a premium.

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**Special Lot of Embroideries Tomorrow**

Consisting of 10-in. flouncings; splendid material and fine work with good edges; particularly desirable for trimming underskirts. Special, a yard - - - - **10c**

**Shirt Waist Special for Saturday**

Two centre tables filled with fine Tailored Waists. In this lot are Waists of lawn, poplin, pure linen, madras, linene and percale; all sizes, but not of each kind. Not one worth less than $1—and many are exceptionally good vals. at 1.39. Tomorrow **89c**

## Items from Various Departments at Special Prices

Children's 50c Drawer Leggins ..... 29c
Boys' 25c Skating Caps ..... 19c
19c Hemstitched Towels ..... 12½c
Children's All-wool Dresses were 2.48 and 2.98, for ..... 1.50

1.39 Blankets (a little soiled on the outside fold), full size. A pair .... 98c

11-4 Silver Gray Homespun Blankets; value 1.98. At a pair ..... 1.25

# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

A water famine threatening the Burlington Postoffice building was relieved when plumbers found five dead fish wedged in a pipe.

The Cumberland County Medical Society at Bridgeton heard papers read by Dr. Bland, of Philadelphia, and Dr. E. M. Halsey, of Williamstown.

While skating on Oakford Lake at New Egypt yesterday Elmer Bussom fell and sustained a fracture of the skull. He was taken to his home unconscious, but may recover.

Breaking through the ice while skating on Union Lake, Millville, Raymond Clark narrowly escaped drowning. He was pulled out by William Hankins with the aid of a boat hook.

Another batch of licenses were granted by the Camden Excise Board, after a conference behind closed doors at the city hall. Several saloon-keepers were warned against alleged violations of the law.

Oscar Young, hoseman in the Atlantic City Fire Department, slipped as he was answering an alarm of fire and the wheel of the engine ran over his foot and crushed it, necessitating the amutation of the toes.

When a hatchet slipped from his hand while he was chopping wood at his home at Merchantville, William H. Williams, thirty-four years old, badly cut his foot and was taken to Cooper Hospital, Camden.

Property owners in Atlantic City lost less than $50,000 through fires during the past year, according to reports of the fire department, which will be tabulated in a few days. The greatest loss was $15,000 from the fire which gutted the Bingham Hotel.

The Camden County Board of Freeholders yesterday fixed annual appropriations to the aggregate of $357,753.14, an increase of $30,807.43 over the budget of last year. It was stated that the increase is due to a deficiency of last year, and an increase in expenses for the operation of the courts.

Articles of incorporation were filed at the Camden county clerk's office by the Stone Harbor Yacht Club. The incorporators are Lewis A. Starr, of Woodbury; John G. Horner, Mt. Holly; Emmett M. Ross and William J. Jackson, Philadelphia, and W. S. Casselman Jr., of Camden.

Attempting to board a heavily loaded wagon, Adam Olt, thirty-four years old, of Marlton, slipped under the wheels and sustained a fracture of both legs. He was also injured internally and was reported in a serious condition at Cooper Hospital, Camden, but the doctors have hope for recovery.

The West Jersey Funeral Directors' Association, in Camden, elected these officers: President, Jacob E. Mathis, of Blackwood; vice-president, Ira V. Sharp, of Vineland; secretary, H. C. Bullock, of Millville, and treasurer, W. P. Buck, of Williamstown. The next annual meeting will be held at Cape May.

Trenton and New York capitalists are interested in a syndicate which has purchased the Sylvan Lake tract, on the southern border of Burlington, to erect a big summer hotel and health resort. Deeds of the sale were filed in the county clerk's office yesterday by Seigmund Zeisler, of Trenton. The purchase price is given as $27,500.

There is no doubt that the Law and Order Society's representatives, who have been conducting investigations in Mt. Holly for a few weeks, have created a stir among the liquor interests, as John Forbes, a Walter street saloon-keeper, yesterday withdrew his application for a renewal of his license, against which a remonstrance had been filed.

William J. Freas, former freeholder, who audited the accounts of the surrogate's and sheriff's offices of Salem county, presented his report at the meeting of the board. In the surrogate's office the receipts were $3,570.66, with expenses of $3,484.74, showing a net gain to the county of $85.92. In the sheriff's office the expenses were $3,240.90 and the receipts $2,167.46, a net loss of $1,073.44.

Mayor Stoy, of Atlantic City, will head the delegation of yachtsmen and business and hotel men who will appear before the Federal Board of Engineers at the Seaside House in the effort to impress the officials with the necessity of deepening the Inlet entrance channels. In a statement issued a week ago the Board of Engineers declared their belief that the work would be too expensive for the amount of commerce.

Proprietors of seventeen saloons and one wholesale dealer whose applications for licenses were granted by the Burlington Board of Excise Commissioners were warned that only the strictest obedience to the laws would prevent the revocation of their licenses. The warning was sounded in a brief speech by State Senator G. W. Lewis, president of the board, who declared any infraction of the "bishop's law" would put the license of the offender in jeopardy.

Thieves who backed up a wagon to the home of Councilman Mason, of Ventnor, and loaded up a stove which had been left on the back porch, were getting away with their plunder when discovered by the owner. Mason boarded a trolley car, which was speeded up until the team was overtaken; he leaped on and held the horse until the men were arrested. Before being taken to jail the thieves were compelled to drive back to the Mason home and replace the stove.

Following complaint to Prosecutor Scovel, in Camden from Mrs. A. Christman, that her husband had lost about $55 at cards in the saloon of Jesse S. Hunsberger, 201 Stevens street, County Detectives Smith and Cherry, and several constables visited the saloon with a warrant issued by Justice of the Peace Garrison, charging the proprietor with keeping a disorderly house. Hunsberger happened to be away, but six customers were held in their own recognizance to appear at court.

### KNOX HAT COMPANY TO MOVE FROM BOONTON.

Boonton, Jan. 14.—The Knox Hat Manufacturing Company of this place intend moving four of their departments back to Brooklyn in the near future, and it is feared here that it will not be a very long time before they may move their entire plant.

This fact becoming known here, a call of the citizens of the town has been sent out for a meeting to be held Friday night to talk matters over. It is proposed to form a stock company, composed of citizens, to engage in the manufacture of hats. The meeting will be held Friday evening in Hopkins' hall.

One hundred men, employed in the making department of the Knox company's factory, refused to accept a cut in their wages Wednesday and walked out of the shop. It was reported that they were to receive a cut of about two cents a hat, which, to most if not all of the men, means a reduction of nearly $5 a week in their wages. The men declared that they would not agree to any such terms, so left their jobs. The other departments, which employ as many more men, are not affected and kept on working Wednesday, while the making department was idle. Former Superintendent John W. Osmun, who has managed the company's affairs here for a number of years, resigned his position a few days ago.

### Harden-Morris Marriage Kept Secret.

Newton, Jan. 14.—Miss Margaretta Morris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Morris, of Fredon, and a graduate of the Newton High School of the class of 1909, and William Harden, son of former Freeholder Philip R. Harden, of Fredon, were married last Saturday, according to the admission of Mrs. Harden's mother Wednesday. Further details of the ceremony were withheld. It is thought that the ceremony was performed in Newark while the bride and groom were absent on a visit, from which they have not returned.

### Passaic Popular Suicide Centre.

Passaic, Jan. 14.—According to the report, Dr. Robert R. Armstrong of this city, is preparing, as county physician, thirty-seven persons in Passaic committed suicide last year, twenty of them males. Three men, whose ages were seventy-four, eighty-four and eighty-six, committed suicide by gas and hanging. Self-destruction with the aid of carbolic acid was the favorite method, twelve using this course; ten used gas, ten pistols, one strychnine and one jumped from a bridge into the river

### Gives $10,000 to Push Prohibition.

Bordentown, Jan. 14.—Harman Yerkes, of this city, has given $5,000 to the Prohibition Trust Fund of New York to be used in carrying on the work of the National Prohibition party. He has also given $5,000 to the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association for carrying on the work in colleges. Mr. Yerkes is a stanch supporter of the Prohibition party, and has voted its ticket ever since its organization forty years ago.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.


# Scheuer's Bargains

## For Thursday, Friday and Saturday

**Scheuer's Best XXXX Minnesota Patent Flour, 24½ Bag 85c; per Barrel - - - $6.75**

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| Hecker's Cream Oatmeal, three 10c packages 25c | Atmore's Mince Meat, 5-lb pail 59c | Maraschino Cherries, 65c size, a bottle 52c | Curtis Bros.' Plum Pudding, 65c size, 3-lb can 57c | Crescent Shape Olives, 25c size, a bottle 19c | Imported Norway Fat Herring in Boullion, 2 cans 25c |
| Fresh Milled Rolled Oats, 6-lb bag 21c | National Biscuit Co.'s Uneeda Biscuits, a package 4c | Svea Wafers, 25c kind, a tin 19c | Holland Edam Cheese, $1.10 size, each 98c | Cocoanut Macaroons, 20c kind, a lb 14c | Sweet Gerkins, 32c size, quart bottle 28c |
| Old Dutch Cleanser, three 10c boxes 25c | Crystal Gelatine, 10c kind, a package 8c | White Wax Cherries, 15c size, a can 10c | Sweet Wrinkled Peas, 3 cans 25c | California Asparagus, large can 22c | Tomatoes, No. 2 size, a can 5c |
| Black Walnuts, a quart 5c | Santa Claus Marshmallows, 10c box, a package 5c | Orange Marmalade, individual size, a jar 5c | French Mushrooms, Individual Cans, a can 10c | Luncheon Tongues, Emery brand, 25c size, a can 15c | 20 S. & H. Stamps with 1 bot. Schrewsbury Chili Sauce, 18c |

**Large Enamel Dish Pans, Water Pails, Double Rice Boilers, worth 50c each, Given Away with 1 lb Choice Teas, at 60c lb or 1 lb Scheuer's Premium Baking Powder, 45c.**

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| 10 S. & H. Stamps with 3-lb carton choice California Prunes, 25c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 3-lb pkg. Baby Brand Buckwheat, 15c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 2-lb pkg. Scheuer's Rolled Oats, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 1 can Cal. Green Gage or Egg Plums, 17c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with large pkg. Scheuer's Washing Powder, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with three 5c Rolls Toilet Paper, |

**Crosse & Blackwell's Pure Fruit Jams, Raspberry, Strawberry, Plum, Blackberry, Green Gage, Red Currant, Raspberry and Currant Damson, Apricot and Gooseberry, 25c kind, a jar 19c, per dozen $2.20.**

**10 S&H Stamps with**

3-lb. box Starch....20c
Large Bottle Blue....10c
1 box Ball Blue....10c
1 box Allen's Talc. Powder....10c
1 box Allen's Tooth Powder....10c
1 package Macaronni....10c
1 package Spaghetti....10c
1 bottle Vanilla....15c
1 bottle Lemon Extract....15c
1 can Black Jack Stove Polish 10c
1 can Liquid Enameline....10c
7-lb. bag Salt....10c
1 package Parlor Matches....12c
1 bottle Ammonia....10c

**Extra S&H Stamps**

100 S. & H. Stamps with 1-lb can Scheuer's Baking Powder....45c
100 Stamps with 1 lb 60c Tea.
70 Stamps with 1 lb 50c Tea.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 35c Tea.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 32c Coffee.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 29c Coffee.
20 Stamps with 1 lb 27c Coffee.
20 Stamps with 1 lb 23c Coffee.
10 Stamps with 1 lb 18c Coffee.
10 Stamps with ¼ lb 50c Tea.

**Crackers**

Fig Bars, a lb. 10c; 3 lbs....25c
Lemon Cakes, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs..25c
Ginger Snaps, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs..25c
Oakdale Pretzels, a lb....12c
Oakdale Twigs, a lb....14c
Grand Ma's Cookies, a lb....10c
5 O'clock Teas, a lb....12c
Moss Wafers, a lb....12c
Spiced Wafers, a lb....12c
Dinner Biscuits, a pkg....15c
Toasted T Biscuits, a pkg....10c
Breakfast Biscuits, a pkg....12c
Sugar Wafers, lb....30c

Salt Mackerel, each 5c, 8c and 10c
Kippered Herring, a can....15c
Deviled Crab Meat, a can....22c
Mince Meat, a lb....10c
Fine Hominy, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Yellow Meal, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Best Farina, a lb. 6c; 4 lbs. 22c
Pearl Tapioca, lb. 7c; 4 lbs. 25c
Granulated Tapioca, 9c; 3 lbs. 25c
Graham Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Rye Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs....20c

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| Yellow Turnips, pony basket 18c | Choice Michigan Potatoes, ½ bushel basket 45c | Sweet Florida Pineapple Oranges, a dozen 25c 30c 40c | Fresh Tomatoes, a lb 15c | Choice Crisp Jersey Celery, a bunch 15c | Juicy Florida Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c 4 for 25c 6 for 25c |



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**Wool Velvet Rugs**—Best quality all wool kinds; size 9x12; pretty styles, slightly mismatched in weaving; regular $24.50, at ..... $15.75

**Body Brussels Rugs**—Best five frame quality, 9x12, with a seam across the centre; regular price $27.50 each; special at ..... $18.50

**Axminster Rugs**—Size 8.3x10.6 feet, beautiful designs and colorings; this season's styles; regularly $22.50 each; special at ..... $16.50

**Royal Wilton Rugs**—9x12 Royal Wiltons in many styles; all perfect goods, rich colorings; regular $39.50 each; special at ..... $32.50

**Axminister Rugs**—Oriental and floral designs in light and dark effects; 9x12 feet; best quality; regular $24.50; special at ..... $19.95

**Tapestry Brussels Rugs**—Best quality; many of them woven without seams; 9x12 feet; regular price $18.00 each; special ..... $14.95

**Royal Wilton Rugs**—Size 9x12; made of drummers' ample with seam across the centre; regular $39.50 grade; special at ..... $26.75

**Royal Wilton Rugs**—Extra quality; size 9x12 feet; dropped patterns; all perfect goods; regularly $53.50 each; special at ..... $42.50

**Printed Linoleum**—Thoroughly seasoned linoleum of splendid quality, good patterns; regular 50c.; a square yard, at..... 35

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KADESH & LEVINE,
18 Somerset St.

## Plainfield in .... The Olden Days.

Re-printed from The Weekly Constitutionalist

**May 4, 1871.**

We hear the name of George Nicholl, Esq., of Scotch Plains, mentioned in connection with the appointment of County Collector. No better or more efficient man could be appointed.

A change of S. S. Vermeule's advertisement came to late for this issue. Mr. V. has a splendid assortment of Spring and Summer styles of goods on hand, which he proposes to make into fashionable garments for customers at low rates. A call at his establishment and an examination of his goods will convince all of the superior quality and workmanship of the same.

We are pleased to learn that Miss Annie M. Parker, late of our Public School, has received an appointment in the celebrated Packer Institute of Brooklyn, New York, at a salary of nine hundred dollars.

Mr. Geo. Miller, the enterprising landlord of the City Hotel, has recently made praiseworthy improvements in the interior of his establishment, by adding thereto a large and commodious dining room, fitted up with all the modern improvements for the accommodation of his guests. We venture to say the dining room of the City Hotel cannot be surpassed by any Hotel in the State.

The new residence now being erected for Jacob Thorn, Esq., in North Plainfield, will be one of the finest and most substantial buildings in that section when completed.

The residence of Randolph Dunham, on Second street, is undergoing a decided transmogrification, a handsome French roof now adorning it and the general construction of the building changed. Mr. D. is still selling fashionable clothing at his stand on Front street at extremely low rates. Call in and see him.

The Chimney Rock Grove, situated back of Bound Brook, is now open to the public. Mr. John A. Cooper, the proprietor, announces that no pains has been spared to make the grove an attractive resort for pleasure seekers the coming season. An excellent dancing floor has been constructed, and the hotel accommodations are of the best. This grove is beautifully situated, and no doubt will be liberally patronized.

Where! Oh! where, and the echo answers where is the long wished for Town Clock.

### THE IDEAL EDUCATION.

Discussing, in Harper's Bazar, "Educational Ideals for the Pupil," President Mary E. Woolley, of Mount Holyoke College, says:

"The English language is a marvelous instrument of expression, but we fall far short of its possibilities, in the choice of words, intent and variety of vocabulary, in simplicity and beauty of arrangement, even in pronounciation and inflection. The school has a difficult problem, for, in many instances, the pupils come from homes where the spoken language is a foreign tongue; in many more it is crude and illiterate; and even when it does not belong in either one of these categories there is littel attention given to the manner of speaking.

"The ideal education includes in the appreciation of beauty the beautiful in conduct. American education at heart has a regard for conduct of the highest type, but in its emphasis upon what it considers the essentials, truth, honor, integrity, purity, it is sometimes disposed to ignore what it would call convention.

"The 'deft in fine perceptions,' that is the secret of much in our American life which jars upon our finer natures. The home must bear the heavier responsibility, for it is only by early and constant training that the perceptions will be quick and keen; to avoid loud talking and laughing and conspicuous behavior, and to realize that deference toward those whose age and position demand it, consideration toward all, and the little courtesies, are a part of culture. A touch of courtliness and courtesy, graciousness and grace, in the midts of the hury and bustle of our modern life, is ittoo much to ask?"

**Revival of Seed Pearls.**

Time was when seed pearls were used on half the gowns. They have returned to favor. They are now used on tulle and mixed in with colored embroidery in a charming way. They are put on the bodice of evening gowns and are used for dainty floral patterns on the edge of tunics and sleeves. They are worked on white velvet for sumptuous evening gowns and are used for the crowns of hats.

By the way, the beaded tulle sleeves are among the novelties of the moment. Seed pearls are freely mixed with gold and amethyst and coral beads on white foundation, and the sleeve is either a scarf drapery or a shirred cap.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.


# Marshall & Ball

*Highest Type of Ready-to-Wear for Men and Women*

## Our January Clearance Sale

### Eclipsing All Former Records

This January Clearance Sale is eclipsing all our former efforts at special merchandising, and there is a very good reason for it.

Independent of the fact that our New Department of Correct Dress for Women and Misses is adding great strength to this trade movement by the marvelous offerings presented, there are greater savings provided in every department, and the choice of high-class, distinctive merchandise is wider than ever.

The unusual enthusiasm which was manifested when this sale was inaugurated has not abated, but has increased, and an unusually busy Saturday is expected.

Men's Overcoats—a wide choice in black Oxford and Cambridge Kerseys and Meltons.

**Lot A**—Regular $12 to $15 Overcoats ..... $9.75

**Lot B**—Regular $18, $20 and $22 Overcoats ..... $14.25

**Lot C**—Regular $25, $28 and $30 Overcoats ..... $19.75

Men's Suits—in a variety of mostly fancy mixtures; some blacks and blues in Lot B.

**Lot A**—Regular $12, $13, $14 and $15 Suits ..... $9.75

**Lot B**—Regular $16, $17, $18 and $20 Suits ..... $13.75

**Lot C**—Regular $22, $24, $25, $28 and $30 Suits ..... $19.75

### January Clearance Boys' Clothing

**Regular $3.50 to $8 Russian Coats**—Button to neck; velvet and cloth collars; Venetian and wool lined; sizes 2½ to 5 years. January Sale Price ..... $1.85

**Regular $10 Reefers**—Scotch cheviots; fancy herringbone and mixtures; open or button to neck velvet collars; worsted body lining; sizes 6 to 12 years. January Sale Price ..... $6.95

**Regular $3.50 and $4.50 Suits**—Double breasted, with and without belts; knickerbocker trousers; fancy gray and brown mixtures; sizes 8 to 16 years. Jan. Sale... $1.95

**Regular $7 and $7.50 Reefers**—Fancy cheviots and cassimeres; a few blue frieze, wool lined; cloth and velvet collars, open or button to neck; sizes 3 to 12 years; January Sale Price ..... $4.95

### JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

### Men's Reg. 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00 Shoes at 2.85

Broken lines of regular high-grade $3.50, $4 and $5 winter footwear. Wide choice of styles, toe shapes and leathers.

### Men's Reg. 5.00 and 6.00 Shoes at 3.65

Broken lines of unusually good $5 and $6 high-grade shoes in about all styles and leathers.

### Our January Offerings in Correct Apparel for Women and Misses Stronger Than Ever

As Our January Clearance Sale advances the offerings in smart and distinctive apparel for women and misses grow stronger and more attractive. Equally low prices are nowhere else quoted for garments of such high quality.

**$26.50 to $34.50 Tailored Suits**—This seasons's two and three piece long and short coat models; fine broadcloths, cheviots, serges and wide wale diagonals—while they last. January Sale Price ..... $14.75

**$19.50 Tailored Suits**—Lymansville cheviot, broadcloth and homespuns, plain tailored and with velvet collars. January Sale Price ..... $9.75

**$18.50 Dressy Coats**—For Women & Misses, made of exceptionally fine quality broadcloth, man tailored, jewel button trimmed. January Sale Price ..... $10.50

**$16.50 Motor and Walking Coats**—In broadcloth, cheviot, gray, wide wale chevrons and shadow stripe Scotch mixtures; plain and military collars. Quantity limited. While they last, January Sale Price ..... $6.95

**$29.75 to $36.50 Winter Coats**—In chiffon broadcloth, zibeline and mannish Scotch mixtures; adapted for motoring, driving and walking. January Sale Price ..... $15.75

**$16.50 Tailored Suits**—Made of serges, cheviots and homespuns; button trimmed. January Sale Price ..... $5.95

No Approvals, Credits, Refunds or C. O. D.'s.

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## Questions Relating to Your Estate

regarding which you need enlightenment—details which develop in drawing up your will or problems which confront you in the proper settlement of your property affairs for the future—

All these are matters which the TRUST DEPARTMENT of

# FIDELITY TRUST CO.

NEWARK, N. J.,

will be glad to talk over with those who contemplate naming this Company as Executor.

This means a free discussion for the best interests of the estate. It does not imply a consultation fee in such cases.



The David Straus Co. 683-687 Broad St. 21 W. Park St.

## Annual Mark-Down Sale

These are busy days throughout the store. "Higher costs of living" loses force as one glances through the merchandise now offered at prices as low as they ever have been.

### Long, Swagger Coats

Some at Half Price

Each one of these Long Coats is cut in the very latest style—finely tailored and finished in the very best manner—the sort of garments you expect in Newark's Best Cloak and Suit Department.

**That were marked 7.50 & 10.00, now 5.00**
**That were marked 10.00 & 12.98, now 7.98**
**That were marked 14.98 & 19.98, now 9.98**
**That were marked 19.98 & 25.00, now 12.98**

Suits Skirts Fur Coats Dresses

Are also marked down exceedingly low.

OPEN 8.30. CLOSE 5:30.

STRAUS'S RELIABLE MERCHANDISE AT LOWEST PRICES. 683-687 BROAD ST. 21 W. PARK ST. NEWARK, N.J.



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Every pair guaranteed.



## REAL ART IN ELECTROLIERS

If you have an eye for the beautiful and artistic, you'll be especially pleased in looking over our Electroliers and Domes, including the Duffner & Kimberly Art Reading Lamps.

We want you to see these goods. We're showing designs that most stores won't be offering for months to come.

The prices are as attractive as the lamps.

Have your eyes attended to before they are seriously strained by overwork. We price glasses economically.

"At the Clock Corner."

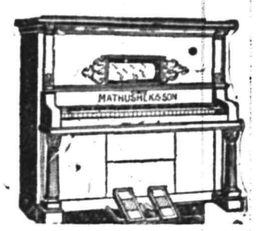
# HARTDEGEN

Broad Street, at W. Park, Newark, New Jersey.


"Ever try to keep a diary?"

"No; I'm too busy during the holidays, and after they're over life is a blank."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.


# A FEAST FOR THE EAR




which refreshes the tired soul and carries the wearied mind into the laps of soothing song.

Such is the pleasing sensation when listening to the

## Mathushek & Son Piano

TRUE ECONOMY does not require the purchase of a cheap piano. Select one which has passed through all the experimental stages such as will give perfect and lasting satisfaction.

There is no uncertainty about the MATHUSHEK & SON.

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# JANUARY O'COAT SALE

**Our Annual Sale Starts Off on Monday—**

for Bargains in Ocoats and Ulsters. We reserve nothing. Prices are in reach of everyone's purse. We have those with the Presto collars, also military collars, in fact, all styles and up-to-date models. See our window display for styles and prices.

# Werner's Clothing House

**206 West Front Street**

## FURNITURE SALE

Our annual clearance sale of FURNITURE, BEDS AND BEDDING at greatly reduced prices. All odd lots must be closed out regardless of cost. If you wish to save money come to this store.

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# Plainfield Ice & Supply Co.

**222 MADISON AVENUE Cor. THIRD STREET**


## THE BEST HORSES ARE OWNED BY FARMERS

Trenton, Jan. 14.—"The farmer of New Jersey who attempts to raise horses, exercises good judgment when he selects one type possessed of utility and does not meddle indiscriminately in his breeding operations by mating or mixing individuals representative of half a dozen types or breeds," comments the New Jersey Live Stock Commission in its first annual report, which has just been received by Governor Fort. It is the opinion of the commission that the best type of horses for the Jersey farmers to breed are those for draft and express uses. It is pointed out that these types mature more quickly than fancy stock and can be disposed of in any market of the State at the age of three years, when they are capable of a full day's work. On the other hand, the commission points out that the farmer who raises fancy stock finds himself confronted with the absolute impossibility of producing a single animal with the qualities of all types, and adds that the farmer who attempts to produce a general purpose or dual purpose animal is generally doomed to fail. It is also shown that the draft horse does not have to be educated providing he possesses weight and quality, while the fancy horse must be educated and cannot be placed in the market until five or six years old.

Discussing the work of the commission for the first year of its existence, the report says farmers have been generally benefited by instructions they have received in matters relating to the breeding of live stock, particularly horses. In the preliminary investigations of the commission it was found that many sires were found to have been cross-bred or grade animals, in many cases unsound and otherwise undesirable for breeding purposes. It is urged that the farmer who intends to breed horses see that his sires are of pure breeding, and that they do not depend upon stallions alone for perpetuation of desirable qualities.

The report says the commission worked along three general lines: first, toward purchasing and distributing pure bred and registered draft sires through breeders' associations in sections where there was a scarcity of useful sires; second, toward encouraging and directing the efforts of farmers in using only pure bred sires of useful types that would result in the production of a more useful as well as a more marketable type of horses, and third, toward eliminating the grade and mongrel sires by means of enforcing the stallion law, directing rigid selection of brood mares and discouraging cross breeding or mating of individuals of vastly different types.

An interesting feature of the report is that the commissioners declare that they found they were able to purchase standard stock abroad at an average of about $500 less an animal than they can be bought for in this country. Ten stallions were imported from Europe, their cost averaging $950 each. In this country, purchased from importers or Western breeders, this same stock would have cost anywhere from $1,500 to $2,500. The stallions bought abroad were seven Percherons, one English hackney and three Clydesdales. They were shipped and received in excellent condition, and afterward distributed in various counties of the State under the provisions of the law creating the commission. The cost of maintenance of these stallions per year, this expense being born by breeders' associations using them, is from $200 to $365.

Statistics of the report show that of 287 stallions examined during the year, 125 were found to be of pure breeding and registered, while 153 were grades. Certificates were issued to 247 stallions that passed the examination, while forty were found to be unsound and were therefore rejected.

### TONG FEUD INVADES JERSEY.

Long Branch, Jan. 14.—The tong feud that has disturbed New York's Chinatown has spread to this place. It was learned Wednesday that the shooting of Charley Wing Tuesday morning by Chong Sam, a laundryman, was in pursuance of instructions from New York. Chong, who has a store in Broadway, near Pearl street, this city, was taken before City Recorder Van Doren Wednesday. The prisoner was confronted by his victim and friends of Wing from New York, and demanded that they be searched as he feared assassination.

Chong is apparently indifferent as to how long he may be imprisoned, as he is certain his life will be taken by Wing's friends whenever he is freed. With Wing in court were several members of the On Leong Tong from New York, but the comrades of Chong in the Four Brothers Society failed to appear. The county prosecutor has letters indicating that Chong was ordered to shoot Wing and Tong brethren in Manhattan. He pretended to be Wing's friend, but only to get an opportunity of carrying out his instructions. He fired five shots, of which three hit Wing's arms and one lodged near the victim's stomach. Wing recovered sufficiently to appear against Chong, and asked that the case be put over until he became stronger.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

# The Plainfield Trust Company

## Report (condensed) as rendered to the Department of Banking, State of New Jersey

December the thirty-first nineteen hundred nine.

| ASSETS. | | LIABILITIES. | | Comparative 1908 | Comparative 1909 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| R. R. and other bonds (book value) [Market value $593,730.50] | $ 580,475.36 | Capital Stock | $ 100,000.00 | | |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 | Surplus and Undivided Profits | 202,501.58 | | |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 | Accrued Interest | 4,249.15 | | |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 | Deposits— Time $1,015,641.78 | | Deposits— | |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 | Demand 1,799,562.16 | | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 | | 2,815,203.94 | Surplus and Profits— | |
| Overdrafts, None | | | | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Cash | 454,592.95 | | | Banking House— | |
| | $3,121,954.67 | | $3,121,954.67 | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |

# Honest Statements and Good Goods

These with the Proper Advertising have, been the Keynotes of the

## Wonderful Business Story

Which We Told You in the First of Our

## Greatest Clearing Sale

That our efforts have been appreciated is shown by the Enthusiastic Talk of Our Patrons; it has been necessary for us to hold this sale to continue our policy of carrying no goods over, and we invite you one and all to participate in this coming week's feast of Low Prices.

### Bargains

**Daisy Cloth Gowns,** would be a bargain at $1. Special **59c**

**Panama Skirts,** Black, Blue and Brown, go at **$1.00**

**Children's Coats,** 2 to 5 yrs, to see them, sells them **$1.00**

**SWEATERS,** Regular $1.25, take them at ..... **69c**

**Ladies' Short Coats,** were $5.00, to go at ..... **1.00**

**79c WAISTS for - - 39c**

**White Muslin Skirts,** with deep emb. flounce worth 1 50, for **79c**

**$1.25 BLACK Hydegrade Petticoats at 69c**

**$3 Net Waists** at..... **$1.30**

**$4 00, $5 00 & $6.00 MISSES' COATS,** odd lots, take them at..... **$1.90**

### Dresses

$11.98 DRESSES for - **$5.98**
$15.98 DRESSES for - **$8.98**
$28.98 DRESSES for - **$14.98**

### Suits

$15.98 SUITS for - **$7.98**
$8.00 SUITS for - - **$3.98**
$11.00 SUITS for - **$5.98**
$19.98 SUITS for - - **$9.98**
$25.00 SUITS for - **$12.98**
$35.00 SUITS for - **$18.98**
$50.00 SUITS for - **$25.00**

**Come For These Dress Skirts**

**$1.49** for SKIRTS worth 3.00
**$1.98** for SKIRTS worth 3.98
**$2.98** for SKIRTT worth 6.00
**$3.98** for Skirts worth up to $9

**RUSSIAN PONY COATS,** Guaranteed, to go at - - - - **$29.00 & $35.00**

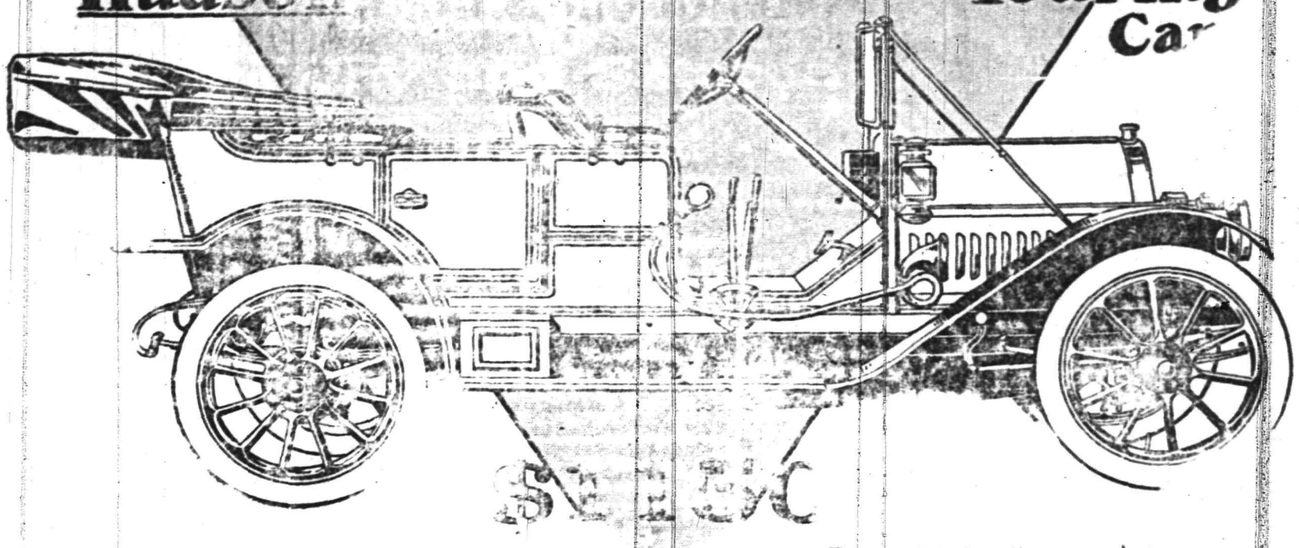
### COATS

$8.00 COATS at - - **$3.90** | $12.00 COATS at - **$5.90**
$10.00 COATS at - **$4.90** | $15.00 COATS at - **$8.95**

# The Paris

**214 West Front Street Plainfield, N. J.**

# The Hudson Touring Car



... Triangle on the Radiator

This price includes three oil lamps, two gas lamps, generator, horn, tire repair outfit, tools and jack

## Strength—Beauty—Room—Refinement

Think what this car is—110-inch wheelbase; 4-cylinder motor; 32-inch wheels; 3½-inch tires all around; five-passenger capacity—and the price, $1150.

Never before has there been offered such a car at such a price. This is not just a hasty statement of our own. Can you think, yourself, of any other four-cylinder 110-inch wheel base, five-passenger car at $1150 or less.

You will find these features in other cars, but those cars sell for at least $100 to $200 more. You will find still other cars selling for less than $1150, but they do not have our high-grade features. The Hudson Touring Car is the best *value,* the best *buy* yet offered by any automobile manufacturer. By this, we mean you get relatively more ***for your money*** than in any other car.

There are certain proved features of motor car construction which any car must have before it can be considered an up-to-date, high-grade car.

The Hudson has those features. To those makers who show you the same features, we point to our price; it is lower than their's. To those who offer cars below $1150, we point to our high-grade features; they do not have them.

**From one class we are set off by our price; from another by our quality.**

The Hudson is ***strong,*** because the careful plans of a great engineer have been expressed by the best material that money can buy.

It has plenty of ***room***—many cars are big and heavy without being roomy. The Hudson is big and roomy without being too heavy.

The Hudson has ***beauty***—not merely the beauty of paint—but the beauty of balance, of perfect proportion. Many touring cars look "bunched." In the Hudson over-all length, hood, body, wheels, harmonize to make a whole effect that pleases the eye.

No other touring car at or near the price has so many features and refinements in common with the most expensive cars.

### *High Grade Hudson Features*

Its motor is the Renault Type, patterned after the famous Renault motors of France. It is the same type of motor as used in the Hudson Roadster; four cylinders "en bloc;" vertical, water cooled, long stroke, 20 to 25 H. P. Due to its long stroke this motor pulls quietly and evenly at low engine speeds.

Transmission is selective, sliding gear; three speeds forward and one reverse—the same transmission as found on the highest priced cars.

The spring suspension is the same as used on cars costing up to $6000. Semi-elliptic front and ¾ elliptic rear, unusually long, mounted with heavy, strong fittings. Clutch is leather faced cone type; rear axle semi-floating, shaft driven. Front axle "I" beam section, drop forged, of carefully selected, high grade steel.

### *Hudson Refinements*

When we say the Hudson has refinement, we mean that many little things, of small importance, one by one, but meaning in their total, comfort and satisfaction to the owner, have been put into this car.

See how the rear fenders are inset against the body; how the fenders throughout are absolutely mud-proof. Inset fenders are a feature of very high-priced cars.

The unusual leg room and big 18 inch steering wheel mean ***comfort.*** No standard touring car at any price provides as much leg room as the Hudson.

Doors are big, hung on heavy curved hinges, allowing maximum entrance and exit space.

The Toe boards, spring steps and running boards are beautiful aluminum castings. No bolts show through the foot board, nothing to catch a dress or coat or look unsightly. The floor board is covered with pyramided white rubber of best quality, except where driver's heels rest and this part is reinforced by an aluminum plate.

The foot accelerator is something entirely new in design and does not tire the foot.

The body is built with wheel-housing, that is, the body curves out over the rear wheels, allowing a big, comfortable, roomy tonneau. Car is finished and upholstered like the best.

### *Why you get more value in a Hudson*

**We have been asked how we can give so much for the money and our answer is: *Because we know how.* Two engineers could undertake each to build a railroad from New York to Chicago—roads to be of equal length; one man would build a better road for the same money than the other, or the same road for less money than the other. It is so in the automobile business; one set of men will build a better car at less money than another. It is simply a question of ability.**

**See this car—ride in it—compare it with other cars and you will say that no matter just *how* we do it, the fact remains that we *do* give the most at the price.**

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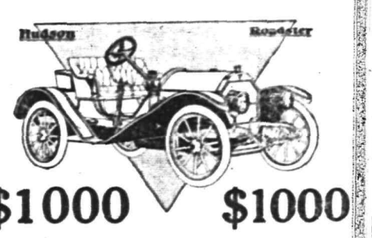


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| Ponies. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Vail | 182 | 191 | 174 |
| Dent | 145 | 168 | 154 |
| Conover | 131 | 168 | 168 |
| Eller | 197 | 149 | 195 |
| Skinner | 196 | 172 | 192 |
| | 851 | 848 | 883 |
| **Elks.** | | | |
| Kiely | 148 | 157 | 178 |
| Case | 153 | 155 | 148 |
| Van Emburgh | 150 | 155 | 189 |
| Teel | 159 | 164 | 179 |
| Stout | 168 | 171 | 160 |
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**Miss Duncan "Sweet Sixteen."**

Miss Jessie Duncan, of West Third street, gave a party last night to her young friends in honor of her sixteenth birthday. Miss Duncan received numerous presents and congratulations.

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**Exchange of Pulpits.**

At the morning service in the Seventh-Day Baptist church tomorrow morning, Rev. Henry N. Jordan, pastor of the New Market Seventh-Day Baptist church, will be the preacher, while the pastor of the local church will occupy the pulpit of the New Market church.

**C. E. Society Holds Meeting.**

The Christian Endeavor Society of the Netherwood Reformed church met last night at the home of the Misses Maude and Florence Disborough on Columbia avenue. A short business session was held, after which there was a social.

**Ladies' Guild Meets.**

The Ladies' Guild of the Netherwood Reformed church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Kate Yeomans, of Leland avenue, when Miss Maud Berry was elected president in place of Mrs. George D. Merkel, resigned. A social time followed.

**Pupils Have a Good Time.**

Despite the heavy snow storm, many pupils reached the Plainfield High School this morning. As it had been decided not to hold a regular session, the boys and girls spent the morning in dancing and playing basketball.

**Prayer Meeting Postponed.**

The weekly prayer meeting will not be held at the Seventh-Day Baptist church, tonight, on account of the storm.

# The Guest of Quesnay

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"If you please, we must not trouble this gentleman about it," said the professor hastily.

"But I wish to ask him her name," urged the other.

"No, no!" Keredec took him by the arm. "We must go!"

"But why?" persisted the young man.

"Not now!" The professor removed his broad felt hat and hurriedly wiped his vast and steaming brow. "It is better if we do not discuss it now."

"But I might not meet him again."

"I do not know the lady," I said, with some sharpness. "I have never seen her until this afternoon."

Upon this "that other monsieur" astonished me in good earnest. Searching my eyes eagerly with his clear, inquisitive gaze, he took a step toward me and said:

"You are sure you are telling the truth?"

The professor uttered an exclamation of horror, sprang forward and clutched his friend's arm again. "Malheureux!" he cried, and then to me: "Sir, you will give him pardon if you can. He has no meaning to be rude."

"Rude!" The young man's voice showed both astonishment and pain. "Was that rude? I didn't know. I didn't mean to be rude, God knows! Ah," he said sadly, "I do nothing but make mistakes. I hope you will forgive me."

"Ha, that is better!" shouted the great man. "We shall go home now and eat a good dinner. But first"—his silver rimmed spectacles twinkled upon me, and he bent his Brobdingnagian back in a bow which, against my will, reminded me of the courtesies performed by Orloff's dancing bears—"first let me speak some word for myself. My dear sir"—he addressed himself to me with grave formality—"do not suppose I have no realization that other excuses should be made to you. Believe me, they shall be. It is now that I see it is fortunate for us that you are our fellow inusman at Les Trois Pigeons."

CHAPTER IV.

NO doubt the most absurd thing I could have done after the departure of Professor Keredec and his singular friend would have been to settle myself before my canvas again with the intention of painting, and that is what I did. At least, I resumed my camp stool and went through some of the motions habitually connected with the act of painting.

In fine, I sat there brush paddling my failure like an automaton and saying over and over aloud: "What is wrong with him? What is wrong with him?"

I came out of my varicolored study with a start, caused by the discovery that I had absentmindedly squeezed upon my palette the entire contents of an expensive tube of covalt violet.

The turpentine rag at least proved effective. I scoured away the last tokens of my failure with it, wishing that life were like the canvas and that men had knowledge of the right celestial turpentine. After that I cleaned my brushes, packed and shouldered my kit and, with a final imprecation upon all sausage sandwiches, took up my way once more to Les Trois Pigeons.

Striding along at a good gait and chanting sonorously, "On Linden when the sun was low," I left the rougher boscages of the forest behind me and emerged just at sunset upon an orderly fringe of woodland where the ground was neat and unincumbered and the trimmed trees stood at polite distances, bowing slightly to one another with small, well bred rustlings.

I stood upon Quesnay ground.

Before me stretched a short, broad avenue of turf, leading to the chateau gates. A slope was terraced with strips of flower gardens and intervals of sward, and against the green of a rising lawn I marked the figure of a woman pausing to bend over some flowering bush. The lady upon the slope was Mme. d'Armand, the inspiration of Amedee's "Monsier has much to live for."

Once more this day I indorsed that worthy man's opinion, for, though I was too far distant to see clearly, I knew that roses trimmed Mme. d'Armand's white hat and that she had passed me no long time since in the forest.

I had come far out of my way, so I retraced my steps to the intersection of the paths and thence made for the inn by my accustomed route. Not far along the road from where I came into it stood an old, brown, deep thatched cottage, a branch of brushwood over the door prettily beckoning travelers to the knowledge that cider was here for the thirsty, and as I drew near I perceived that one availed himself of the invitation. A group stood about the open door, the lamplight from within disclosing the head of the house filling a cup for the wayfarer.

The latter was a most mundane and elaborate wayfarer indeed—a small young man very lightly made, like a jockey and point device in khaki, puttees, pongee yap, white and green stock, a knapsack on his back and a bamboo stick under his arm. He spoke, though with a detestable accent, in a rough and ready, picked up dialect of Parisian slang, while Pere Baudry contributed his share of the conversation in a slow patois. As both men spoke at the same time and neither understood two consecutive words the other said, it struck me that the dialogue might prove unproductive of any highly important results this side of Michaelmas. Therefore, discovering that the very pedestrian gentleman was making some sort of inquiry concerning Les Trois Pigeons, I came to a halt and proffered aid.

"Are you looking for Mme. Brossard's?" I asked in English.

The traveler uttered an exclamation and faced about with a jump, birdlike for quickness.

"Say," he responded in a voice of unpleasant nasality, finally deciding upon speech, "you're 'Nummeric's, ain't you?"

"Yes," I returned. "I thought I heard you inquiring for"—

"Well, m' friend, you can sting me," he interrupted, with condescending jocularity. "My style French does fr and his voice showed that he was greatly disquieted. "What is he like?"

"As well as I can tell you, he's like an odd but very engaging boy, with something pathetic about him, quite splendidly handsome"—

"Oh, he had good looks to spare when I first knew him," George said bitterly.

"No. When he came here he did not know of her existence except in the vaguest way. But, to go back to that, I'd better tell you first that the woman we saw with him one day on the boulevard and who was in the accident with him"—

"La Mursiana, the dancer; I know."

"She had got him to go through a marriage with her."

"What?" Ward's eyes flashed as he shouted the word.

"It seems inexplicable; but, as I understand it, he was never quite sober at that time. He had begun to use drugs and was often in a half stupefied condition. As a matter of fact, the woman did what she pleased with him. There's no doubt about the validity of the marriage."

George asked suddenly, "Did this marriage take place in France?"

"Yes; you'd better hear me through," I remonstrated. "When he was taken from the hospital he was placed in charge of a Professor Keredec, a madman of whom you've probably heard."

"Madman? Why, no; he's a member of the institute, a psychologist or metaphysician, isn't he? At any rate, of considerable celebrity."

"Nevertheless," I insisted grimly, "as misty a vaporer as I ever saw; a poetic, self contradicting and inconsistent orator. Harman's aunt put him in Keredec's charge, and he was taken up into the Tyrol and virtually hidden for two years, the idea being literally to give him something like an education. Keredec's phrase is, 'restore mind to his soul!'—It was as vital to get him out of his horrible wife's clutches. But she picked up that rat in the garden out yonder—he'd been some sort of stable manager for Harman once—and set him on the track."

"She wants money, of course."

"Yes; more money. A fair allowance has always been sent to her. Keredec has interviewed her notary, and she wants a settlement, naming a sum actually larger than the whole estate amounts to. She refuses to budge until this impossible settlement is made. In the meantime Keredec's ward is in so dreadful a state of horror and grief I am afraid it is possible that his mind may really give way."

"When was it that Louise saw him?"

"Ah, that," I said, "is where Keredec has been a poet and a dreamer indeed. It was his plan that they should meet."

"You mean he brought this wreck of Harman, these husks and shreds of a man, down here for Louise to see?" Ward cried incredulously. "Oh, monstrous!"

"There is something behind all this that you don't know," he said slowly. "When did Keredec make you his confidant?"

"Last night. Most of what I learned was as much a revelation to his victim as it was to me. Harman did not know till then that the lady he had been meeting has been his wife or that he had ever seen her before he came here. He had mistaken her name, and she did not enlighten him."

"Meeting?" said Ward harshly.

"They have been meeting every day, George."

"I won't believe it."

"It's true. He spoke to her in the woods one day; I was there and saw it. I know now that she knew him at once, and she ran away, but not in anger. They've been together every day since then, and I'm afraid—miserably afraid, Ward—that her old feeling for him has been revived."

I have heard Ward use an oath only two or three times in my life, and this was one of them.

"Oh, by ——!" he cried, starting to his feet. "I should like to meet Professor Keredec."

"I am at your service, my dear sir," said a deep voice from the veranda. And, opening the door, the professor walked into the room.

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# THE MIGHTY HERRING

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## COST ONE KING HIS LIFE.

**The Herring Fisheries Proved an Important Factor in the Overthrow and Ultimate Execution by the Headsman of Charles I. of England.**

A tale as stirring as any fiction could be based on the part played by the sea herring in the history of some of the principal countries, writes Hugh M. Smith in the National Geographic Magazine. Its spawning and feeding grounds have determined the location of cities, and in several instances the actual destiny of nations and the fate of monarchs appear to have been involved in the herring fishery. Even today the herring is a factor in empire.

Countries in which the quest of the herring is an important industry are the United States, the Canadian provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Quebec and British Columbia, Newfoundland, England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland, Norway, Sweden and Denmark, Russia, Germany, Holland, Belgium, France, Japan and Siberia.

The prosecution of the herring fishery and trade has been considered not beneath the dignity of nobility and royalty. Fitz-Greene Halleck tells us that—

Lord Stafford mines for coal and salt,
The Duke of Norfolk deals in malt,
The Douglas in red herrings.

In 1677 the Duke of York and other personages of rank formed a corporation called "the Company of the Royal Fishery of England" for the purpose of carrying on the herring fishery in the North sea. They built a fleet of Dutch "busses" and manned them with Dutch fishermen and then were bankrupted by the capture of their vessels during a war with France. In 1720 some 2,000 of "the principal gentlemen of Scotland" formed a company for herring fishing, but were quickly disrupted, leaving a mournful lot of stockholders.

In 1750 the Prince of Wales became president, or governor, of a herring fishery, with a capital of $2,500,000, whose members "were among the first men in the kingdom," one of the promoters being General James Oglethorpe, founder of the state of Georgia. Stock was taken with eagerness, vessels were built quickly, and efforts were made to learn the secrets of the Dutch methods of curing herring, but the company soon suspended, and its failure cast on the English herring fishery an odium that continued for a long time.

It is a matter of great historical interest that the herring fisheries should have been a prime and perhaps the most important factor in the overthrow of Charles I., whose attitude toward the development of home and colonial fisheries was most unreasonable and unfortunate. At a time when the Dutch herring fishery had attained such magnitude and importance that it was regarded as the "right arm of Holland" and when the sturdy Dutch fishermen were pursuing their lucrative calling under the encouragement of their government the English people were chafing under the grievous restrictions imposed by royal approval on all who desired to engage in fishing anywhere off the American coast between the fortieth and forty-eighth degrees of north latitude.

This effort on the part of the crown to interfere with the cherished privilege of "free fishing" had begun under James and was bequeathed to Charles and was perhaps the first in the series of farreaching differences that sprung up relative to the prerogative of the crown as against the rights of the subject.

At the same time there was another restriction placed on the fishermen at home. When James ascended the throne of England his navy consisted of but thirteen vessels, and Charles succeeded to a war fleet but little stronger and utterly inadequate to cope with the navy of the Dutch or French.

After Charles had been successfully opposed by the commons in his plan to have no fishing conducted on the American shores except by permission of the company of "noblemen, knights and gentlemen" known as the council of Plymouth he levied "ship money" on the fishing and mercantile vessels at home in order to build up his navy, with the distinct object of breaking up the Dutch herring fishery on the shores of England and driving the Dutch from "the four narrow seas" over which England claimed jurisdiction.

At the expense of the fisheries and navigation Charles finally fitted out the largest war fleet England had ever had and succeeded in his purpose, so far as the Dutch were concerned, but the levying of "ship money" stirred up civil war at home, and Charles paid the extreme penalty.

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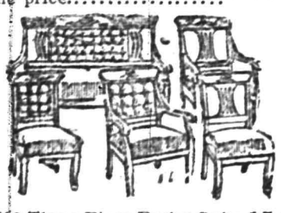

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## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

**Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 16, 1910.**

Topic.—Candles under bushels.—Matt. v. 13-16. Comment by Rev. Sherman M. Doyle, D. D.

The topical inference is a paragraph from the Sermon on the Mount. In the preceding part of this sermon Christ has in what are commonly called "the beatitudes" described the characteristics of those who are members of the kingdom of heaven, here meaning His spiritual kindom upon earth. In the paragraph before us He briefly, but most comprehensively, describes the relation of the members of His kingdom to the outside world under the two figures of salt and light. The figure of salt illustrates that His kingdom is to purify and preserve the world. But if the salt loses its savor it is good for nothing and is cast out and trodden under foot of men. In the east salt does lose its saltiness by exposure and by adulteration by mixing with other foreign substances and is then worse than worthless. So the church without the qualification described in the beatitudes can accomplish nothing so far as purifying and preserving the world are concerned. If it be Christless it will drive the world from Christ rather than to Him.

The second figure, that of light, is more pertinent to the subject suggested. The spiritual kingdom, or, rather its members, are "the light of the world. * * * Men do not light a candle [lamp] and put it under a bushel [an eastern measure holding about a peck], but on the stand [lamp stand], and it giveth light to all that are in the house. Therefore let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works and glorify your father, which is in heaven."

Candles or lamps under bushels! What supreme folly! Why light a lamp to put it under a bushel? The bushel would but hide its light and therefore waste the oil that was being burned. Why should the disciples of Christ, therefore, try to hide the light of their godly lives and good works? Who thus would be led to God? No one, for light to lead, must be seen. A covered lighthouse in time of storm would save no shipwrecked vessel. Nor do men act so foolishly in earthly matters. Lighthouse keepers see that their lights are shining their best in the midst of a storm. They desire above all things to turn approaching vessels from the rocks and shoals and direct them to a safe harbor. Yet many Christians put their candles under bushels. Some do so because of a false modesty. They may well keep the light from shining upon them, but never fear to let it shine to the glory of God. Others may have some doubts and are afraid to speak out and act out for God. Others still have a misunderstanding of Christ's words, "Let not thy right hand know what thy left hand doeth." In this instance Christ was warning them against the selfish display of the Pharisees, but to ascribe our good works to God's grace and to let them shine for Him is a duty and not a deception. Let your light shine to the glory of God.

BIBLE READINGS.

Ps. lxvi. 1-4; Ps. cvii. 1-8; Isa. xli. 7-10; Jonah i. 1-17; John i. 1-5; Acts xi. 1-6; John xii. 42, 43; Matt. xxii. 37-39; I Kings xix. 1-8; II Chron. xxi. 1-10.

### A Road Out of Ruts.

One good way to get out of ruts in Christian Endeavor meetings is to break away from the regular topic once in awhile and introduce some other subject which may be treated by one or by several Endeavorers, by the pastor or by a stranger, according to circumstances. There are interesting themes by the score. Try a discussion or even a description of the institutional church and its work. Get some one from the Y. M. C. A. to tell about the work and plans of that institution. Make a special meeting to discuss some part of Sheldon's "In His Steps." Try also national evenings, if you will, in socials. Thus you may have a Scottish night, with a social run along the lines of a Scottish soirée, the particulars of which any Scotchman will be happy to give. An English night may be tried, with English refreshments; so also a German night, a Dutch night, a French night, and so on. If socials be impracticable, then have a Scottish night with Scotch subjects. Take, for example, "Christ's Scottish ambassadors, Knox, Livingstone, Drummond." Luther's life will fit into the German night and give ample opportunity for stereopticon views. Plan new things. Keep your eyes open for ideas. They are floating in the air all around you. Look for them.—Rev. R. P. Anderson in Christian Endeavor World.

### Secretary Shaw's Surprise.

A pleasant surprise was given to General Secretary Shaw by the Endeavorers and friends of his home town, Ballardvale, Mass., just before his departure for India and around the world. Not only the young people and the juniors, but the Sunday school as well, gathered at a reception in his honor, and a beautiful jeweled Christian Endeavor pin, together with a sum of money, was presented to him as a token of the esteem and affection in which he is held by his friends and neighbors.

### Hymn For a C. E. Consecration Service.

"MY VOW IN PRAYER."

Blessed Master, I have promised,
Hear my solemn vow:
Take this pledge of mine and seal it
Here and now.
Strength of mine is only weakness,
Thine is strength indeed.
Strengthen me in fullest measure
As I need.
Let no worldly cares nor pleasures
Call my heart away.
Save me, Lord, and keep me faithful
Day by day.

—Dr. C. A. Dickinson in Australian Christian Endeavor Link.

JANUARY FIFTEENTH.

1899—George Gemunder, of world-wide fame as a maker of violins, died in New York city; born 1816.

# THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER

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## LOCAL LAYMEN MOVEMENT

### Inspiration is Taken from the Big Gathering in New York City.

PLAINFIELDERS WERE THERE.

"Evangelize the World In This Generation" Is the Slogan Cry of the Business Men.

General Secretary Herbert E. Parker, of the Y. M. C. A., is planning to hold a men's union service in this city on Tuesday night, January 25, when several prominent speakers will address the gathering. The meeting will be in the interest of the General Forward Laymen's Missionary Movement, which was held in New York city this week, and some of those who spoke at the meetings will be heard here. The place for holding the meeting will be announced later.

About 1,800 men sat down last night at the dinner given to the Greater New York convention of the laymen's missionary movement in the new ballroom at the Hotel Astor, New York, and fully 500 more found seats in the balconies in time to listen to the speakers who told what the business men of the country are doing and can do to bring about the object of the movement to "evangelize the world in this generation."

The gathering would have been regarded as remarkable on a fair weather evening and the significance of this was pointed out by Alfred E. Marling, the real estate dealer, who presided, when he said that he had no letters of regret and no telegrams were read. At the end of the dinner the laymen stood up and sang "Stand Up for Jesus." The convention members can sing and led by the large pipe organ of the ballroom they gave the hymn with zest. There were several fine addresses after the dinner.

The Plainfielders present were Charles W. McCutchen, Samuel Bingaman, Alexander Gilbert, E. L. Bonny, J. Herbert Case, John G. MacLaughlin, H. W. Herrman, J. Henry Crane, Harry Gee, Rev. Dr. Charles M. Anderson, George M. Rittenhouse, Rev. John Y. Brock, Alexander Grosset, James W. DeGraff, F. A. Martin, William D. Murray, Dr. F. W. French, James R. Joy, Nelson A. Miller, Walter M. McGee, Herbert E. Parker, F. R. Stevens, George R. Cornwell and William R. Codington.

## FORMER PLAINFIELDER PLAYS THE HERO PART

John Finnegan, a former resident of West Fourth street, but who for the past eight years has been living at Kearney, is a candidate for a Carnegie medal for conspicuous bravery displayed recently while attending to his duties as a policeman in that town.

On Wednesday, January 5, he rescued two small childen from being run over by a trolley car. The little ones had slipped on the snow in their hurry to cross the street ahead of an approaching trolley car. Finnegan, however, was "Johnny on the spot." He leaped in front of the trolley and snatched the little girls off the track just in the nick of time.

On Wednesday of this week, Finnegan was once more a hero, when he rescued a boy from drowning in the Passaic river. The latter was skating and broke through the ice. Finnegan heard the youngster's cries, hurried to the scene, laid down on the ice, and pulled the lad out with the aid of his "billy."

Kearney town council is going to reward him in a suitable manner at its next meeting. Kearney became famous all over the country last summer by furnishing "Dots" Miller to the baseball world; now Finnegan has contributed his share toward booming the town.

### Mrs. Catharine F. Randolph.

Mrs. Catharine F. Randolph, widow of the late Isaac F. Randolph, who died on Thursday, left one son, Howard A. Randolph, of 532 West Front street, another son, Albert J., having died some time ago. She is also survived by two brothers, L. L. Manning and Daniel H. Manning and one sister, Mrs. David H. Townsend. Her other brothers were the late Abel, Joel and Jeremiah Manning. The funeral will be held tomorrow, Sunday afternoon from the residence of her son, Howard A. Randolph, at 2:30 o'clock.

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**Cost of Education.**

Current expenses of the schools, $11,569,640.33; increase over preceding year, $1,253,154.13; percentage of increase, 12.14.

Average cost per pupil calculated on enrollment, $27.25; increase over preceding year, $1.64.

Average cost per pupil calculated on average attendance, $37.36; increase over preceding year, $1.68.

**Appropriations, 1909-1910.**

State school tax, $4,968,253.24; increase over preceding year, $916,892.92; percentage of increase, 22.6.

State appropriation to reduce State school tax, $100,000; decrease from preceding year, $912,840.08; percentage of increase, 90.2.

Total amount of 2¾ mill tax, $5,068,253.24; increase over preceding year, $4,052.84; percentage of increase, .08.

District school tax, including building and repairs and bonds and interest, $6,513,206.65; decrease from preceding year, $193,712.83; percentage of decrease, 2.88.

**School Buildings.**

Number of school buildings owned, 1,978; number of buildings rented, 74; number of buildings used, 2,050; number of school buildings erected during year, 60; number enlarged, remodeled or refurnished, 93; number of children the school buildings will seat, 427,719; increase over preceding year, 31,423; total value of school property, $33,900,466; increase over preceding year, $5,318,108; percentage of increase, 18.6; average value of New Jersey school buildings, $17,138.

**Teachers.**

Number of male teachers employed in the state, 1,098; decrease from preceding year, 8.

Number of female teachers employed in the state, 9,636; increase over preceding year, 463.

Ratio of male teachers to female teachers as 1 to 8 8-10; ratio of preceding school year was as 1 to 8 3-10.

Total number of teachers employed, 10,734; increase over preceding year, 455; percentage of increase, 4.4.

Average salary per year paid to all teachers, $751.92; increase over preceding year, $54.86; percentage of increase, 7.87.

**Attendance.**

Total enrollment in the public schools, 424,534; increase over preceding year, 21,668; percentage of increase, 5.1.

Total days of attendance during the year, 58,253,445; increase over preceding year, 2,848,200; percentage of increase, 4.9.

Average number of pupils on roll, 333,323; increase over preceding year, 19,797; percentage of increase, 6.1.

Average daily attendance, 309,661; increase over preceding year, 20,494; percentage of increase, 6.6.

Number of pupils neither absent nor tardy, 13,052; increase over preceding year, 3,515.

### Hope Chapel Services.

William A. Halliday will preach tomorrow morning at Hope chapel in the absence of the pastor, Rev. L. R. Howard, who is conducting week of prayer services at Atlanta University, Atlanta, Ga. There will be no evening service at the chapel tomorrow night as the congregation will unite with congregations of the Crescent Avenue, the parent church, and Warren and Bethel chapels in the memorial service for the late Rev. Dr. William R. Richards.

### Special Missionary Meeting.

A special service will be held at the First M. E. church tomorrow night in the interest of the General Forward Missionary Movement, the sessions of which have been held in New York this week. Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, pastor, will have something of interest to say on the subject.

## SAY THEY'RE STARLINGS

### Fire Headquarters Visitors at Last Identified — Are Becoming Tame.

FIREMEN CARING FOR THEM.

Said to Be Imitative, Learning to Whistle and Talk—Are Quite at Home Now.

The story appearing in Monday's issue of The Daily Press announcing the arrival at fire headquarters of a flock of birds, whose specie was new in this vicinity, has excited curosity and interest in local ornithological circles.

Fire Chief Doane, who called the attention of a Daily Press reporter to the birds, as a result of the story, yesterday received numerous suggestions by telephone, mail and in person, as to the corect name of the flock.

The consensus of opinion among the experts is that the birds are English or German starlings. Several persons who visited the fire house and saw the birds classified them as English starlings.

From the description of the birds in the story the Rev. E. R. Nickerson, pastor of All Souls' Unitarian church, who has made a lifelong study of birds, their lives and habits, etc., and who is considered an authority on the subject, is inclined to believe that they are of the Canadian Jay tribe. Mr. Nickerson, however, expects to visit headquarters and see for himself and after doing so he will probably be able to identify the species, which will settle all arguments on the subject.

Dr. J. Hervey Buchanon believes the birds are of the starling class, and similar to a flock of about twenty which recently appeared at Muhlenberg Hospital.

According to a local authority the English starling were brought to this country a few years ago the birds being distributed in Central Park, New York and on Long Island. He entertains the opinion that the flock is a branch of the original family.

The starling, he said, is abundant in most parts of Great Britain and Europe, frequently visiting Africa in its migration. They subsist chiefly on snails, worms, insects and berries and generally make their homes in hollows of old trees or in the lofts of barns or empty buildings. They can be readily distinguished from all other birds, he said, by their whirling method of flight. They become exceedingly familiar in confinement and display great imitative powers, learning to whistle tunes and to articulate words and phrases with great distinctness.

The firemen are taking a big interest in the matter. They have fallen in love with the birds and their spare moments are being utilized in constructing a wooden house for their comfort. When completed it will be raised to the top of a pole in the yard in the rear of headquarters.

## HAND AND VAN FLEET ESCAPE WITH A FINE

The case of Thomas Hand and Herbert VanFleet, who were charged with cruelty to animals by the special agent of the Humane Society was decided this morning by City Judge William N. Runyon. Hand and VanFleet were exonerated from the charge of cruelty, but were each fined $2.50 for shooting firearms within the city limits.

Mrs. Van Hoesen was disappointed in the decision of the court as she had hoped for conviction in the matter. She rode from Fanwood this morning on the back of a horse so as to see the case through to a finish. The evidence in the case, as tried before Judge Runyon last week showed that Hand and VanFleet shot two dogs, the property of James Kiely, of South avenue. One of the dogs was not killed outright and after recovering from the shock of the first shot in the throat managed to crawl away to a barn belonging to Robert Guttridge at 1237 South avenue and remained there for three days.

The dog finally crawled home again and was found by Mr. Kiely's daughter, who tried to nurse it back to health, but the wound in the animal's throat was too severe to permit of recovery. A. F. Carpenter, a vetinary surgeon accompanied by Detective Sergeant Flynn, were called to examine the dog which was finally destroyed when Dr. Carpenter decided that the animal was beyond help.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

## TEA FOR BRIDE-ELECT A CHARMING AFFAIR

Mrs. Edward H. Hobbie and her sister, Miss Mary Barlow, of Prospect place, gave a delightful tea yesterday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Hobbie, 1216 Putnam avenue, for Miss Ethel Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr., whose marriage to William Barlow, Jr., will take place on Thursday night, January 20.

The decorations were green and white, the arrangement in the parlors and dining room being particularly effective. Mrs. George L. Babcock and Mrs. Lewis A. Williams poured tea in the dining room, assisted by the following:

Miss Isabel Scott, Miss Christine Scott, Miss May Faber, Miss Louise Saunders, Miss May Murray, Mrs. H. P. Henriques, Mrs. Charles D. Stillman, Mrs. Charles Barlow and Miss Kate Barlow, of this city, and Miss Katherine Hartshorne, of Freehold.

After the tea a number remained for dinner and in the evening the young people enpoyed a dance.

## MAYOR FISK'S CABINET HOLDS A CONFERENCE

Mayor Charles J. Fisk held the first of a series of cabinet meetings in his office, yesterday afternoon, when he called all of the heads of the city departments together for a conference. Those present were Street Commissioner Andrew J. Gavett, Tax Collector William R. Townsend, Chief of Police Patrick S. Kiely; Chief of Fire Department T. O. Doane, City Treasurer William F. Arnold, City Clerk James T. MacMurray, Overseer-of-the-Poor Alexander D. Ayers and Acting Health Officer John O'Brien.

It is the intention of Mr. Fisk to hold these cabinet meetings at his office every Friday afternoon for the purpose of discussing matters pertaining to each department. Little was accomplished yesterday, it being the first conference, but there is every indication that much good will result. It is Mr. Fisk's purpose to have all the departments work in harmony and not independently, as has been the custom in the past.

Yesterday's conference was devoted to an informal discussion of affairs pertaining to the different departments, and by the time the next meeting is held it will be possible to offer numerous suggestions for improvements which will be taken up with the Councilmanic committees. In this way the city officials hope to bring about a more thorough understanding concerning municipal affairs.

### Wedding After Easter.

Announcement is made in Southern papers of the engagement of Miss Mary Mauldin Chambliss, of Brownsville, Tenn., to Gifford Webster Cooley, of the borough. The wedding, it is understood, will take place soon after Easter. Miss Chambliss is a daughter of Robert McHardy Chambliss, a well known banker of West Tennesee, and a granddaughter of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Chambliss, of this city.

### Women's Relief Corps Social.

The Women's Relief Corps held a successful dime social in the rooms at Reform Hall, last night. There was an informal program of instrumental and vocal music and recitations by the members and refreshments were served. There was a good attendance and a considerable sum was realized. Mrs. Henry Frazee was chairman of the committee in charge.

### Mr. Hettrick's Denial.

Fred Hettrick, of Scotch Plains, denies that he sold liquor under priced, when his place was refused a license or that there was any "jamboree" incidental to the closing up of his place. According to Mr. Hettrick there was no brawl nor any other trouble, and says he still has the stock which was on hand when the place closed up.

### F. H. Smith Is Re-elected.

County Registrar Frank H. Smith was re-elected a director of the Rahway National Bank at the annual meeting of the stockholders this week, and in the organization was chosen vice-president. Mr. Smith is also a director of The Plainfield Trust Company, having been re-elected at the annual meeting of the stockholders this week.

### Will Hold Euchre and Dance.

The Four Leaf Clover Club will hold its annual euchre and dance in Debele's Hall, Tuesday evening, February 1. The committee in charge comprises the following: President, Miss Kathryn Conshap; vice-president, Miss Nellie Percelle; secretary, Miss Mamie Carney; treasurer, Miss Frieda Keiser.

## STORM IS ABOUT OVER

### All Travellers Through the "Beautiful" Have Hard Time Getting Home.

A WARM WAVE IS EXPECTED.

Traffic Conditions Much Improved, But It Is Hard Pulling for Horses—Trolleys Have Little Trouble.

Contrary to the predictions of the weather sharps "Old Sol" stuck his benevolent face through the clouds this morning shortly after 9 o'clock today smiling beamingly down on the snow bound residents who were trying hard to push their way through some drifts which looked mountain high. With the opening of the clouds there came also the drip, drip of melting icicles and many a man anathmatized the cold sprinkles down the back of his neck.

The trolley service was a great deal better than after the Christmas day storm and only nominal delays occurred at hills. George Luhr, the efficient "man on the job," did Herculean work in clearing the tracks with the ploughs and sweepers, and directing the handling of the heavy traffic.

On Watchung avenue snow shovellers with their trucks were busy early this morning removing the accumulations of the night, and obstructed the headway of the cars. However, the system improved as the morning wore on and those poor fellows who had to climb over the snow drifts are still talking of the famous hill climbing contests they used to indulge in when they were young.

One wagon, coal laden, got stuck in a drift near the corner of Richmond and Third streets and it took some digging to ease up the drag on the horses. But they finally accomplished the removal of the wagon and the steaming horses. Traffic in the streets was impeded by the additional fall of last night, but the wagons were making a better job of it than in the last storm. Expressmen were especially careful of their horses and although their deliveries were somewhat retarded they managed to get to their destinations.

Wilson Frederick, the United States Express agent, stated this morning that, notwithstanding the heavy snowfall, the wagons of the company will complete their routes today and if they are not cleared up and all deliveries made extra wagons will be hired to complete the job by tonight. The heavy fall of snow added to that which was already on the ground makes it extremely hard for the horses, and extra care is being taken to prevent suffering to the animals.

All local trolley lines were kept open, thanks to Mr. Luhr.

Fourteen and six tenths inches of snow fell during the thirty-five hours of the storm's duration. This quantity added to that which was already on the ground makes thirty inches for the two storms. During the blizzard of 1888 20.9 inches fell. Clearing and warmer weather is confidently expected by those who are not expert on the weathr and it is not unlikely that freshets will occur.

## ENDED HIS OWN LIFE AT HIS HOME TODAY

Santiago Porcella, Sr., aged 55 years, a wealthy New York importer and commission merchant, committed suicide at his home, 203 Holly street, Cranford, this morning, by shooting himself in the head before a mirror. Worriment over the recent action of the Government in the Sugar Trust cases is said to have caused the man to take his life. He was a widower and leaves three children.

Porcella, who is an Italian, had his offices at 92 Wall street, New York city, and had resided in Cranford several years. Immediately after leaving his bed this morning he walked to the bureau in his room, picked up a revolver and shot himself in the head. The report of the revolver aroused members of the household who, upon rushing to Mr. Porcella's room, found him lying on the floor dead.

### Lecture on Astronomy.

The Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church instead of giving a banquet on Lincoln's Birthday this year, as usual, has arranged for an illustrated lecture by Professor Mitchell, of Columbia University, on "Astronomy," on Friday evening, February 11. Prof. Mitchell gave a similar lecture at the church last year and was heard by a large and appreciative audience.

## IN DR. RICHARDS' MEMORY

### Program for Special Service to Be Held by Former Congregation.

SPEAKERS ARE ANNOUNCED.

Appropriate Music to Be a Feature—A General Invitation to the Public Extended.

Memorial services for the Rev. Dr. William Rogers Richards will be held at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, tomorrow night. Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, the pastor, will preside, and there will be brief addresses by Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, of the First Presbyterian church; Rev. Charles L. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational church; Rev. F. D. Tilden, pastor of Bethel chapel; Rev. G. Kennedy Newell, formerly of Hope chapel, but now of West Orange; Leander N. Lovell, who will speak for the Session and George A. Strong, who will speak for the congregation. Revs. Goodrich, Newell, Herring and Tilden were all associated with Rev. Dr. Richards in the religious field here. Dr. Zelie will make brief introduction remarks.

Dr. Richards was pastor of the Crescent Avenue church for eighteen years and during his stay here endeared himself to the hearts of many Plainfielders. It was the earnest hope of many of his parishioners here that he would not accept the call to the Brick church, New York, and there was deep regret over his departure. The remarks of the speakers tomorrow night will concern the life and character of Dr. Richards. The congregations of the First Presbyterian, Hope and Warren chapel will unite in the memorial service.

Appropriate music will be a feature of the service to which all congregations are invited. Owing to previous arrangements, unfortunately several congregations will be unable to be represented.

### PLAINFIELD DENTISTS HOLD ANNUAL MEETING.

The monthly meeting and banquet of the Plainfield Dental Society was held Thursday afternoon and evening, and was of unusual interest. In the afternoon there was a clinic at the office of Dr. Frank T. Clawson, on Park avenue, where Dr. William Capon, of Philadelphia, a specialist, gave a practical demonstration of porcelain inlay.

This was followed in the evening by a dinner at "The Homestead," when Dr. Capon presented an interesting paper on the subject of "Porcelain Inlay," which was informally discussed afterward.

Those present were Drs. F. W. French, Charles L. Moore, Charles G. Davis, O. B. Whitford, Clive W. Montfort, Frank T. Clawson, George T. Moore, B. F. Leonard, Charles R. Thiers, Ray Stevens, Frank S. Wells, of this city; Dr. Hogan, of Dunellen; Dr. C. M. F. Egel, of Westfield, and Dr. Voorhees, of Somerville.

### CONSIDERING A SITE NOW FOR PROPOSED ARMORY.

At the request of Gen. Dennis F. Collins, of Elizabeth, Freeholder S. P. T. Wilbur, who is chairman of the committee from the Board of Freeholders in charge of the work of selecting a site for a new armory at Elizabeth, called a meeting of the committee yesterday afternoon. The military committee met with the freeholders and informally discussed the question of a site.

Several have been propsed and it is the opinion that it will not be a difficult matter to secure a suitable place to erect the armory.

### Visited His Grandfather.

Isador De Castro, a grandson of Bennett Brittin, of West Front street, who is a lieutenant of police in the city of Havana, Cuba, has returned to the tropical island after a brief visit with his relatives. Lieutenant De Castro was in New York in connection with the bringing of a prisoner extradited from the island republic and took the opportunity of seeing his folks at the West End. Mr. Brittin is reported as being seriously ill at his home, 1220 West Front street.

### F. W. Gray Will Probated.

The will of the late Frederick W. Gray, who died on January 1 as the result of injuries received by a fall, was offered for probate in the office of Surrogate George T. Parrot, Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon. Theodore Gray, a son, of West Front street, and Alfred W. Gray, a grandson, who is a minor, were named as executors. The value of the estate is not given.

—Reserve your seats for the McIntyre concert of Old Favorite Songs, January 27. Tickets at Armstrong's; $1.00. *** 1 13 3

## HURLED TO DEATH BY FLYER

### Martin Brennan Killed by B. & O. Train at Dunellen While Lighting Lamps.

WAS AN OLD RAILROAD MAN.

Storm Prevented Engineer From Seeing Man at Work Between the Tracks.

Martin Brennan, of Dunellen, was struck and instantly killed by an eastbound P. and R. express, at 5:30 o'clock last night, at the Greenbrook tanks. When Brennan was struck he was finishing his day's work of lighting the lamps situated between the tracks at that point.

Brennan's body was hurled a distance of forty feet. The accident was directly the result of the snowstorm and darkness which made it impossible for the engineer of the express to see Brennan at work between the tracks. The express stopped and carried the body of the dead man to Dunellen.

A pathetic feature of the tragedy was the notification of Mrs. Brennan, the wife of the dead man, of her husband's untimely death. This sad duty was performed by Engineer William Connolly, of Dunellen, an intimate friend of Brennan. He went to the house about two hours after the accident, or just about the time Brennan was due home. Mrs. Brennan, when she received the news, had supper all prepared for her husband. She was completely prostrated by the news.

Mr. Brennan was a native of Ireland and had been a resident of Dunellen for about thirty years. He was sixty-four years of age and had always been a "railroader" since taking up his residence at that place. For years he was employed by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company. At the time of the wreck on that road, at West Dunellen, nine years ago, in which several lives were lost, he was flagman at the disaster point. Soon after that accident he secured a position with the Jersey Central.

Surviving him are a wife, one daughter, and a son, Thomas Brennan. The funeral services will be held Monday morning at St. John's R. C. church at 9 o'clock. A service will also be held at the dead man's home at 8:30 o'clock.

## CAPT. "BILL" TOWNLEY RESCUES POOR KITTY

The sounds of a wailing cat disturbed the residents of South avenue on Wednesday and the pitiful meouw of the frightened feline continued night and day until yesterday afternoon, when a gallant rescue was made by Captain William Townley, of Company No. 4, of the east end.

The special officer of the S. P. C. A., who lives at Fanwood, was notified by telephone of the cat's plight and took immediate steps to help pussy. Chief T. O. Doane was called upon to allow the firemen of Captain Townley's command to attempt a rescue. The Chief was willing and issued the necessary orders. It was not long before Captain Townley and Fireman Dunn were on the job with the longest ladder on the truck.

But the ladder was about five feet short of the airy perch of the pet animal, which, by the way, belongs to Mrs. Walter H. Freeman, and was up a tree on her grounds, so Captain Bill had to shin up the rest of the way and rescue the handsome Maltese. The poor little animal was nearly starved and more than half grozen.

### Spending Money at Home.

A. E. Force, of A. E. Force & Co., is the author of an interesting article reproduced from "Playthings," a New York trade paper, that will be found on page six. It is entitled "Home Dollars Should Be Spent in Home Towns," and is well worth reading. Mr. Force is president of the Plainfield Merchants' Association.

### Emery Signs a Contract.

Jimmie Emery, who played third base for the Plainfield Baseball club last season, has appended his signature to a contract with the Reading Tri-State League club, and will be given a try-out in the spring. He will have two or three other players to compete against for the honors, but his friends believe he will make good.

### Will Render Special Music.

The choir of Grace M. E. church will render special music at the service tomorow night, and the pastor, Rev. Ora J. Shoop, will preach on the theme, "The Significant Word 'If.'"

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### SALE OF LAWN WAISTS

$1.00 WAISTS FOR ..... 49c

$1.25 WAISTS FOR ..... 75c

### HOUSEFURNISHINGS

15c DUST PANS, heavy Japanned, sale price ..... .09

59c WASTE PAPER BASKETS, assorted sizes & styles, sale price ..... .33

$1.19 MRS. POTTS' SAD IRONS, nickel and japanned, sale price ..... .79

40c PRESERVING KETTLES, 10 quart size, sale price ..... .27

$1.50 ALARM MISSION CLOCKS, ornamental and useful, sale price. .98

### RIBBONS AND NECKWEAR

20c AND 25c RIBBONS, in a broken line of various widths, plain and fancy, sale price ..... .15

25c LADIES' EMBROIDERED LAUNDERED TURN OVER COLLARS, all sizes, sale price ..... .15

25c RUCHING, colors, white and black, sale price ..... .15

15c TO 25c LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS will be put together in one lot for this sale, your choice ..... .10

### LACES AND EMBROIDERIES

18c EMBROIDERIES on lawn, cambric and nainsook, with insertions to match, sale price ..... .10

10c LACES, cotton and linen torchon, 1½ to 3 inches wide, sale price ..... .03½

### ART GOODS AND GLOVES

50c PILLOW TOPS, Plainfield High School, Harvard and Columbia; sale price ..... .35

$1.00 LADIES' KID GLOVES, in a broken assortment of colors and designs, sale price ..... .50

$1.19 MYERS' LADIES' CREPE GLOVES, in all sizes, sale price ..... .98

25c CHILDREN'S GLOVES, knit wool, all colors, plain and fancy, sale price ..... .19

### WHITE GOODS

$1.19 PIECE OF LONG CLOTH, 36 inches wide, 12 yard piece, sale price ..... .89

12½c INDIA LINON, 40 inch, fine and sheer, sale price ..... .10

## Fourth Annual January Clearance Sale

### Great Half Price Sale of Ladies' Tailored Suits & Coats

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20.00 Tailored Suits for - 10.00

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30.00 Tailored Suits for - 15.00

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### Ladies' Fine Coats at HALF PRICE

$10 Tailored Coats for - - $5

$15 Tailored Coats for - $7.50

$19 Tailored Coats for - $9.98

$30 Tailored Coats for - - $15

### Misses' Coats and Tailored Suits at HALF PRICE

SATURDAY

### 10c Specials in Our Music Dept.

Carry, Marry, Harry — Cubanola Glide
I Didn't Mean to Make You Cry
Molly Lee — Garden of Dreams
Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet
Garden of Roses — Dear, Old, Dear
There's a Big Cry Baby in the Moon
Liza — Yip-I-ad-dy-I-ay
If I Had the World to Give You
Next to Your Mother, Who Do You Love?
I Wish I Had My Old Girl Back Again
Mop Rag — Black and White Rag
Moon Birds — Moonbeams On the Lake
Third Degree Waltzes

The entire DE LUXE EDITION we will sell at 4c per copy, 7 for ..... .25

### MEN'S FURNISHINGS.

$1.25 MEN'S PAJAMAS, small, medium and large, assorted styles, sale price ..... .79

10c MEN'S WHITE HANDKERCHIEFS, also fancy, sale price ..... .05

$1 GENTS' AND YOUTHS' NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, plain and pleated, sale price ..... .75

69c BOYS' OUTING FLANNEL NIGHT SHIRTS, 12, 13 and 14, sale price ..... .43

### WASH GOODS

9c EVERETT CLASSICS GINGHAMS, all the best styles, sale price ..... .06½

10c OUTING FLANNEL, in light & dark stripes and checks, sale price .07

50c FINE GAUZE, two style stripes, and one style check, twelve shades, sale price ..... .25

### DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

22c BEST GRADE TABLE OIL CLOTH, in light, dark and plain white, sale price ..... .15

10c BLEACHED TOWELING, with red and blue borders, good grade, sale price ..... .07

7c HUCK TOWELS, red border, good quality, medium size, sale price ..... .04

10c CREAM SHAKER FLANNEL, good close weave, sale price ..... .07

12½c BLEACHED TURKISH TOWELS, good size, hemstitched, sale price ..... .08

$1.00 ALL LINEN TABLE DAMASK, neat designs, 72 inch; sale price ..... .79

$2.98 NAPKINS, to match the above, 22x22 in. size, sale price. $2.25

20c PILLOW CASES, size 45x36, made of the Rival brand cotton, sale price ..... .15

### RUGS AND DRAPERIES

$39 ROYAL WILTON, 9x12, perfect rugs, Oriental designs; tans, green and blue; ten only at this price ..... $28.98

$25 AXMINSTER RUGS, 9x12, perfect, Oriental designs; only six at this price ..... $18.98

$35 ROYAL WILTON RUGS, 8x10, tans and greens, Oriental designs; only five at this price ..... $27.49

$3.98 RUGS, Axminster and Smyrnas, size 36x72, Oriental designs, only twelve at this price ..... $2.98

12½c SILKALINES, in a variety of figures, light and dark colors, sale price ..... .09

### NOTION SALE

15c BOX OF FINE TALCUM POWDER, sale price ..... .05

25c BOX TOILET SOAP, 3 cakes assorted odors, sale price ..... .15

25c POUND WRITING PAPER, fine cloth finish, envelopes to match, 7c; sale price ..... .15

25c LADIES' ELASTIC BELTS, metal buckles, assorted sizes and colors, sale price ..... .10

25c, 39c AND 50c HAIR ROLLS, 24 in., all colors, for ..... .19

25c TO 50c FANCY BRAIDS, assorted kinds, HALF PRICE.

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Paterson Car House, Thursdays 11 A. M. to 12 M.
Fourth Street Yard, Plainfield, Fridays, 9 to 10 A. M.
Westfield Junction Car House, Fridays, 10:30 to 11 A. M.
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### SOMERVILLE.

At the shareholders' meeting of the First National Bank, which was held Wednesday, the following directors were elected: Lewis M. Coddington, in place of George Stillwell, who resigned; Theodore Allen, Nelson J. Dugan, John G. Gaston, James L. Griggs, John J. Kline, William H. Taylor, Lewis A. Thompson, J. Newton Van Derbeek. After the election the board organized and elected the following officers: J. Newton Van Derbeek, president; John G. Gaston, vice president; William H. Taylor, cashier.

Frederick Chambers, son of the late Frederick F. Chambers, died at the home of his mother, on West End avenue, Thursday afternoon. Mr. Chambers had been ill several months, but was taken suddenly worse on Wednesday.

The engagement is announced of Miss Clara Hoffman, of Somerville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Hoffman, and Lawrence Cloud Whitall, of Plainfield.

Mrs. James L. Griggs and Miss Etta Craig entertained the Women's Club Thursday afternoon in the club-rooms, in West Cliff street.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. V. Davis are entertaining their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bainbridge, of Interlaken, N. Y.

Miss Esther Crampton, of Norristown, Pa., is the guest of Miss Emma Labaw, on Altamont place.

Mrs. William Miller and daughter, of South Norwalk, Conn., are guests of G. L. S. Shepherd.

Miss Olive Searing, of Dover, is the guest of Mrs. William H. Cawley, on East Main street.

### RARITAN.

Gallagher Brothers have been busy for a week with a gang of men, cutting ice on the canal. The ice is from ten to fourteen inches thick.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Robbins, of Rocky Hill, have moved in their new house, on Upper Washington street.

Miss Ada Lucas has been engaged as organist of the Reformed church at East Millstone.

Miss Edna P. Van Nuys, of Belle Mead, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Garret Hageman, in Newark.

The women of the Methodist church held a bread and cake sale in the chapel last night.

Mrs. John King, of Trenton, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Charles Cassidy, of Wall street.

Mr. and Mrs. David Baker, of East Millstone, are guests of relatives in Elizabeth.

Miss Eleanor Graham, of Gaston avenue, is visiting friends in Virginia.

Mrs. Eugene Cruser, of Belle Mead, is visiting friends in Newark.

### WESTFIELD.

A meeting was held Thursday evening at the office of H. C. McVoy, in North avnue, by the committee of the Master Builders' Association which has in charge the revision of the constitution and by-laws of the association. The association looks forward to great activity in the building line the coming year and wants the laws of the association up-to-date to meet conditions that may arise. The association has in its membership practically all those interested in the building trades in the towns of Cranford, Westfield, Roselle, Scotch Plains and Fanwood.

At the next meeting of the Board of Education, to be held next week, the budget for the coming year will be made up. It will cost about $60,000, including the money received from the State, to run the schools for the year. At the annual school meeting to be held in March the board will ask the voters for an appropriation to build a new high school. The amount wil probably be $80,000, as the people do not take kindly to spending a larger amount at this time.

Work has been commenced on a new building for the Aeolian Company at Garwood. It is to be a one-story structure, between the two main buildings.

A general inspection of the watches carried by men in responsible positions has been ordered by the Central Railroad.

Westfield police are after those who do not keep their sidewalks free from snow and ice.


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### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Dunellen and New Market are again at the mercy of a miniature blizzard. The present storm appears to be more severe than the Christmas snowfall. From unofficial sources it is said that the fall amounts to eleven inches. At New Market and in the Piscataway district the conditions are worse than in the borough. Traveling between the village and borough is made difficult owing to the sidewalks and roads being almost impassable with snow. Trains on the Lehigh Valley railroad yesterday were half to one hour late from New York while the western expresses were several hours late. Trains coming from New York on the Jersey Central were running fairly well, being only about fifteen minutes behind the regular schedule.

Charles Thornton, who took an ocean voyage for his health, sailed from Liverpool on his return trip on Tuesday.

William Dealaman has returned from Baltimore, where he has been visiting friends for a fortnight.

Lester Kratsell is out again after an attack of illness resulting from an abscess.

William Kennedy has taken a position at the Plainfield freight house.

Dan Moody has taken a position in a Plainfield barbershop.

S. B. Merrill is visiting relatives in Philadelphia.

### Due to His Business.

"So you discovered a cab driver who writes poetry? Well, what sort of a writer is he?"

"Naturally, he's a hack writer."—Baltimore American.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The annual offering for ministerial relief will be received at the Congregational church, tomorrow.

Rev. Mr. Wilson, of Long Island, will preach at the Park Avenue Baptist church, tomorrow morning and night as a candidate.

On account of the storm the sewing meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, was not held yesterday.

There will be no evening service tomorrow at the First Presbyterian church, the congregation uniting with the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church in a memorial service to Dr. Richards.

The Christian Endeavor Society of Trinity Reformed church will meet at 6:45 o'clock tomorrow night. The topic will be "Candles Under Bushels," and H. William VanArsdale will be the leader.

The Berean Bible class of the Park Avnue Baptist church, has elected these officers: President, Harry F. Johnson; vice-president, R. S. Harmon; treasurer, Nelson VanWinkle; secretary, E. Ferdinand Dorman.

Mrs. Wheaton S. Lowrie, of Sherman avenue, entertained her Sunday-school class of the Park Avenue Baptist church, Thursday night. The evening was given up to sociability, after a brief business session.

Rev. Mr. Halliday, of Park avenue, will preach at Hope chapel, tomorrow morning. There will be no evening service as the congregation will unite in the memorial service to Dr. Richards at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church.

### LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Johnny and Emma Ray, supported by a company full fifty strong, will be the attraction at the Plainfield theatre January 20 in a new edition of their greatest musical comedy success, "King Casey." There is not another offering on the road of quite the same calibre as this one. The piece is in two acts—the first laid in the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York city, and the second act on the island of Lala Pa Zaza, somewhere in the South Sea. Mr. Ray will be seen in the old familiar role of Casey—the same Casey that has been fireman, janitor and king—and, as usual, forms the pivotal point around which the fun revolves.

Elsie Janis, youngest and most radiant of American stars, seems to be better fitted as Cynthia Bright in "The Fair Co-Ed" than any other musical comedy vehicle in which she has appeared since she abandoned the vaudeville stage for Mr. Charles Dillingham's careful management. George Ade is the author of "The Fair Co-Ed," which, as the title indicates, has its scene at a "fresh water college," which is trying the experiment of co-education of sexes. New York and Chicago have both found much to admire in Miss Janis and in the new college musical play to which Gustav Luders has written some very catchy arias. Miss Janis with one of Mr. Dillingham's exquisite productions and a carefully selected supporting company is to be seen at the Plainfield theatre January 24.

### C. H. K. HALSEY HEAD OF ELIZABETH TRADE BOARD.

Charles H. K. Halsey was elected president of the Elizabeth Board of Trade Thursday night for the fifth time. James C. Connolly was re-elected vice president; E. S. Hersh, second vice president; Samuel R. Ogden, treasurer, and William F. Groves, secretary. The executive committee elected includes Warren R. Dix, George R. Falker, P. B. Bassett, Joseph Filbacher and E. W. Phares.

The board will ask the City Council to provide a tuberculosis pavilion in connection with the General Hospital and will seek to get the United States Government to dredge the Elizabeth River. Plans for advertising the city through metropolitan and State papers were discussed.

A report was submitted showing that the Standard Oil Company has made improvements at its Linden plant calculated to do away with the offensive odor which has annoyed Elizabeth citizens for the last two years. The changes made by the Standard Oil Company, according to the report, have cost $50,000.

### DEAD GUNNER HAD LIVE'MAN'S LICENSE.

Camden, Jan. 15.—His gunning license having been found on the body of Dr. Lewis H. Krautter, of Philadelphia, who was frozen to death near Wildwood in the blizzard on Christmas Day, Julius Uber, of 1250 Kaighn avenue, Camden, was Thursday arraigned before Justice of the Peace Schmitz on a charge of having loaned the license, complaint having been made by Game Warden Folker.

Insisting as he has from the outset, that he lost the license on the third day of the gunning season, while hunting near Wildwood, Uber pleaded not guilty to the charge. In the absence of other witnesses Justice Schmitz postponed the case until he could secure the presence of Dr. Krautter's relatives, who have stated that the license was borrowed from Uber.

# Our January Clearance Sale Grows Greater as it Goes On

## Tomorrow We Bring Forward More Sale Offerings

The one dominating purpose now is to clear racks of ready-to-wear garments and counters, shelves and stock rooms of Winter Goods. Clearance and price-cutting here go hand in hand. To move out goods we mark down prices. And as they must go quickly we cut costs deeply. The clearance shall be speedy and complete.

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Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard .....15c

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No. 2, 10-yard piece at.....22c
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Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30), sale.....59c

40-inch Bleached Pillow Casing, excellent 12½c value, at yard..10c

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair.....10c

30 Pieces Outing Flannel, light styles; regular 8c value; sale, yard .....6c

**COAT SWEATERS.**

Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale .....95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale .....39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at.....29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale .....39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price.....$3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at .....$5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price...$6.98

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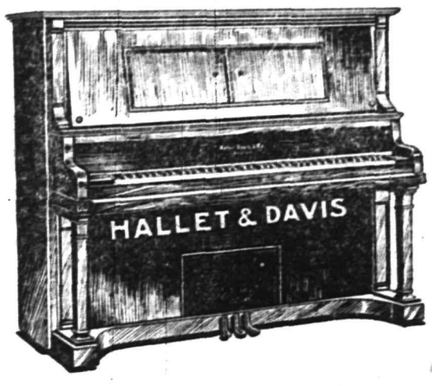


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# YALE CORPORATION ANNOUNCES GIFTS

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 15.—A special meeting of the Yale corporation was held here yesterday. At the close of the meeting the following official announcement was made: The Yale corporation has elected George Parmly Day treasurer of the university in place of Lee McClung, who resigned two months ago to become treasurer of the United States. Mr. Day is the senior member of the firm of Day, Adams & Co., bankers and brokers, 45 Wall street, New York. He is a son of Clarence S. Day, of New York city, and a grandson of Benjamin F. Day, who in 1833 founded the New York Sun. A great grandfather, Benjamin Day, graduated from Yale in 1765.

Mr. Day will not assume the duties of his new position until May 1. An offer from J. Pierpont Morgan to present $100,000 to the university for the establishment of the William M. Laffan professorship of Assyriology and Babylonian literature was accepted. This endowment is particularly appreciated, as, although Yale has been strong in Semitic lines, there has never been any provision for instruction in the field covered by the new professorship. The fund, being invested in securities which yield 7 per cent., the donor has suggested that the surplus, after paying the professor in charge, shall be used for the purchase of archeological and other illustrative material.

An additional gift of $5,500 from Andrew Carnegie for the completion of the Carnegie swimming pool was reported.

Announcement was made that a legacy of $50,000 from the estate of Jane A. Townsend for the establishment of a professorship of American history in the university has been received.

A special vote was passed thanking Mrs. Russell Sage for her gift of $650,000 to the university for the purchase of the Hillhouse property. Her generous offer was accepted.

In view of the appointment of Director Graves, of the Yale Forest School as United States forester, he was voted a leave of absence for one year from February 1 and Professor Toumey was appointed acting director of the school for the year.

### SUES FOR $10,000; GETS $18.

**Blum Fails to Prove Damages in Contract Case.**

Jacob Blum, a coal merchant of Elizabeth, who brought suit before Judge B. A. Vail against the Parson Manufacturing Company for breach of contract, claiming the sum of $10,000 damages, was awarded $18 by a jury Thursday after deliberating about ten minutes.

The suit involved the sale of Blum's coalyard in Broadway, Elizabeth. The defendant company promised to allow Blum to use a switch in the yard in connection with his new place in Livingston street, but failed to keep its promise, according to Blum's testimony.

### FALSE ARREST CLAIM DENIED.

Elizabeth, Jan. 14.—The suit of Elliott Goddard, of this place, against Detective-Sergeants Frederick Kuhn and James J. Quinn, of Newark, was decided late Wednesday afternoon in favor of the defendants. The jury was out about three hours.

Goddard asked $5,000 damages for false arrest in connection with an assault on Reinhold Hecklau. The latter and his wife testified in favor of the plaintiff. The defense was that the two officers, in arresting Goddard for the assault, acted under orders from a superior officer. After the arrest Goddard prove an alibi.

### PROFANITY BY WIRELESS.

There are some thirty wireless stations in Montclair, operated by schoolboys and other amateurs, and the operators, on account of recent abuses of the invention, are considering the organization of an association which will have for its object the discouragement of the use of profane and obscene language by wireless "senders."

### Urges Clergy to Be Saving.

New Brunswick, Jan. 15.—Rev. Dr. Thomas Reed Bridges, of New York city, formerly of Newark, delivered an address before the student body of the New Brunswick Theological Seminary Wednesday night. His subject was "The Minister and the Business Man." He urged the students to acquire business ability, to be prudent and thrifty and to begin in their young days to save money for old age. He said that no matter how small a pastor's salary might be, he ought to lay away one-fifth of his income. He said ministers should not be rich, but should be independent and free financially. He pointed out that too many of the clergy live by faith in that they thing it unnecessary to save money, and that in some way they shall be looked after. "But God helps them who help themselves," he said.

Old Glory Council, No. 62, Daughters of Liberty, will install its officers-elect tonight on the occasion of the fourteenth anniversary of the council. Several State officers and others are expected to be present.

# EXCISE REGULATIONS STRICT IN ELIZABETH

The new Republican Board of Excise in Elizabeth, at its first regular session Thursday night made radical changes in the rules and regulations governing the sale of liquor in Elizabeth which seems sure to put out of business not a few of the 265 saloons and inns in the city.

The Elizabeth Board raised the license fee from $250 to $500 and voted not to grant any new licenses for a year, also to compel the saloons to close at midnight and not to open earlier than 5 o'clock in the morning.

Commissioner Michael Devine introduced a resolution not to grant any new licenses for three years. After a debate the resolution was amended limiting the time to one year. Resolutions were also adopted to the effect that the Board insist upon a rigid enforcement of the law against Sunday selling, the screen law ordinance, against selling to intoxicated persons and selling to minors.

Commissioner Kling stated that the police would assist the Board in seeing that the law was enforced and he called upon the citizens to assist the Board by reporting all violations.

There was never a meeting in the Council Chamber of City Hall at which there were so many in attendance. The meeting was considered the most important held by the Municipal Board in the city in the last decade. It had been looked forward to for months by citizens.

Jacob Hagin was elected License Inspector for one year at a salary of $1,200. He was chosen on the twenty-first ballot. There were twenty aspirants for the place and half that number received votes. The Board decided that hereafter no license will be renewed until a thorough investigation of the character of the applicant is made. There were present at the meeting Commissioners Henry Fromm, Peter J. Kling, Thomas Y. Bye and Michael P. Devine.

### N. Y. AMUSEMENTS.

Otis Skinner's character portrayal of Lafayette Towers in "Your Humble Servant" has been compared to a wonderful portrait set in an artistic frame.

Miss Billie Burke has begun rehearsals for her appearance at the Lyceum Theatre in New York in W. Somerset Maugham's newest comedy success, "Mrs. Dot."

William Collier who is playing this week in Philadelphia in "A Lucky Star" will shortly come to New York with his new laughter making success, though the date and the playhouse have not yet been announced.

Miss Ethel Barrymore will begin her New York season in A. W. Pinero's newest play, "Mid-Channel," at The Empire Theatre on Monday, January 24.

The one best show in all New York is "Old Dutch," which is drawing capacity houses at Lew Fields' Herald Square theatre. In it as in everything else he has appeared in Lew Fields is simply "immense," no other word describes it. The press and the public stamp it as the one best hit of the season on Broadway. It is typically Fieldsish throughout and that is telling it all. Order your seats in advance. Evenings at 8:15.

The New Year finds the New York Hippodrome spectacles and circus in the mid season of their great success. Holiday crowds and especially the visitors for mout of town regard a visit to New York's largest playhouse as part of the festivities attendant upon holiday time, and particularly so, inasmuch as the Hippodrome show appeals to both the little folks and grown ups. Seventeen splendid scenes follow each other in scintillant succession, from the first part of the performance when the great ocean liner moves out from the dack in truly wonderful fashion to the shining cave of gems wherein takes place the gorgeous "Ballet of Jewels" and on to the iridescent palace in the centre of the earth, which marks the finale of the show and introduces the disappearing diving army.

### OLDEST ODD FELLOW 91.

**John Martin to Celebrate Event in State Home.**

John Martin, of Trenton, will celebrate his ninety-first birthday Monday at the Odd Fellows' Home in that city, and as he is the "boss" of the home, there will be some doings there on that day. Martin has been an Odd Fellow for seventy years, probably longer than any other man in New Jersey. He was born in New York in 1819, the son of a bookmaker, following his father's trade. He worked for some of the big publishing houses in this country. In 1896 he became paralyzed and sought the rest and comfort of the home in Trenton. His long stay there has won for him the place of "boss," and every newcomer is forced to recognize his claim to rule.

In addition to having been an Odd Fellow for seventy years, Mr. Martin has been a Mason for forty-eight years.

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FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock cockerels, Gowell strain; also S. C. Rhode Island Reds, Tompkins strain; $2 each. Lewin, Plainfield avenue, near Hunt Club. 1 14 2

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail, at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 12

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

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FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

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FOR SALE—Seventeen Houdons, Paterson strain; twenty-three S. C. White Leghorns; Blanchard Wykoff strain. 926 West Fifth St. 1 13 3

FOR SALE—New six room house on Cameron avenue, $3,500; all improvements; terms to suit; would rent. Two lots on Laramie road for sale. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, 'Phone 1079. 10 18 tf

FOR SALE—8-room house, all improvements; parquet floors, best residential section; bargain to quick purchaser. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street; 'Phone 160. 1 11 6

FOR SALE—Only $3,500 if sold before January 1, central location, 8 rooms, all improvements, corner lot; bargains in lots. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 12 23 tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

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### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

THE ACKROYD Gas Radiator will heat your dining-room in ten minutes these cold mornings. Demonstration at Woodhull & Martin Co 1 10 tf

CONVALESCENT lady can be suitably entertained in private family. No. 822 Second place. 1 13 6

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette. 326 West Front St. tf

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COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed; 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### Sleighs For Sale.

FOR SALE—5 sleighs, from $5.00 up; double and single. 135 East Second street. 1 14 2

SLEIGH FOR SALE—Two-seated sleigh, with pole, in good order; $25; Coachman, 105 Rockview Ave. 12 31 tf

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### Jan. 15 In American History.

1716—Philip Livingston, "signer" for New York, born; died 1778.

1865—Fort Fisher, N. C., the last stronghold of the Confederacy on the Atlantic coast, captured by General Terry's army after a desperate battle. Edward Everett, distinguished American scholar, orator and statesman, a colleague of Daniel Webster, died; born 1794.

1809—George Gemunder, of worldwide fame as a maker of violins, died in New York city; born 1816.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:53, rises 7:18; moon sets 9:43 p. m.

Plainfield, N. J., January 15, 1910.

### DOLLIVER OPTIMISTIC IN ADDRESS AT SUMMIT.

Summit, Jan. 15.—At the Athenaeum meeting Thursday night, the speaker of the evening, Hon. Jonathan P. Dolliver, United States Senator from Iowa, was introduced by Rollo Ogden, editor of the New York Evening Post.

The subject of Senator Dolliver's address was, "The New Moral Outlook." From Mr. Dolliver's point of view it is most satisfying and encouraging.

Chiefly among his arguments in supporting this attitude were:

"That people regard too often the evil and downward tendencies, forgetting the infinite amount of good which constantly balances and outweighs the wrongs.

"That many assume the earlier days of our government to have been free from graft, bribery and corruption, whereas there are many proofs to the contrary, showing that the very evils which are brought to light and promptly redressed nowadays went in former times unfunished and almost unnoticed."

Especially, too, did he emphasize the assertion that the government is now awake to the enlightened conscience of the people and only too anxious to respond to their demands.

In closing his address the Senator brought out most empratically that the real power of our government is already not political, but moral and spiritual.

### WOULD SLAY HOSPITAL STAFF.

**Man Hurt By Train Opposes Physicians and Is Treated In Cell.**

Dennis Henry, of Elizabethport, was in a hurry to get home yesterday, and when an express train going forty miles an hour passed the station at Bayonne he tried to jump on it. He was struck by the side of a car and thrown twenty feet. He was taken to a hospital.

Physicians ordered him sent to the accident ward. Henry objected, and when the physicians insisted he threatened to kill the entire staff of nurses and physicians. His actions became so dangerous that the police were summoned and he was taken to Police Headquarters and locked up in a cell. A physician attended him there. He will recover.

**Holmdel Stock Farm.**

Holmdel Stock Farm, in this town, where many noted race horses were born and reared, is to be sold at auction on February 15 in the Exchange Salesroom, New York. The farm is owned by David Gideon and John Daly and comprises 241 acres of land, with cottages, stables and a seven-furlong track.

—Thoughtful housekeepers will not neglect the opportunity offered by Neuman Bros. for a few days to secure the famous Pillsbury, Heckers' and Gold Medal flour at special prices by the barrel. There is no better flour made.


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Ladies' Underwear, Skirts, Gowns, Drawers and Corset Covers, values to 50c for **29c**

Fine White Lawn, 40 inches wide, extra special, per yd. **10c**

Swiss Flouncings beautiful new patterns, 18 inches wide 75c values for **49c**

Swiss Insertions, to match the above flouncings, 4½ in. wide, 50c value for **29c**

Men's and Boys' Gloves, lined Astrakan and plush, extra special for **19c**

Table Tumblers, thin blown, full size, reg. 55c a dozen for **39c**

Pillow Cases, bleached, 42x36 and 45x36, good muslin, extra value for **12½c**

Feather Pillows, size 20x28, full 3¼ lbs, satin finished ticking $1.00 grade for **78c**

Ladies' Underwear, skirts, gowns, drawers and corset covers, values to 75c for **49c**

Steering Sleds, "Flexible Flyer style," reg. prices 2.98, 2.25, 1.89 and 1.39, special for **2.50, 1.98, 1.59 & 1.19**

Men's heavy Cloth Caps, with let-down ear protectors, a 75c cap for **39c**

Ladies' Collars, fine embroidered linen pretty patterns, the 25c kinds for **19c**

Hair Brushes, all pure bristles, solid back, a good 25c brush for **12c**

Ladies' Gloves, silk lined black cashmere, the reg. 50c kind for **38c**

A Silk Bargain, beautiful moire silk in all the popular colors, reg. 79c a yard, for **35c**

Ribbons, all silk moire taffeta and satin, 6 inches wide, extra special for **19c**

Ladies' Underwear—Skirts, gowns, drawers and corset covers; values to 1.25, for **75c**

Scrap Baskets — Made of fancy braided straw; a 50c basket for **35c**

Ladies' Stockings — Fine gauze cotton, with white feet; splendid 25c value for **21c**

Men's Shirts—Fine madras, attached cuffs, coat style, all sizes; were 59c, for **33c**

Towel Bargains—Bleached huck with red border, size 20x40; extra special **15c**

Cream Outing Flannel — Nicely fleeced, 27 inches wide; the 10c quality for **7½c**

Ladies' Underwear — Fine Derby ribbed vests and pants; the reg. 50c kind for **39c**

Dining Tables — In golden oak and early English finish, round top pedestal tables; worth 16.50, for **12.98**

Ladies' Underwear—Skirts, gowns, drawers and corset covers; values to 1.98, for **1.25**

Men's Sweater Coats—Oxford gray; a reg. 1.00 Sweater for **48c**

Talcum Powder—Violet perfumed, Jergens No. 444, large size, sprinkle top can; for **6c**

Gas Tubing in 6, 8 and 10 foot lengths, complete with ends; special per foot, **4c**

Ladies' Handkerchiefs—Fine Swiss embroidered and hemstitched, plain and scalloped edge; extra special for **10c**

Infants' Dresses—Long and short, lace and embroidery trimmed; 59c value for **43c**

Dress Ginghams—The "Barnaby" make, pretty patterns, usually 15c a yard, for **12½c**

Toilet Paper — Full 1,000 sheets, flat or roll; usually 3 for 25c, special 4 for **25c**


### DRAGGED BY HORSES AFTER SLEIGH UPSET.

Califon, Jan. 15.—Edward Beavers and Miss Millie Hall, principal of the Farmersville Public School, narrowly escaped serious injuries in a runaway accident at Lower Valley Thursday. Mr. Beavers had a spirited team hitched to a sleigh, and with Miss Hall was sleighing to her home near High Bridge.

At the Alligar farm at Lower Valley the sleigh struck a snow drift, upset and threw the occupants out. The horses took fright and started to run away. Mr. Beavers held fast to the reins and was dragged over the snow drifts and ice fully 200 yards, when he managed to pull the horses back in the road and throw them. Mr. Alligar and Charles Post, who witnessed the accident, ran to his rescue.

The horses became tangled in the harness and were released with difficulty. A singular feature of the accident was that the horses became interchanged. Miss Hall sustained an injured hand and Mr. Beavers escaped with bruises. The harness and sleigh were wrecked and the horses were uninjured.

At the same point a few hours before Andrew W. Naright, of Teetertown, had a spill. He had a team of colts hitched to a sled loaded with pork when the accident occurred. The sled broke and the meat was dumped in the snow. The horses did not get away.

### OFFICERS CHOSEN BY MORRIS G. O. P. COMMITTEE.

Morristown, Jan. 15.—Just a few members of the Republican county committee appeared at the annual meeting Thursday to elect officers for the year. There was nothing "cut and dried," it was declared, but there was a lack of enthusiasm in political matters at present. All interest, it was said, was in Trenton. The officers chosen were: Chairman, John H. Capstick, of Montville; vice-chairmain, E. M. Searing, of Dover; State Senator Mills having resigned his position as secretary, J. W. Thompson, of Morris Plains, was elected secretary, and State Treasurer Daniel S. Voorhees was chosen treasurer.

The meeting was probably the last to be held in the Republican headquarters in the Chronicle building, as the property has been sold to the local lodge of Elks for a home.

### NOTED PAINTINGS IN SCHOOL.

**Temporary Gallery Chosen for Donations from Mr. W. T. Evans.**

Thirty-six paintings by American artists, donated to Montclair, will be placed temporarily in the auditorium of the new Hillside Grammar School in that place. Mr. William T. Evans, the donor, has agreed to this arrangement.

The Municipal Art Commission has received a gift of $50,000 from Mrs. Henry Lang, of this town, for the erection of an art gallery in which the paintings, as well as thirty more to be contributed by Mr. Evans, will be permanently housed. A municipal art association whose object will be the maintenance of the art gallery is now being formed. This association will consist of not less than 500 members, each of whom will pay $10 annual dues.

## SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

**Baptist.**

First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, sermon by the pastor; 2:30, Sunday-school; 2:45, men's conference Bible class, non-sectarian, meets in the auditorium. Henry W. Herrman and B. J. Phelps, teachers; 7:30, illustrated lecture by L. V. F. Randolph.

Park Avenue—10:30, sermon, Rev. Dr. E. O. Wilson, of Newark; 2:45, Bible school; 7:45, sermon, Dr. Wilson.

Temple—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—2:45, Sunday-school; 2:45, Baraca class; 11:00, preaching, subject, "Christ's Exultation;" 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching, subject, "The Christian in the World."

Mt. Olive—M. W. Vaughan, D. D., pastor—11:00, preaching, 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Ebenezer—Rev. G. E. Scruggs, pastor. 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., preaching; 2:00, Sunday-school.

Calvary—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—10:45, preaching; 3:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Shiloh—Rev. Edward Roberts, pastor, will preach at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

**Reformed.**

Trinity—Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor; Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor-emeritus—10:30, topic, "Sin and Its Punishment;" 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class; 6:45, Christian Endeavor meeting, topic, "Candles Under Bushels," leader, H. William VanArsdale; 7:45, preaching, subject, "Where Are the Dead?"

Netherwood Reformed Church, Leland and Midway avenues—Royal A. Stout, pastor in charge—10:30, preaching by the pastor, topic, "Christian Obedience;" 11:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, Christian Endeavor prayer meeting; 7:45, preaching by the pastor, subject, "Strength From Conflict."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; no evening service.

Marconnier chapel—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00 Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

**Presbyterian.**

First Presbyterian—Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor—11:00, preaching by the pastor; 10:00, Sunday-school; no evening service.

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zelie, pastor—Morning service, 10:30; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:45, evening service in memory of the late Rev. Dr. W. R. Richards, pastor of the Brick church, New York, and for eighteen years minister of the Crescent Avenue church.

Hope chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—10:30, preaching by Rev. Mr. Halliday, of this city; no evening service.

Warren chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:45, Sunday-school; no evening service.

Bethel chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m.; 2 p. m., Sunday-school; no evening service.

**Episcopal.**

Grace Church—Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector; Rev. Elory G. Bowers, assistant. 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. First Sunday, Holy Communion and sermon; 4:00 p. m., organ recital; 4:30 p. m., Choral Evensong and sermon.

Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Cortlandt H. Mallery, rector—8:00, Holy Eucharist; 11:00, matins and sermon (Holy Eucharist first Sunday in the month). 7:30 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

St. Stephen's—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 7:45, evensong.

Holy Cross Church—Rector, Rev. Geo. A. Warner. Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 every Sunday morning; 9:45, Sunday-school; 10:00, rector's Bible class for young men; 11:00, morning prayer and sermon; 7:45, evensong and sermon. On the first Sunday of the month a second celebration of Holy Communion at the 11:00 o'clock service.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Sunday evening, 8:00, Evensong and sermon; Holy Communion on the Third Sunday in the month at 7:30 a. m.

**Methodist Episcopal.**

First—Rev. Dr. Charles M. Anderson, pastor—2:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching by the pastor; men's Bible class meets after close of morning service, Nelson Miller, teacher; 7:00, Epworth League; 7:45, special missionary service.

Monroe Avenue M. E.—Rev. Charles S. Kemble, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, p. m., Sunday-school; 7:15, Epworth League; 8:00, preaching.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Ora J. Shoop, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "Transcendant Attainment Through Personal Persistent Effort;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, topic, "The Significant Word 'If.'"

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. John T. Diggs, pastor—11:00, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 8:00, preaching.

**Roman Catholics.**

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.

**Congregational.**

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching by the pastor, subject, "How the Great Light Came;" 11:45, Sunday-school; no evening service.

Swedish Evangelical Pilgrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, Sunday-school; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching.

**Friends.**

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

**Lutheran.**

St. Peter's Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street and Mercer avenue—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, sermon in English first Sunday in each month, all other Sundays in German; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**

Babcock Building—Service 11:00 a. m., preaching.

**Unitarian.**

All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, sermon by the pastor; Sunday-school at 12 o'clock.

**Not Classified.**

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30.

Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting at the hall; 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class in hall; 8:00 p. m., special service full of interest with plenty of music by the Jackson family.

There will be preaching of the Gospel at 209 East Front street at 7:30 p. m.

Plainfield Rescue Mission—In W. C. T. U. rooms, 7:45.

West End Tabernacle—3:00 p. m., Sunday-school and Baraca class; 8:00 p. m., Gospel address by J. D. Loizeaux.

W. C. T. U.—4:00, W. J. Hamilton will lead.

Y. W. C. A.—4:00 p. m., vesper service.

Wilson Memorial Chapel—7:45, an address.

### Diphtheria In Bayonne.

Bayonne, Jan. 15.—Because of the prevalence of diphtheria and scarlet fever in this city, the Health Board yesterday issued an order that the quarantine rules be published in several languages and distributed broadcast. Contagious diseases have become epidemic, and many deaths have been reported.


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I have a recipe for these troubles that you can depend on, and if you want to make a **quick recovery**, you ought to write and get a copy of it. Many a doctor would charge you $3.50 just for writing this prescription, but I have it and will be glad to send it to you entirely free. Just drop me a line like this: Dr. A. E. Robinson, K1239 Luck Building, Detroit, Mich., and I will send it by return mail in a plain envelope. As you will see when you get it, this recipe contains only pure, harmless remedies, but it has great healing and pain-conquering powers.

It will quickly show its power once you use it, so I think you had better see what it is without delay. I will send you a copy free—you can use it and cure yourself at home



## The Scandinavian Social Club

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### LOVE LAUGHS ONCE AGAIN.

Love had his laugh yesterday at the locksmiths who would put up the bars at the Narrows to separate two young people of his acquaintance. In the City Hall of New York, with an Ellis Island matron for one witness and for the other the shipping reporter of one of the New York German dailies, Martha Gartner and Heinrich Fritze were safely married.

It began in Vienna, when Heinrich, not yet twenty-one, was musical critic for the "Neue Freie Presse." The young woman, then eighteen, was the daughter of a Viennese jeweller. Heinrich came to America to seek his fortune, and at the end of one year sent for his bride. She was not unwilling, but her father was.

So Martha fled by night, rushed by rail and steamer to Liverpool, and caught the Carmania on the morning of the very day her father reached that city in pursuit. His objections were cabled to the consul here, who protested. The girl was held for a week at Ellis Island, while her lover kept the wires hot with argument. Yesterday came word that the father had relented, and a matron went with the young person to City Hall, saw her safely wed, and then took her back to the Island before she was turned over with bag and baggage to her handsome young husband.


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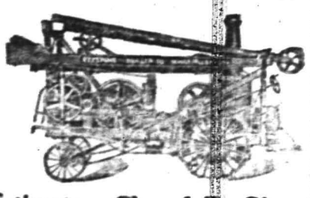

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## Plainfield in .... The Olden Days.

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**April 13, 1871.**

Rev. K. P. Ketcham has signified his intention to accept the call of the First Presbyterian church, of Plainfield, to become their pastor, and is expected to enter upon his duties the last Sabbath in April. Rev. E. P. Rankin, of Princeton, is expected to supply the pulpit of the above church next Sabbath.

Wm. Beiter, machinist, Somerset street, opposite French's carriage factory, is agent for the Howe Sewing Machine. Persons in need of a good substantial machine will find it to their interest to give him a call.

Jeremiah VanWinkle and Wm. H. Voorhees are prominently talked of among the fire companies for chief engineer. Ex-Chief J. F. G. Frazer has also been talked of, but refuses a nomination. T. O. Doane and Geo. Hines are nominated for the office of first assistant engineer. Things are mixed.

Mrs. G. W. Stanford, Front street, Plainfield, is closing out her whole stock of boots and shoes at bargains unequalled. See advertisement in another column.

Mr. Elston Dunn has been reappointed deputy collector by Mr. C. Bucklew, collector for this district.

Mr. Onderdonk, our city surveyor and civil engineer, is about to leave us for Chicago, where he goes to receive an appointment. Our young friend, D. D. Rogers, is his successor.

Henry Goodwin, the lad who broke into the music store of A. Vanderbeek, Esq., a short time since, was on Friday last, sentenced to the Reform School.

Some fine specimen of paving stone may be seen at the real estate office of B. Mumford, opposite the depot. He proposes the coming season to furnish all in want of paving stone, such an article at low rates and of the best quality.

Quite an improvement has been made on Front street, on the corner of New, by building a neat and substantial fence around the old house on the corner, and setting the same in some feet, thereby widening the street. The fence in front of the premises of James Leonard, Esq., has also been set in.

### FEARED CONSUMPTION AND TRIED SUICIDE.

Trenton, Jan. 15.—Fearing that he had tuberculosis and despondent over the recent death of his father, Walter Seaman, twenty-three years old, of 89 Ward avenue, Thursday night drank an ounce of laudanum at his home. The prompt response of a physician and the treatment that followed at a hospital saved the young man's life. Seaman is now a patient at St. Francis' Hospital, where the physicians say that he will recover. He declares he will make another try.

Seaman's father, William Seaman, was employed at watching the asphalt plant near Hill's Grove. While crossing the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks to get to his home on October 23, last year, he was struck by a train and instantly killed.

**Three Have Close Call.**

Three men who were on a Susquehanna train had a narrow escape from death yesterday at Newton, when a defective rail caused the rear end of the train to jump the tracks and go to the bottom of a thirty foot embankment, near Quarryville, several miles from here. The men were badly cut and bruised from broken glass but fortunately escaped serious injury.

**Will Elect Deacons and Elders.**

The weekly prayer meeting will be held at the Netherwood Reformed church Friday night, January 21, after which there will be an election of elders and deacons, it being a part of the work of completing the work of the work of completing the organization of the new church.

**Goes to South America.**

F. B. Newell, of Sherman avenue, the general export agent for a wholesale company, sailed today for Cuba. Mr. Newell will remain in South America until April, establishing agencies and promoting the interests of his concern.

**Mr. Randolph's Address.**

Former Mayor L. V. F. Randolph will deliver an illustrated lecture on "From Jerusalem Through Samaria and Galilee to Damascus and Baal-Bek" at the First Baptist church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock.

**Appointed Revisional Clerk.**

J. E. Warner, of Cranford, who has been appointed clerk by Assemblyman Carlton B. Pierce, who is the head of the committee on the revision of laws, enters upon his duties Monday.

**White Again Chairman.**

The Republican City Committee of Elizabeth last night elected these officers: Chairman, James White; vice chairman, George J. Stewart; secretary, Neil McLeod; treasurer, Nathan R. Leavitt.

### WHY FORT IS IN FAVOR OF DISFRANCHISEMENT.

Governor Fort was surprised to learn yesterday that one paragraph in his recent message to the Legislature led some persons to believe that he had overlooked an existing law concerning the penalty for bribery at elections. In the paragraph in question the Governor suggests that disfranchisement be substituted for fine or imprisonment as a penalty for bribery. Chapter 206 of the laws of 1906 provides for a five-year disfranchisement for the first offense, and perpetual disfranchisement, with a fine or five years in prison, or both, for a subsequent offense.

"I am thoroughly familiar with the law of 1906," said the Governor, "and had it in mind in making my recommendation. As I stated, the present criminal laws against bribery at elections are clear and stringent, but they are not enforced.

"The reason is that all the political parties engage in the improper, not to say the illegal, use of money at elections, and grand jurors will not indict. Prison penalties are apparently of no avail to check this class of crime. Disfranchisement alone would appeal to the popular sense as a just form of penalty, and the law would be enforced. That is my reason for suggesting the change."

### LOST CONTROL OF SLED AND COASTED INTO TREE.

Chatham, Jan. 15.—A serious coasting accident occurred here at 5 o'clock Thursday evening, as a result of which one of the coasters, John Maloney, is at his home in a serious condition.

The boys were coasting on a heavy bobsled down the hill in Hillside avenue, and a number of trips had been made in safety. Maloney was steering when the accident occurred, and was about half way down the hill when he seemed to lose control of the sled and steered into a large tree by the roadside.

All the occupants of the bob received injuries more or less severe, but Maloney's was the most serious. He was unconscious when picked up, and did not recover for nearly an hour. Dr. B. A. Prager was summoned and brought him around. It was found that he was suffering from a dislocated wrist, several severe scalp wounds and a bruised spine. Although his condition is serious, it is not expected to terminate fatally.

### DIVORCE SEASON IN EGYPT.

The departure of the last tourist, in April or early May, marks the beginning of the native social season, writes Harriet Quimby in Leslie's Weekly. During the winter the greater share of the men are too busy attending to the wants of travelers to pay much attention to their families or friends. Dragomans are away from their homes, shopkeepers are wolking overtime, and so, also, are their dozens of extra clerks, and even the children are busy gathering in the piasters which are scattered so lavishly when the tourist season is at its height.

When it is all over, the hustle and bustle give place to a different kind of hustle and bustle. The dragomans generally celebrate a successful season by getting married or divorced, and sometimes both. Divorce in Egypt does not entail the wearisome process or the heartburns that it does in this country. The husband can simply repudiate his wife for no other reason than that he is tired of life with her. In a short time he is at liberty to marry again. There are no distressing court proceeding and airing of family troubles.

Wives are less averse to being divorced than one might suppose. Collusion is by no means an unheard-of thing, and many wives take the initiative toward gaining the desired freedom. But for them it is less easy. Wives must have some definite charge, and simply being tired of a husband will not suffice. Besides weddings, which take place by the score, there are many parties during the summer—bathing parties especially, and feasts.

### TRIMMING LINGERIE.

Just as the general lines and style of cut of undergarments vary from season to season, so will the theme in the ornamentation.

Laces of fine mesh have been supplanted by cluny, Irish crochet and square-mesh fillet. The introduction of these coarser laces is the note of this season's lingerie.

Then, too, allover tucking in thin mull is new. Many new models have this substantial quality, and there is a daintiness always present with fine tucks. The introduction of narrow bands of tucking instead of lace insertion gives a relief to those who are tired of open effects.

Solid embroidery is still trailing over yokes and sleeves. It is applied over the tiniest of tucks and is used in small and large flower patterns.

The trimming on this season's lingerie promises more durability and just as much rdecorative beautiy as that of previous years.

**Dr. Dager to Speak Here.**

Rev. Dr. Forest E. Dager, of Philadelphia, will teach the Sunday school lesson for January 23, in the lecture room of the First Baptist church, Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Dr. Dager brings out many valuable suggestions and all who are interested are invited to be present.

### PASSPORTS.

**Method of Applying For Them to the State Department.**

Passports are issued to citizens of the United States upon application to the state department in Washington. The application must be accompanied by an affidavit attested by a notary public or other officer empowered to administer oaths stating that the applicant is a citizen and giving the place of birth and age, and it must be accompanied by the certificate of one other citizen to whom he is personally known that the declaration made by the applicant is true.

The application must be accompanied by a description of the person, particularly as to age, height, complexion, forehead, eyes, nose, mouth, chin, hair and face. Blank forms are furnished by the state department on application. The fee for each passport is $1. Citizens traveling abroad may also obtain passports by applying to United States ambassadors and ministers.

Where any person has made a declaration of intention to become a citizen of the United States and has resided in the United States for three years a passport valid for six months may be issued to him. This passport is not renewable and does not entitle the holder to the protection of this government in the country of which he was originally a citizen.—New York American.

### MOUNT ETNA.

**It Is Said to Hold All the Climates of the Earth.**

Mount Etna has furnished more material for travelers' tales than any other mountain on earth. Astonished Englishmen of a century ago, who fell into the fashionable habit of climbing to its highest peak—and some did so, to the amazement of the Sicilians, even in the dead of winter—have left on record in the exuberant language of their day the emotions that thrilled their soul. "The man who treads Mount Etna," wrote one of these, "is a man above the world. Every river on the island can be traced from its mouth to its source.

"The characters," the same writer continues, "of all the climates of the earth can be detected—the frigid close around one, the temperate with its belt of trees just beneath and the tropical at the base of the mountain, with its vineyards and luxuriant groves. The great ocean around, with the islands of Lipari, Panari, Alicudi, Stromboli and Volcano, with their smoking summits, appear under your feet, and you look down upon the whole of Sicily as upon a map."

In addition to all the climates, Etna is reported to have trees that rival the giants of California, lakes that never thaw, bottomless caverns and salable snow.—Chicago News.

**Why We Laugh.**

Laughter seems to be a specialized form of either the scream of a startled or injured animal or the cry of triumph common to many beasts of prey. In children the cry of terror and the shout of laughter often shade into each other, and the young child escaping from pursuit will scream with laughter or fear, according to his chances of escape. Some unexpected event that causes slight alarm short of actual terror is the commonest cause of children's laughter, but in adults some sudden event that gives a sensation of triumph over others has much more influence. Really clever jokes seldom cause laughter, and it has been pointed out that a man chasing his hat will produce laughter far more hearty in character than the best efforts of the cleverest wit. The sight of ill fortune in another causes by contrast a feeling of triumph in ourselves. The ticklish parts of the body are for the most part the sites of important blood vessels, and the laughter produced in children by tickling is even more closely allied to the cry of pain.

**The Cuckoo.**

Where does the cuckoo lay its eggs? What is its staple diet? What course does it take in its autumn migration when it returns to its African haunts? These are questions that await satisfactory answers. Until it was found that the cuckoo laid its egg on the ground and subsequently carried it in its bill to a neighboring nest it was supposed that the bird fed largely on the eggs of smaller birds. This fallacy has been disproved. Probably in the whole range of British birds there is no other that can boast such curious domestic traits as the cuckoo. It makes no nest, does not attend to incubation duties and rears no young and apparently never sees the bird that is hatched from the egg that it surreptitiously places in the nest of some smaller bird. —London Globe.

**Served Him Right.**

"You're looking very gloomy today, Tomkins. What's the matter?"

"Matter! Do you know Miss Parno, the old maid that lives over the way? Dawkins told me that she was engaged to him, so just for the fun of the thing I went and proposed to her and she accepted me. Now I'm looking for Dawkins!"—London Tit-Bits.

**Light.**

Father—You seem to look at things in a very different light since your marriage. Newly Married Daughter—Well, so I ought after receiving fourteen lamps and nine candelabra for wedding presents.

It is easier to appear worthy of a position one does not hold than of the office one fills.—La Rochefoucauld.


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## AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be held at the usual hours: Morning preaching, 10:45; vesper services, 4; B. Y. P. U. meeting 7:15 in the evening.

The Township Committee met last night in the township rooms to work on the annual township report, which will soon be ready for the taxpayers.

Only one session of the school was held yesterday on account of the storm. School closed for the day at 12 o'clock.

Scotch Plains is still on the map, although the blizzard cut it off from the outside world yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Salvator, of Park avenue, have been entertaining relatives from New York.

Mrs. Benjamin Clark, of Prospect avenue, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Otto Peterson, at Newark.

Mrs. George Ranier, of the borough has returned from a visit with friends in New York.

Mrs. John Alberts, of Westfield avenue, has been entertaining friends from out of town.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

—Use Press want ads. They pay.


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### DIED

RANDOLPH—On Thursday, January 13, 1910, Catherine F., widow of Isaac F. Randolph, in her 81st year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 532 West Front street, on Sunday, January 16, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 14 2

BRENNAN—At Dunellen, N. J., January 14, 1910, Martin Brennan, aged 64 years.

Funeral from his late residence, Madison avenue, Dunellen, N. J., on Monday, January 17, at 8:30 a. m., thence to St. John's R. C. church where a mass will be offered at 9 a. m.

## Classified Advertisements

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Laundress by the day. Apply 749 Belvidere avenue. 1 13 3

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—A competent, quiet white girl for general housework; two in family; good reference required. Address Box 22, Fanwood, N. J. 1 13 3

WANTED—Young girl for housework and errands; no washing or cooking; sleep home; wages $10. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

COMPETENT woman for general housework in small family; small house; laundry is sent out; man cleans one day a week; $25 a month Address Box 94, care Press. 1 13 12

WANTED—Laundress at Groszman school, Johnston's Drive. Apply at school. 1 15 3

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at 91 Mercer avenue after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Operators on ladies' muslin underwear; also few learners. Schiller Brothers, 320 West Front St. 1 14 4

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of two; must be good cook. Call 207 East Seventh St. 1 14 3

FORTY GIRLS WANTED—Cooks, nurses, waitresses and general houseworkers. Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 6

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS —Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms; apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

TWO wagon sheds; reasonable; to be removed. Call 984 Hillside Ave 1 15 3

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 11 6

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Situations Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man wishes office position, capable of taking entire charge, thorough knowledge of office work; also experienced business correspondence with own typewriter, good add writer; low salary to start; Plainfield or vicinity. Address Energetic, care Press. 1 14 8

### Sleighs For Sale.

CUTTER for sale, best of condition. Apply 754 Kensington avenue. 1 15 3

FOR SALE—A cutter, in good order. F. C. Overton, 31 Rockview avenue. 1 15 3

FINE cutter for sale cheap. 19 Craig place.

### Rooms and Board.

PLEASANT front room, steam heat, near depot; reasonable. 150 East Fifth street, corner Watchung avenue.

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 3.**

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Six room house near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Ano, 142 North Ave. 11 tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house and barn, on West Sixth street, near Liberty; rent reasonable. Inquire K. Rothberg, 505 West Third St. 1 15 3

FOR RENT—Ten room modern house on Westervelt avenue, near Front, for rent at $20 a month. Address L. W., care Press. 1 12 3 w th s

TO LET—From April 1, five-room flat, all improvements; corner of Watchung avenue and Second street; rent $21. Charles H. Hand, owner. 1 15 3

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 15 tf

FOURTEEN-ROOM house to let; all improvements; steam heat; Watchung avenue, near Second street; rent $40. Chas. Hand.

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 27 tf

### Employment Agencies.

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### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage Mulford, opposite depot. 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8, Stirling Building. 13 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 69. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 44 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail. tf

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Brindle bull terrier, white breast, white tip on tail, wearing brass studded collar, bearing inscriptions "N. L. Snow." Suitable reward if returned to Mrs. Snow, 1342 Watchung avenue.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—Couple want two unfurnished rooms in private family about March or April, with board or near boarding house. Address Harding, General Delivery, City. 1 14 3

HOUSE wanted in Netherwood about eight rooms; all modern improvements. Address W. K., care Press. 1 14 2

WANTED—Rooms for two adults, unfurnished, with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 32 West Front street. Telephone 90-R. 1 5 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 a month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

# Home Dollars Should Be Spent in Home Towns.

(By A. E. Force)

Many merchants who carry on business in suburban towns, or even cities, believe that it is utterly impossible to receive the patronage from their townspeople which is rightfully theirs. With a small railroad fare, a dollar the round trip, for example, and a small space of time separating their business houses from those of the larger cities, they hold to the opinion that the balance of money and time in their favor is not enough to swing local trade to them, in the face of the greater assortments and necessarily lower prices, because of larger buying facilities. In bulk, when the family shopper makes one of her regular buying excursions, these lower prices undoubtedly mean a great deal to the woman who must be careful of her expenditures.

It is indeed a difficult proposition, and one which requires every ounce of gray matter in the merchant's brain to successfully meet. These merchants, then, within a radius of twenty or twenty-five miles of a large city, who have acquired the habit of allowing this home trade to slip by, must face the issue frankly.

If the man of the family were the buyer, the suburban merchant would have an easier proposition ahead of him; for, with all due respect to the buyers of the other sex, they have not made good as broad-minded patrons of home trade. But if the merchant once win the confidence of the women purchasers of his town, if he can place the sentiment of the issue strongly enough before them, these natural advocates will fairly startle the merchant of the smaller cities with their loyal response.

**Suburban Merchants, With City Support, Could Do City Merchandising.**

Men know, and women should be told, that if the dollars which they now carry to outside cities were left in the home city or town, the local merchants would be able to offer merchandise at the "big city" prices and also display a much larger assortment of all lines in the store, issues which now take trade from the home town. Local merchants, if they will only realize their power, have certain great advantages over the managers of stores in the larger cities with whom they compete. They know, or should know, each customer personally; they know what street she lives on, without careful questioning; they can call patrons by name and touch pleasantly on local issues and legitimate town personals; they can promise immediate deliveries, with quicker "changes" or "refunds," should purchases prove unsatisfactory. But, most of all, they can give an individual and a closer attention than is possible for the sales people in the large city stores to offer. As the students in private schools receive personal attention, so can the patrons of suburban stores receive store service suited to their respective needs and wants; if a certain brand is desired, it can and should be procured for them, an action which invariably creates a feeling of good will for the personal interest displayed.

**Think These Things Over.**

Every dollar spent in an outside town means two dollars taken from the home town, for each dollar spent outside builds up the rival store at the expense of the local one. When the money is earned in the home town it should, for all logical reasons, be put in circulation there if it is a possible thing. A family that owns real estate, makes its home or operates any sort of a business in a town, is naturally directly interested in its growth and well being; and loyal home patronage of business houses will have an almost immediate and favorable reaction upon local conditions and home values. If a man is a landlord for a merchant every dollar spent in the home town hastens the day when the lease can be renewed at a higher figure. Think these things over.

To locate the cause of dead mercantile conditions in suburban communities is impossible; part of the fault is the merchant's for not going out after the business that belongs to him, and part of it lies with the families that do not go part way to the home merchants in making an effort to keep the money in the home town.

But as this argument is directed to the merchants, let me deal only with the consideration of this question, asking these dealers to see that their local newspapers do their part, as loyal citizens of the town or city, in working for the best home interests by appealing to the public.

Now, as we are speaking of a most important issue, let us be perfectly candid in the interests of improvement. Perhaps the reader feels the effect of conditions such as these; again, he may not be affected by them. In any event, always being absolutely frank, do you believe that the suburban merchant is doing all in his power to keep local trade at home?

At the risk of giving offence, the writer feels that he must state that almost without exception those suburban stores which have come under his consideration, in wealthy cities, too, are not getting anywhere near the volume of trade they should naturally receive. But no offence should be taken, for the remedy, not necessarily the fault, lies with the merchant, and his only fault is that he does not honestly and conscientiously seek out and apply the remedy.

**Do Not Shun the Issue—Meet It.**

It is this: Do not shun the issue as a subject too dangerous to even broach, but talk it over whenever possible, whenever a favorable opportunity arises, with the representative people of your town—men and women who come into the store but occasionally, who seem to like the establishment, but whose monthly accounts would not pay for the running of a bird cage, let alone a private house. Do not shun the subject, then. Ask the man to have his wife give the home house a call, to have her at least visit the home store before she goes to the "city," and purchase there if possible.

Tell this man friend that the finer and the more up-to-date the home stores become by loyal patronage the more chance will the town have for a steady, healthy growth. Tell him that the merchant is the one man in town without whose able assistance the community could never realize its fullest success. Tell him that this merchant needs and deserves home support; otherwise the stores in his home town must always be "shops" and not "stores;" that it is impossible to employ capable clerks and to do right by them if local support is not forthcoming.

In general, the husband will understand and appreciate these things more than his wife, who, in most cases, is the family buyer, and, at all events, he is probably better prepared to place the local cause before his better-half than the merchant is, and as a man not so personally interested in the direct case as the merchant, his words should have more effect.

**Have Personal Talks With Customers**

Still, whenever possible, seize an opportunity to have a sort of "let-us-explain-ourselves, madam" chat with the women themselves. It is good work done directly, and although you are the person most concerned, if handled in the right spirit those talks to the women themselves may bring forth even greater results than friendly chats with the men. If you can reach the strong and true sentiment of the situation, and you honestly offer larger assortments and more favorable prices (not cut prices) in the future, your cause will doubtless find many of the most loyal adherents on earth—women. Tell these women, and they will heartily concur with you, that women who take their trade out of town, when they can just as well patronize local merchants, are doing a real wrong, a wrong to the home town, a wrong to the home merchants and a wrong to themselves and their own best interests.

Do not harm the cause by letting it run away with you, for especially in speaking to a woman customer is there great need for diplomacy. If the subject is attacked, instead of led up to, there is danger of giving offence. Let the appeal be not alone one of home sentiment, but rather let the issue of sentiment be used to afford the home store a chance to make good. Tell them that on and after a certain date the house will be able to show a more complete line than ever before, a general average of favorable prices, a store service, a delivery system and a "money-back" plan which will mean something. Tell these women what you propose doing, and why; ask the courtesy of consideration, and if the merchandise makes good, ask that home patronage be given.

Then, if the support asked for comes in, approach the big city prices if you are operating a low-price store; or if it is a store catering to a clientele better provided with the world's goods, give better store service by employing the higest-grade help obtainable. A general raise in salary throughout the sales force will work wonders and will surprise the merchant by showing him that he has now high-grade salespeople in his store. A few dollars weekly is the main difference between a capable and a mediocre clerk; in other words, if the asked-for support comes from the public, deserve it.

Before anyone gets the idea that the city merchant who draws a large suburban trade is a second cousin to a pirate, one must remember that he has a right to go after outside trade; it shows that he is ambitious and progressive, but if he gets a remarkable share of it in any one town, it shows that the merchants there, or the people there, or both, do not realize the importance of home trade in the upbuilding of the town.

It is a good thing to study the merchandising methods of these big fellows; there is a great deal to be learned from them. A good prizefighter always learns the blow that in the past has defeated him.

**United Efforts Necessary for Best Results.**

In the building up of home trade, the best work can never be accomplished alone. The concerted efforts of all the progressive merchants in the town must be secured, and to this end a local merchants' association must be established, if it has not already been done. If it has been formed, and is not an active going concern it must be made so.

Some time ago a trade investigator wrote to the secretaries of commercial clubs in twelve different states, with an eye towards obtaining the weaknesses of the various organizations. These were some of the questions propounded:

What is your busiest day?

What is your dullest day?

Are the merchants live advertisers?

Are goods sold close, or on good margins?

Do you give trading stamps?

Is there good feeling or sharp competition among merchants?

Have you ever tried to "boost the town?"

What methods were used?

With what results?

From about five hundred replies there were obtained the following composite answers:

Saturday was the busiest day, with Monday and Friday the dullest. The merchants were not live advertisers. Goods were sold too close. Trading stamps or premiums were not given. Competition was very keen, and only fairly good feeling existed between the various business houses.

Efforts had been put forth to boom the towns, in most cases by subsidies or factory funds, and the general results pronounced failures. The main fault found was that the apparent good feeling between the merchants was merely on the surface.

When they met it was not to boom the local trade generally, but only to see that a competitor did not obtain any advantage. The men were long on promises, but short on action.

**Poor Examples of Association Work.**

In an Indiana town it was learned that there were three separate organizations—a commercial club, business men's association and a credit exchange. The majority of the business men belonged to all of the associations, and each one was fighting both of the other two, while individually the merchants were digging one another.

Most towns are at least moderately progressive, but before they do any "foreign mission work," let them do all there is to be done in attending to the work of "home missions." This progression in many cases spends money which should go to keep the home trade at home, in going after outside trade, just even as larger city merchants go after theirs. After the home business is well cared for it is time to make definite plans for expansion. There will be more money after the home trade has been kept where it belongs.

One good method is to get every dealer in town interested and enthusiastic upon the subject of a town advertising movement. Call a meeting of the local associations and dredge local issues. Have a good dinner every so often, and have as the guest of honor a successful merchant from out of town, a "big" man. Have him tell you frankly how your town looks from the outsider's standpoint. Wear clothes purchased from home clothiers, sit down to dinner served by a home caterer, smoke home-made cigars, ask questions, exchange views and methods, say some good words about fellow merchants, and then go home and boost! The next morning go down to the store—and boost!

The problem of raising and expending money is one which has given more than one organization trouble, and in many cases this problem is more difficult in the smaller towns. Collections, it seems from investigations, are easier than expenditures, because many of the members are loath to place this issue entirely at the good judgment of a able committee, and, consequently, without a unity of purpose, the best results cannot be obtained. Cut the chronic kicker in these organizations and be wary of the lukewarm member. Have old, but progressive heads for the presidency and the treasurer's berths; but a thoroughly live and rip-roaring "mover" must be placed in the secretary's chair. Have every member on some committee, one on which he is well fitted to serve. This gives him a live personal interest in things and should insure results.

An over-ambitious, or, rather, illogically ambitious, method was proved worthless in the Central West some time back. This was the method: Displays ads. were placed in local papers headed with "Blankville will be 50,000 in 1910." The advertisement went on to say that every citizen should wear a badge bearing that slogan for one month. This was in 1908, and Blankville still has its 12,000 souls, and if you speak of advertising you will get a growl for an answer—for they say that it doesn't pay.

Properly applied, however, association effort will bring forth the best sort of results, but the interest and the work must always be harmonious and mutually helpful.

**What Local Advertising Can Do.**

Local advertising, as personal advertising in the store, should not fear to face the issue of home trade frankly. It should request and give good reasons as to why the dollars made by citizens of a town, generally in that town, should be spent in that town. As to the regular advertising copy regarding merchandise, let it be good, strong, readable and honest. If the stores cannot each afford to employ a capable advertising man, let two, three, or even six stores joint employ one. This could be easily carried out, say with a dry store merchant, a dry goods and notion man, a furniture dealer, a haberdasher and others whose lines do not come into direct competition.

**Working With the Local Editor.**

Make the editor and the advertising manager of the local paper members of the merchants' association for their cause is yours, and they are always vitally interested in the growth and betterment of the town. You will find them broad-minded, loyal backers of your cause. They will help materially the running of the association itself, if you seek their advice, as well as its general result getting. Reverse the usual course of making these journalists come to you—go to them and watch what they will do for you.

In leaking of toy departments in large suburban cities, the writer knows personally of several merchants who will not put year-round toy departments in their establishments, contending "The big fellows will sell the toys, anyway; so what's the use?" Of course, the big fellows will sell the toys if we are not progressive enough to present them ourselves, and day after day we are losing money if the powerful spirit of the plaything is not in the store to draw in the dollars.

I have just a notion that the merchant is more at fault, and, on second thought, I will use the word "fault," than the out-of-town spender in this big issue of "home trade." We must go to the public, for we cannot expect them to come more than twenty-five per cent. of the way to us, and if they come that far we get our asked-for opportunity to make good.

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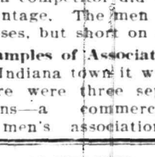

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CHAPTER IV.

NO doubt the most absurd thing I could have done after the departure of Professor Keredec and his singular friend would have been to settle myself before my canvas again with the intention of painting, and that is what I did. At least, I resumed my camp stool and went through some of the motions habitually connected with the act of painting.

In fine, I sat there brush paddling my failure like an automaton and saying over and over aloud: "What is wrong with him? What is wrong with him?"

I came out of my varicolored study with a start, caused by the discovery that I had absentmindedly squeezed upon my palette the entire contents of an expensive tube of covalt violet.

The turpentine rag at least proved effective. I scoured away the last tokens of my failure with it, wishing that life were like the canvas and that men had knowledge of the right celestial turpentine. After that I cleaned my brushes, packed and shouldered my kit and, with a final imprecation upon all sausage sandwiches, took up my way once more to Les Trois Pigeons.

Striding along at a good gait and chanting sonorously, "On Linden when the sun was low," I left the rougher boscages of the forest behind me and emerged just at sunset upon an orderly fringe of woodland where the ground was neat and unincumbered and the trimmed trees stood at polite distances, bowing slightly to one another with small, well bred rustlings.

I stood upon Quesnay ground.

Before me stretched a short, broad avenue of turf, leading to the chateau gates. A slope was terraced with strips of flower gardens and intervals of sward, and against the green of a rising lawn I marked the figure of a woman pausing to bend over some flowering bush. The lady upon the slope was Mme. d'Armand, the inspiration of Amedee's "Monsier has much to live for!"

Once more this day I indorsed that worthy man's opinion, for, though I was too far distant to see clearly, I knew that roses trimmed Mme. d'Armand's white hat and that she had passed me no long time since in the forest.

I had come far out of my way, so I retraced my steps to the intersection of the paths and thence made for the inn by my accustomed route. Not far along the road from where I came into it stood an old, brown, deep thatched cottage, a branch of brushwood over the door prettily beckoning travelers to the knowledge that cider was here for the thirsty, and as I drew near I perceived that one availed himself of the invitation. A group stood about the open door, the lamplight from within disclosing the head of the house filling a cup for the wayfarer.

The latter was a most mundane and elaborate wayfarer indeed—a small young man very tightly made, like a jockey and point device in khaki, puttees, pongee cap, white and green stock, a knapsack on his back and a bamboo stick under his arm. He spoke, though with a detestable accent, in a rough and ready, picked up dialect of Parisian slang, while Pere Baudry contributed his share of the conversation in a slow patois. As both men spoke at the same time and neither understood two consecutive words the other said, it struck me that the dialogue might prove unproductive of any highly important results this side of Michaelmas. Therefore, discovering that the very pedestrian gentleman was making some sort of inquiry concerning Les Trois Pigeons, I came to a halt and proffered aid.

"Are you looking for Mme. Brossard's?" I asked in English.

The traveler uttered an exclamation and faced about with a jump, birdlike for quickness.

"Say," he responded in a voice of unpleasant nasality, finally deciding upon speech, "you're 'Nummeric'n, ain't you?"

"Yes," I returned. "I thought I heard you inquiring for"—

"Well, m' friend, you can sting me," he interrupted, with condescending jocularity. "My style French does f'r them camels up in Paris all night. But down here I don't seem to be gud enough f'r these sheep dogs. Anyway, they bark different. I'm lukkin' fer a hotel called Les Trois Pigeons."

I pointed to the lights of the inn flickering across the fields. "Yonder—beyond the second turn of the road."

"Oh, I ain't goin' there t'night! It's too dark t' see anything now," he remarked. "Dives and the choo-choo back t' little ole Trouville f'r mine! I on'y wanted to take a luk at this pigeon house joint."

"Do you mind my inquiring," I said, "what you expected to see at Les Trois Pigeons?"

"Why," he exclaimed as if astonished at the question, "I'm a tourist, makin' a pedestrum trip t' all the reg'ler sights," and, inspired to eloquence, he added as an afterthought, "as it were."

"But if you will pardon me," I said, "where did you get the notion that Les Trois Pigeons is one of the regular sights?"

"Ain't it in all the history books?"

"No; I don't think that it is mentioned in any of the histories or even the guidebooks."

"Look s-here," he said, taking a step nearer me, "in confest, now, on your woid, didn' more'n half them Jeanne d'Arc tamales and William the Conker live at that hotel wunst?"

"No."

"Stung again!" He broke into a sudden loud cackle of laughter. "Why, a feller at Trouville tole me 'at this Pigeon place was all three rings when it come t' history. Yessir!"

I tarried no longer, but, bidding this good youth and the generations of Baudry good night, hastened on to my belated dinner.

"Amedee," I said when my cigar was lighted and the usual hour of consultation had arrived, "isn't that old lock on the chest where Mme. Brossard keeps her silver getting rather rusty?"

"Monsieur, we have no thieves here. We are out of the world."

"Yes, but Trouville is not so far away, and strange people go to Trouville—grand dukes, opera singers, jockeys, gamblers, tourists"—

"Truly," assented Amedee.

"It follows," I continued, "that many strange people may come from Trouville. In their excursions to the surrounding points of interest"—

"Eh, monsieur, but that is true," he interrupted. "There was a strange monsieur from Trouville here this very day."

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I had sprained my ankle in a poppy field and must spend little less than a week of idleness within the confines of Les Trois Pigeons, and, reclining among cushions in a wicker long chair looking out from my pavilion upon the drowsy garden on a hot noontide, I did not much care.

A heavy step crunched the gravel, and I heard my name pronounced in a deep inquiring rumble, the voice of Professor Keredec, no less. Nor was I greatly surprised, since our meeting in the forest had led me to expect some advances on his part toward friendliness or at least in the direction of a better acquaintance.

"Here I am," I called, "in the pavilion, if you wish to see me."

"Aha, I hear you become an invalid, my dear sir!" With that the professor's great bulk loomed in the doorway against the glare outside. "I have come to condole with you, if you allow it."

"To smoke with me, too, I hope," I said, not a little pleased.

"That I will do," he returned and came in slowly, walking with perceptible lameness. "The sympathy I offer is genuine. It is not only from the heart; it is from the latissimus dorsi," he continued, seating himself. "I have choosed this fine weather for rheumatism of the back."

TO BE CONTINUED.

## KILLED LOOKING FOR A JOB.

Trenton, Jan. 15.—The body of the man found along the railroad tracks at Morrisville Thursday morning was identified later in the day as that of William C. Gill, of 625 South Warren street. The identification was made by Gill's wife and her brother.

Gill was formerly a machinist, but had not worked steadily for some time, aside from doing odd jobs and running errands for persons living in South Trenton.

Wednesday he left home with the determination of trying to secure employment at anything that might come his way. He looked around all day, but could find no job. He then started for Morrisville on a freight train, and had decided to go to the West Morrisville yards to see if he could get employment on the railroad when he fell from the train.

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## SALOON FRACAS ENDS IN A CRACKED SKULL.

Passaic, Jan. 15.—Thomas Carrina, of Oak street, is in a serious condition in the General Hospital with a fracture of the skull, as a result of a blow on the head received in a saloon fracas Thursday.

Locked up in cells at the county jail are Clarence Marshall and Harold Tobias, both of this city, who are held without bail on charges of atrocious assault.

The police had a chase after the prisoners, both of whom ran out of a saloon on lower Main avenue and made an effort to escape, but were cornered and captured by Detective-Sergeants Turner and Crawbuck at the points of revolvers.

The detectives say they were unable to discover any reason for the assault. There were several negroes in the barroom when the incident occurred, but most of them left before the officers arrived. However, it was learned that the blow which caused the fractured skull was inflicted with a pool cue.

## AMBOY SCHOONER ON NEW HAMPSHIRE REEF.

Portsmouth, N. H., Jan. 15.—Beating into port for shelter from a rising northwest snow storm, the three-masted schooner Annie F. Conlin, of Portsmouth, bound from South Amboy, N. J., for Portland, ran on Steelman Rock early yesterday. The vessel lies in a very exposed position and as she is heavily loaded with coal her chances of getting off safely are slim.

The Conlin carried a crew of eight men, under Captain B. M. Moody. She is owned by Freeman R. Garret, of Portsmouth. A tug has gone to the relief of the crew.

Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., will hold a regular conclave on Monday night.

The Women's Relief Corps was unable to hold its regular meeting last night on account of the severe storm, and it was postponed to a later date.

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# STATE OF NEW JERSEY AS A FISHING CENTRE

Atlantic City, Jan. 15.—Massachusetts may be forced to scale the sacred cod fish from its escutcheon and hand it over to New Jersey as the chief centre of the codfish industry according to experts who appeared before the federal board of engineers yesterday to plead for a deeper harbor into the inlet. Declaring that only the danger of crossing the shoals of the bars prevents the use of big fishing steamers.

Heads of the fishing syndicate cupted figures to show first that the fishing industry is dying out on the New Foundland banks and other former harvest grounds of the deep, and that Atlantic City is now the real geographical centre of the big coast fishing business. Claims were made that Atlantic City has the finest shipping facilities on the coast, and that with a safe harbor would become the greatest point of supply for food fish destined to either Philadelphia or New York markets.

Captain A. H. Francis, owner of a fishing fleet, who lost a steamer that tried to cross the bar several weeks ago, declared that over 3,000,000 pounds of fresh cod are shipped from Atlantic City to New York and Philadelphia each winter, and that with deep water for use of steamers the industry would be worth over $1,000,000 a year to the resort. He declared that enough cod could be caught here to supply the market and keep down the price when harbors are frozen up and fishing smacks unable to get out. An inlet yacht captain stated that the pleasure yachting industry alone brings in over $50,000 a season from visitors who take sea trips. The arguments were presented to discredit claims that the commerce on this section of the coast would not warrant expense of deepening the inlet channels.

## THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS COST N. J. $11,569,640.

Trenton, Jan. 15.—The annual report of State Superintendent Charles J. Baxter, submitted to Governor Fort yesterday, shows that during the last school year New Jersey expended $17,227,331 for school purposes. The current expenses for the year were $11,569,640, on the basis of enrollment. This is an average of $27.25 for each pupil and on the basis of average attendance $35.36.

The valuation of all school property is estimated by the State Superintendent at $33,900,466, an increase over the preceding year of $5,318,108. The schools have a seating capacity for 426,719 pupils.

The total number of teachers employed is 10,734, of whom 9,636 are women.

## NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Trenton, Jan. 15.—Certificates of incorporation were Thursday granted to the following companies:

Ocean County Gas Company, Toms River; capital, $20,000. Incorporators, George T. Crook, Stephen R. Applegate and George W. Holman, Jr.

Glass Products Company, Newark; capital, $50,000. Incorporators, James F. Sisserson, John A. Allen and Helen L. Burrows.

Artotype and Gravure Company, Hoboken; capital, $200,000. Incorporators, Max R. Brincman, John B. Patterson and George J. Kraemer.

Coady & Cheesman Co., Gloucester City; capital, $100,000. Incorporators, Thomas S. Coady, Alonzo Cheesman and Joseph Cheesman.

Empire Dairy Company, Jersey City; capital, $10,000. Incorporators, J. N. Wittpenn, D. H. Wittpenn and H. Wittpenn.

Estates Company, Jersey City; capital, $100,000. Incorporators, Frank Kweton, William A. Lommatzsch and Arnold J. Evans.

The Mont Vart Company, Jersey City; capital, $10,000. Incorporators, Arthur Terry, Willard P. Jessup and Michael Maginnis.

Ridge Road Land Company, Lyndhurst; capital, $125,000. Incorporators, William J. Peterson, Tessie Peterson and Henry Danton.

## BABE NEARLY FROZEN.

Police Take Charge of Infant of Railroad Victim.

Carrying in her arms an infant girl without shoes or stockings, a young Polish girl alighted from a Central Railroad train at Elizabeth yesterday. The child's mother was killed last Monday at McKeesport, Pa., while crossing the tracks. There are two other children, who are with the father in Pennsylvania.

The baby was being taken to a sister in Perth Amboy. It was nearly frozen. The police interfered and placed the young woman and baby in care of Mrs. Annie McCormack, matron at headquarters. Later they were sent to Perth Amboy.

John C. VanDyke, of East Fifth street, continues to improve at Muhlenberg Hospital from the injuries he received in a fall at his home several weeks ago.

Isaac Randolph, of West Front street, father of Councilman Charles C. Randolph, is detained at home with a severe attack of pneumonia. He was taken early in the week.

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December the thirty-first, nineteen hundred nine.

ASSETS.

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| R. R. and other bonds (book value) [Market value $593,730.50] | $ 580,475.36 |
| Bonds and Mortgages | 438,800.00 |
| Demand and Time Loans | 488,935.00 |
| Bills Purchased | 1,061,830.89 |
| Banking House | 85,000.00 |
| Accrued Interest | 12,320.47 |
| Overdrafts, None | |
| Cash | 454,592.95 |
| | $3,121,954.67 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Capital Stock | | $ 100,000.00 |
| Surplus and Undivided Profits | | 202,501.58 |
| Accrued Interest | | 4,249.15 |
| Deposits— | | |
| Time | $1,015,641.78 | |
| Demand | 1,799,562.16 | |
| | | 2,815,203.94 |
| | | $3,121,954.67 |

Comparative

| | 1908 | 1909 |
|---|---|---|
| Deposits— | $2,098,154.41 | $2,815,203.94 |
| Surplus and Profits— | $156,023.22 | $202,501.58 |
| Banking House— | $90,000.00 | $85,000.00 |

### WORLD'S FAIR IN NEW YORK.

**Company Incorporated to Open It in 1913.**

Albany, Jan. 15.—Application was made yesterday to Secretary of State Koenig for the incorporation of a company under the name of the New York Permanent Exposition and Ter-Centennial World's Fair Company, comprising prominent New York business men, who propose to hold a world's fair and inaugurate a permanent industrial exposition in New York city in 1913.

The object of this world's fair, as explained by the promoters, is to celebrate the original settlement on Manhattan Island, as well as the purchase by Peter Minuit from the Indians 300 years ago, and which led to the permanent settlement of the island by Dutch colonizers.

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# KNIGHTS TAKE ODD GAME FROM RED MEN'S FIVE

Knights of Columbus bowlers won two out of three games from the Red Men's quintet in a Fraternal League series on Campbell's alleys last night. After the Knights chalked up victories in the first and second games the Red Men took a big brace, rolled excellent tenpins, and trounced their conquerors in a runaway game by the score of 947 to 792. In this contest Willett and Nash were at their best and posted scores of 218 and 209, which were the highest marks in the series. The scores:

**Red Men.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Radin | 177 | 170 | 186 |
| Skelly | 163 | 169 | 173 |
| Willett | 183 | 147 | 218 |
| Meyers | 157 | 158 | 161 |
| Nash | 147 | 197 | 209 |
| | 827 | 841 | 947 |

**Knights of Columbus.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Blatz | 193 | 191 | 178 |
| O'Keefe | 170 | 185 | 137 |
| Taylor | 145 | 187 | 143 |
| Shannon | 147 | 172 | 176 |
| Campbell | 199 | 180 | 158 |
| | 854 | 915 | 792 |

### STEALS $2, GETS SEVEN YEARS.

**Prison Record of Youth Influences Judge in Passing Sentence.**

William Muth, twenty-two years old, of Philadelphia, was sentenced to serve sevens years in the New Jersey State Prison yesterday at Trenton by Judge Gnichtel for a burglary the proceeds of which only netted him $2.

The young man broke into the home of Mrs. Van Cleef, in West Front street, last winter and stole articles on which he realized $2 in a pawnshop.

In passing sentence yesterday Judge Gnichtel said that Muth had spent the larger part of his life in prison and he considered it best that he should remain there, so he inflicted the seven year sentence.

**Saves Boy's Life with Hockey Stick.**

John Laviski, fifteen years old, with a hockey stick saved the life of Charles Sipp last night at Bloomfield. Sipp was skating on Oakes' Pond, along the Third River, when he broke through the ice. His cries were heard by Laviski, who was on another part of the pond. The lad skated to where Sipp was struggling and extended the end of his hockey stick to him. Sipp seized it and the lad pulled him to safety.

**Draft Belleville Annexation Bill.**

The legislative committee of the Belleville Annexation Association drafted a bill providing for the annexation of Belleville to Newark. Senator Harry V. Osborne will introduce the bill in the State Legislature.

# JERSEY DEFERS ACTION ON INCOME TAX SCHEME

It was stated at the executive office at Trenton today that Governor Fort would not communicate to the Legislature before Monday, January 24, the amendment to the United States Constitution proposed by Congress with reference to the power to levy a tax on incomes. In fact, the Legislature will not receive any further communications from the Governor until week after next, for the reason that Mr. Fort has arranged to leave Trenton for Washington on Monday afternoon to attend the conference of Governors, which will be held at the national capital on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

Mr. Fort is compelled to arrive in Washington the day before the conference in order that he may carry out his work as chairman of the committee of arrangements to which he was appointed at the time the first conference of Governors was held under the administration of President Roosevelt. He will be in the State House for a short time Monday morning, but only long enough to look after his mail and he will be unable to receive callers or transact anything but pressing business.

The Governor will return from Washington and resume the reins of State government on Friday of next week. During his absence from the State, President of the Senate Joseph S. Frelinghuysen will be acting Governor.

**Damages for Foul Odors.**

New Brunswick, Jan. 15.—The jury in the case of Mr. and Mrs. Stanislaus Dregler against the Roessler and Hasslacher Chemical Company of Perth Amboy returned a verdict after an hour's deliberation Thursday afternoon for the plaintiff for $610. The yswed because of objectionable odors from the factory of the defendants, who manufacture chemicals, and there are four other like suits pending. The result of these suits may lead to the company seeking another location for their plant.

**Leaps From Hospital Window, Dies.**

After apparently recovering from an operation, Sigmund Akerly, fifty-seven years old, leaped from his cot on the second story of the General Hospital at Paterson yesterday afternoon, opened the window and dropped head first to the ground. He was picked up unconscious and died soon afterward. He was taken to the hospital suffering from appendicitis.

Mrs. L. E. Barkalew, of Lincoln place, who fell on the icy sidewalks a few days ago and broke her wrist, is improving slowly.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

# COLLECTOR'S REPORT OF UNION COUNTY FINANCES

County Collector Nathan R. Leavitt, submitted his annual report to the Board of Freeholders last week and it shows that Union county is financially the finest county in the State. The report shows that the liabilities of the county are $874,000, while the assets in county lands and buildings, etc., are $858,750. There is not a county in the State, he said, that has enough ready assets to offset liabilities. The annual report of the colector shows that the total receipts of the county, for the year just closed, are $2,021,614.81, and the disbursements $1, 597,833.51, leaving a balance of $423,781.30.

Out of the balance the State school tax, which will be due January 20, and amounts to $320,715.27, must be paid. Other accounts to be paid out of the balance are: $1,200 to the National Guard, $22,000 to the hospitals, $8,000 to the Sinking Fund Commissioners, $832.77 to the new courthouse account, and $673.99 to the Sheridan House bond account. These accounts subtracted from the balance, leave $70,359.27. There is due from municipalities for their share in the payment of county road bonds, due October 1, 1909, $51,315.42, which added to the balance of $70,359.57 leaves a balance for the year of $131,674.69, against a balance last year of $103,481.93. The figures show that the county this year saved $18,000 more than the year before.

The liabilities of the county are: County road bonds, $200,000; New Court House accounts, $576,000; Sheridan House bonds, $28,000; and road improvement bonds, $70,000. The assets are: County land and buildings, $802,750, and Sinking Fund Commission, $48,000, out of which the county owes $8,000.

Mr. Leavitt attributes the increase in the county receipts to the increase in the county's business. He said that the change of the county offices from the fee system to the salary basis also makes the receipts much larger. That the new system is a saving to the county he said, is made apparent by the fact that in the court account there is a balance of $5,000, something that has never occurred before, as this account has always been overdrawn. The saving in this account, Mr. Leavitt says, is due undoubtedly to the fact that the Sheriff's office has been on the salary basis.

### PLUG FROZEN; HOSE SHORT; SUMMIT HOUSE BURNED.

Summit, Jan. 15.—The home of Robert C. Wilson, in Springfield avenue, was almost totally destroyed by fire Thursday afternoon. It is supposed a defective chimney caused the fire. The first alarm turned in summoned the hook-and-ladder company, but when the members of that company, arrived at the house they found the entire roof ablaze. When a line of hose was connected with a plug nearly opposite the burning house the plug was found to be frozen. A general alarm was turned in, and Union Hose Company and Hose Company No. 2 doubled their hose, but found they did not have sufficient pipe to reach from another hydrant located about a block distant from the frozen plug.

It was necessary to send to the Union Hose Company's headquarters for additional hose. The fire in the meantime gained such headway that the efforts of the firemen counted for little. After several hours' work the fire was extinguished, but the third story of the house and the roof had been destroyed. The interior of the house was ruined by water.

While the firemen were battling with the blaze, Joseph Murray, a member of the Chemical Company, and Arthur White, a member of Union Hose Company, became involved in a fight over possession of the nozzle of a line of hose. Murray struck White in the face. The latter appealed to Policeman Frederick Sigler to arrest Murray. The policeman ordered the men to attend to their duty. The Fire and Police Committee of Common Council, it is said, will make an investigation of the fight between Murray and White.

### PASTOR GETS DEATH THREAT.

**Letter Demands That Church Members Pass On New Building.**

A Black Hand letter threatening him with death unless he conforms to the desires of a minority of the congregation of the Lithuanian Church of St. Peter and St. Paul has been received by the Rev. Bartholomew Zindzius, pastor of the church, in Elizabeth. The letter demands that Father Zindzius permit the appointment of a committee from church members to act on the proposition of building the new $75,000 church.

"If you do not do as we want you, you will die like the priest in Newark did last spring," says the letter. Since the proposition to erect the church came up a small band of men demanded that the building question be placed in the hands of a committee. Such action, Father Zindzius maintains, is not in conformity with the diocesan laws, which stipulate that the question must be settled by the diocesan Bishop, the vicar general, the pastor and two trustees.

# MONTCLAIR TO RAISE PAY OF ITS POLICMEN

Montclair is apparently in favor of increasing the efficiency of its police force by making some changes in the system as well as increasing the pay of the men. Councilman Wrench introduced an ordinance which will provide for a night and day force in the department and will fix the salary of the officers until 1914.

Under the provisions of the new ordinance Chief Gallagher would receive $2,100 a year instead of $1,800; a sergeant, $1,400 instead of $1,300; roundsmen, $1,300 instead of $1,100, and the patrolmen a salary as fixed by the State law and adopted by the voters at the election last November.

Under the law a patrolman's salary was $800 when he starts and is increased at the rate of $50 a year until the maximum $1,200 is reached. These figures are not to be reduced nor increased until 1914.

Comparison with the population of Montclair with this city would indicate that with the gradual increase calculated on the basis of figures of the last census, the Plainfield police have a considerably larger population to guard, but receive smaller pay.

# WESTFIELD EXCISE FEE TO BE RAISED TO $500

Westfield's excise fee is to be raised again this year if the program of its new Council is carried out. An amendment to the excise ordinance was introduced at an adjourned meeting of the Council, Saturday night, to increase the retail license fee from $350 to $500 a year, and the wholesale license fee from $250 to $350 a year.

If this amendment is finally carried Westfield and Elizabeth will be second to Plainfield in the county for high license fee. The fee in this city is $1,000.

Mayor Fisk, of this city, as president of the State Excise Commission, like most sensible men, says that the solution of the liquor problem can not be found in prohibition. He has so written the Legislature.

### SENTENCE TWO POLITICIANS TO LONG PRISON TERMS.

Two politicians were among the offenders sentenced by Judge Blair in the County Court at Jersey City yesterday. John J. Powers, ex-custodian of the City Hall, was committed to the penitentiary for one year for going on a straw bail bond for the appearance of a person arrested for disorderly conduct in the police court, and James F. Connolly, a Democratic worker in the Second Ward of Jersey City, who gave a bail bond in the County Court for two pickpockets, giving property he did not own as surety, was sentenced to State prison for five years.

Connolly's counsel filed notice of appeal and his client was released on $10,000 bail, furnished by his father, Patrick F. Connolly, a wealthy contractor. While the appeal is pending Connolly will be tried for manslaughter. He is accused of having shot and mortally wounded Joseph Marshall during a factional row after a Democratic primary. He was put on trial seven months ago on this indictment but the jury disagreed.

Powers was originally a Democrat, then became a Republican, joined the New Idea faction, and was its leader in the First Ward. He was appointed custodian of the City Hall as a New Idea man, but had a clash with the New Idea leaders and drifted back into the Democratic fold.

### DEBATE INAUGURATION DATE.

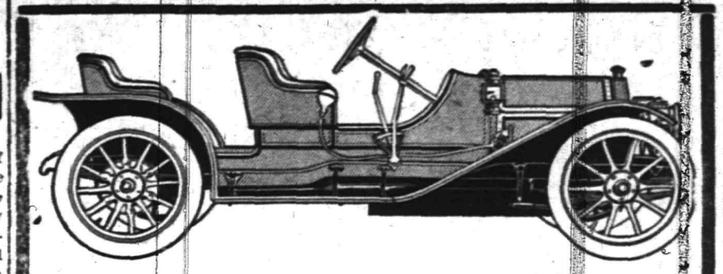
**House Resolution Making It in April Goes Over.**

Washington, Jan. 15.—The House devoted the greater part of yesterday to consideration of the Henry resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution providing that the terms of the President, the Vice-President and members of Congress shall begin the fourth Thursday in April, instead of March 4, as at present. The resolution went over without action on a motion to adjourn.

A few minutes after the House met at noon the President's message on conservation was received and read. An omnibus pension bill was passed whereupon consideration was given the Henry resolution.

### DEEDS COMMISSIONERS TERMS TO SOON EXPIRE.

Secretary of State Dickinson has prepared a list of the commissioners of deeds for the information of the Legislature, which will be required to hold a joint session for the appointment of as many of these officers as is deemed necessary for each of the counties. The names of the present commissioners of deeds in this city whose terms of office expire May 1, 1910, are as follows: W. C. MacNaughton, First ward; Joseph T. Vail, Second ward; Joseph P. W. Taylor, Third ward; Frederic J. Huff, Harvey R. Linbarger, Fourth ward.

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## NEWSPAPER BURNED OUT

### Westfield Standard Plant Destroyed in Thompson Building. Fire.

LOSS IS TWELVE THOUSAND.

Town Engineer's Maps and Council Meeting Place Gone—Origin of the Blaze a Mystery.

Fire did over $12,000 worth of damage to Assemblyman Lloyd Thompson's building, in which are the municipal offices, and its contents, in Prospect street, Westfield, yesterday.

The flames were discovered by Charles Clark, a Broad street merchant, who was on his way home. Mr. Clark saw flames leaping from the first and second story windows of the building, and ran to the firehouse, where he turned in the alarm.

When the department reached the scene the front of the building was a roaring furnace. The flames broke out under the front stairways and extended to both sides. Chief Decker had his men run three streams into the structure, and the large volume of water quickly had the fire under control, but not until the fire had almost eaten out all of the woodwork upon both floors. Two large safes belonging to the town of Westfield stood in the front of the building, where the floor fortunately held together. The safes escaped damage.

The Thompson building was occupied by the Union County Standard as a newspaper and job printing office. Robert V. Hoffman, formerly of this city, is editor of the paper. The Standard occupied the entire first floor. Assemblyman Thompson, who is also town clerk of Westfield, occupied the greater part of the second floor with his suit of law offices. One other room was occupied by Harold Thompson, his brother, who is Assemblyman Thompson's private secretary. A room in the rear of the building was occupied by Town Engineer Vars.

The building has been leased by the town of Westfield as a town hall, and alteration were being made to the rear to provide police headquarters. The Standard Publishing concern is erecting a building in Elm street, where the concern was to move in the spring to make room for the town offices. Enginger Vars' office suffered mostly from smoke damage to maps and papers. The loss to the town property is estimated at $100.

The Standard Publishing concern's plant was almost totally destroyed. All of the machinery of the office is ruined and the files and records of the concern, not kept in the safe, were burned. The loss to this concern is estimated at $5,000, partially covered by insurance.

The damage to Assemblyman Thompson's building is estimated at $5,000, covered by insurance. Mr. Thompson's law office suffered considerably from smoke and water damage. His office loss will reach $1,000, fully insured. Harold Thompson lost over $500 worth of carpenter tools and several hundred dollars' worth of valuable mahogany furniture, which he had stored in the building.

Assemblyman Thompson was in Washington when the fire took place. Harold Thompson moved his brother's law office to the Pearsall building today. The Standard Publishing Concern has opened an office at 24 Elm street, and will equip a printing plant in the Gale Clubhouse property, which is a part of the site of the concern's new building in Elm street.

The cause of the fire is a mystery.

**Aaron Hirsch Confirmed.**

Aaron Hirsch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Hirsch, of Watchung avenue, was confirmed at the Jewish Synagogue, Saturday morning, having attained his thirteenth year. During the ceremonies, the young man made an excellent speech, according to the usual custom on such occasions. There were guests form New York, Brooklyn and this city. Yesterday afternoon and evening a reception was held at the home of the young man's parents, when he received a large number of gifts.

**Thomas D. Stryker.**

Thomas D. Stryker, of Trenton, father of Mrs. George W. Saums, of this city, died on Tuesday, January 11, after an eight days' illness with Bright's disease. He was sixty-nine years of age. He leaves a wife and two daughters, Mrs. Geo. W. Saums, of this city; Miss Anna D. Stryker, of Trenton. Mr. Stryker was an uncle of William Morrison, of North Plainfield. The burial was in Blawenberg, on Friday.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## ISAAC S. RANDOLPH DEAD

### Father of Councilman C. C. Randolph Succumbs to Pneumonia.

AGED SIXTY-THREE YEARS.

Fought at Gettysburg—Member of Eleventh New Jersey Volunteers—Funeral on Wednesday.

Isaac S. Randolph, father of Councilman Charles C. Randolph, died at his home, 1125 West Front street, yesterday afternoon, following a short attack of pneumonia. He was taken ill on Wednesday with a heavy chill and pneumonia developed rapidly. On Friday there was a change for the worse and from that time Mr. Randolph failed very fast.

Mr. Randolph was born at New Brooklyn and with the exception of a couple of years, when he served in the Civil War, has resided in this city. He enlisted in the Eleventh Regiment, N. J. Vols., which was recruited at Trenton, and took part in the battle of Gettysburg, and for a time served in the hospital corps.

One of the proudest achievements of his war service was the fact that he was successful in bringing a comrade home from the battlefield, before he died of a wound which had almost severed his windpipe. He returned to complete his enlistment.

Mr. Randolph was at one time elected a member of the Common Council from the Fourth ward, but at the suggestion of the Mayor, resigned for the purpose of becoming street commissioner. He was only in office but a short time when he retired. During the progress of the laying of the brick pavement, Mr. Randolph was one of the inspectors. He was engaged in the contracting business for many years. He had a large circle of friends and was highly esteemed by everyone. He was a man of great integrity and was admired for many excellent qualities.

Surviving are a wife, two sons, Blanchard E. Randolph and Councilman Charles C. Randolph and one daughter, Mrs. Louis Tallamy. The funeral will be held from the late home Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and Rev. Charles S. Kemble, of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, will be in charge. The burial will be in Hillside cemetery.

## JOHN WHITNEY BAKER TO WED TOMORROW

The marriage of John Whitney Baker, son of Mrs. John T. Baker, of this city, and Miss Theodora Faber, will take place tomorrow afternoon at All Souls' church, New York city. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Faber, of Riverside Drive, New York. The groom is well-known here. He is a graduate of Princeton University and has been prominent as a golfer, being a member of the Plainfield Country Club. Rev. Dr. Thomas Slicer, rector of All Souls' church, will perform the ceremony.

The bride, who will wear a costume of white satin with point lace and orange blossoms, will be attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Faber, as maid of honor. The Misses Gertrude Mills, Ruth Miller, Isabel Goodnow, Ethel Hamilton, Helen Van Duzen, Adrienne Fick, of New York, will be bridesmaids.

Howard Peake, of New York, will be the best man and the ushers will be Willard Wadsworth, R. S. Rowland, Howard Beebe, of this city; Herbert Mills, Marshall Mills, William Bours, Lodolph Conklin and Weld Stevens, of New York. After the church ceremony, the bride's parents will give a reception at their home for the couple.

**Told of Student Volunteer Movement**

James R. Joy, who attended the convention held at Rochester, N. Y., under the auspices of the Student Volunteer Movement, spoke of that gathering at the First M. E. church last night in place of the regular sermon. Mr. Joy gave an interesting account of the convention, also telling of what has already been accomplished in the past. His remarks were helpful and served to greatly interest the congregation in this religious work.

**"The West Between and Beyond."**

The Women's Home Mission Society of the First Baptist church, will meet tomorrow afternoon. The topic will be "The West Between and Beyond," and Mrs. Samuel St. John McCutchen will present a paper on the wide expanse of the country's forestry possessions. Mrs. Wainwright will lead the devotional exercises with the theme, "My Duty Towards Him."

## WHERE ARE THE DEAD?

### Rev. Mr. Broek's Idea of What Follows When Earthly Life is Extinct.

HE DISCUSSES THE BELIEFS.

"Soul-sleep" Only a Poetical Expression—Does Not Believe in a Purgatory.

"Where are the Dead?" was the theme of an interesting discourse given at Trinity Reformed church, last night, by the pastor, Rev. John Y. Broek, it being a continuation of the sermon a week previous. Pastor Broek took for his text, 2d. Cor., 5:8: "Absent from the Body, Present with the Lord." Last evening he spoke of the condition of the soul during the interval between death and the general resurrection, in which soul and body will be separated. In part he said:

"What does the Bible teach concerning the condition of the soul during the interval? We know that the body, the mortal part of man is in the grave, but where is the soul?

"Various answers have been given to this question. Materialism, ancient and modern, says that the soul perishes along with the body and when the functions of the body stop, the inhabitant ceases to be. Another erroneous theory is that of soul-sleep. That word soul-sleep, referring to death, beautiful though the expression is, is only a poetical expression, and when death is spoken of in the Bible, as sleep, it only refers to the body. While body and soul are separated, the body sleeps—which passes so rapidly and which is an unconscious sleep, which lasts for a moment."

Still another theory presented and discussed was that of purgatory. Continuing Pastor Broek said:

"The Bible gives us an answer so clear on the condition of the soul after it becomes a disembodied spirit, that there can be no doubt about its teaching. It teaches plainly that at death the soul of the redeemed immediately goes to heaven and is with Christ. There is no intermediate state or place. Jesus said to the dying thief, 'I say unto thee, today thou shalt be with me in Paradise.'

"The poor dying wretch made a request of Christ, and said: 'Lord, Remember me when Thou Comest into Thy Kingdom,' and Jesus said unto him I will remember you sooner than you think or know. This very day you will stand with me on the floors of heaven.

"Furthermore, it is impossible to read the words of Paul without seeing that absence from the body means the immediate presence with the Lord. Death with Paul was synonymous with presence with Christ in Heaven."

The pastor stated he would continue his series of sermons on heaven next Sunday evening.

**TWO ADDRESSES GIVEN AT THE FIRST BAPTIST.**

An illuminated lecture by L. V. F. Randolph was given before a large congregation at the First Baptist church, last night, it being a description of his recent journey through a part of the Holy Land—a trip from Jerusalem by the way of Damascus to Baal-Bek. Mr. Randolph gave his lecture first, showing about fifteen or twenty fine views afterward.

The lecture was prepared with the greatest care and showed much thought and attention as to detail, while the views among some of the finest shown, gave the audience a clear idea of the country traveled by Mr. Randolph.

In the morning the pulpit was occupied by Rev. Walter Calley, of Boston, representing the Laymen's Missionary Movement. His address was part of an effort to arouse an interest in every Christian for the evangelization of the whole world. He brought with him echoes of the recent big convention held in New York, giving interesting impressions of that gathering.

**Make a Complaint.**

A complaint has been formulated and will be sent by residents of the West End to Mayor Charles J. Fisk regarding the throwing of snow upon cleaned sidewalks by the trolley company's snow plow. In the complaint it is alleged that the plow operated by the employes of the road threw snow from the side of the street on to sidewalks which had already been cleaned by the property owners.

**Announce Engagement.**

Frederick James Mitchell, of Providence, R. I., formerly of this city, announces the engagement of his daughter, Catharine Perry, to Howard W. Cobbs, of this city. Miss Mitchell was a favorite in colored society here. Mr. Cobbs conducts a tailoring establishment. The wedding will take place in May.

## PRESENCE OF MIND PREVENTED BIG FIRE

Women, sometimes, "lose their heads," when a lamp upsets, but this cannot be said of Mrs. E. M. Dorthy and her eldest daughter, of 20 Madison flats, at West Front and Grove streets.

About 7 o'clock last evening Mrs. Dorthy's ypungest daughter was passing through the rooms. She misjudged the route, bumped into a table, which held a kerosene lamp. When all this occurred Miss Dorthy was in the parlor and the mother was in the kitchen. Little Miss Dorthy screamed and everybody ran to the scene.

Miss Dorthy picked up the lamp as her mother held the curtains and pitched it into the street. That was all right, as far as it went, but the flames in some manner ignited with the blinds on the lower flat, which attracted the attention of a pedestrian on Grove street. He saw the blaze and sent in an alarm.

The fire department responded with its usual promptness and all that was needed to extinguish the blaze was one tank of chemical.

## MANDY'S TROUBLES CAUSED BY HER DOGS

"Mandy" must get a license for "Nero" or she will lose the handsome Newfoundland which she avers guards the skirts which occasionally hang on her wash line. Mandy had to tell Judge Runyon this morning why she was harboring dogs which had no license tags attached to their collars and she explained with such a frankness that the court room habitues were convulsed with mirth.

When asked why she had so many dogs about her place Mandy said that she knew of no better guardian of the goods entrusted to her care. She is a laundress and takes pride in getting just the right amount of starch where it will swish to the best advantage, and because her brother was sick and she was taking care of him she had to spend most of her money for medicine. Anyway, Prince, Jim, Nellie and the other canines will have to be disposed of by next Saturday or Mandy Dunham will have a whole lot of licenses to pay for.

## CENSURED AND FINED FOR MALICIOUS MISCHIEF

William Hahn, Theodore Merklinger and Frank Tetlow faced Judge Runyon this morning in the city court and were fined eight dollars each for the acts of malicious mischief with which they were charged. The young men paid their fines and were released after Judge Runyon had lectured them on the evil effect of establishing a precedent of too much leniency in cases of this kind.

Judge Runyon said that he was impressed with the fact that they had made good the damage they had caused and this fact alone showed that their intentions were good in the matter of wanting to do the right thing, but he also assured assured them that the case would if brought to the attention of the grand jury, would in all probability brought the young men a heavy fine and possibly imprisonment. It is not at all the desire of the judge to have other cases of a similar nature brought before him, in fact he wishes to discourage the mischief makers who occasionally cause disturbances in this city and he has great hopes that those inclined to that kind of amusement will not attemut it here.

**Furnish Y. W. C. A. Rooms.**

The hall and large room in the annex to the Y. W. C. A. have been handsomely furnished in excellent taste by Mrs. Percy H. Stewart, who is very much interested in this work. The hall has been furnished with wicker furniture, draperies and floor covering which are very artistic, and the same is true of the large room. A handsome painting by Jonas Lie, entitled "October," has also been loaned for the decoration of the large room.

**Y. W. C. A. Annual Meeting.**

The annual meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association will be held at the association tonight, when reports for the year will be presented and there will be addresses by James R. Joy and Mrs. Stephen Baker, of New York. There will also be the mid-winter exhibit of the work of the various classes this afternoon and evening.

—Remember the special sale by Neuman Brothers of the celebrated Pillsbury, Heckers' and Gold Medal flour by the barrel. Sale now on.

## EULOGIZE DR. RICHARDS

### Impressive Service at Crescent Ave. Church Held in His Memory.

LOCAL MINISTERS SPEAK.

Rev. Dr. Zelie Presides at Special Service for Beloved Divine—Large Attendance.

Behind a black draped pulpit symbolic of the mourning for the late Rev. Dr. William R. Richards, who for eighteen years ministered to the spiritual wants of Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, five ministers and two laymen paid tributes to the memory of one who was characterized as a man of exceptional character last night in the Crescent Avenue Church. Music appropriate to the services was sung by the quartet choir. The offering taken was for the hospital because of the mixed congregation. Rev. Dr. John S. Zelie presided and introduced the speakers.

The meeting opened with the singing of "Crossing the Bar" by the choir. The invocation was offered by Rev. Mr. Newell, of Orange. Rev. Dr. C. E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, read the Scripture and Rev. Dr. Zelie delivered the petition and pronounced the benediction. Others who took part in the memorial to Dr. Richards were Rev. Mr. Tilden, pastor of Bethel chapel; Rev. Charles L. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational church; George A. Strong and L. N. Lovell, president of the Board of Education.

Rev. Dr. Zelie in his remarks alluded to the life of Dr. Richards as one divided by God into three periods of usefulness. His first years at the Congregational church in Bath, Maine, eighteen years in the Crescent Avenue church and his last pastorate covering a period of eight years in the Brick Presbyterian church, in New York city. Dr. Zelie said that Dr. Richards had fully determined to remain in Plainfield for the rest of his career, but had listened to the call of the Master when he accepted the call to the New York church. His simplicity and natualness contributed to his success as a minister of the Gospel and his work will be a monument to his passion for the souls of men. His last call was the one in which he brought an unspotted soul home to God.

Rev. Mr. Tilden, of Bethel chapel, who followed Dr. Zelie, paid a high tribute from the colored people of the city to the late minister's work for the race here. Under Dr. Richard's incumbency the work among the colored people was firmly established and had succeeded to an extent which can only be realized by those intimately connected with that work.

*Rev. Mr. Newell, of Orange,* said that twenty years ago he worked under Dr. Richards as the minister at Hope chapel and his remembrance of Dr. Richard's work in this city will always be an inspiration. Dr. *Richards, he said, had a well poised* mind and his heart was thoroughly imbued with the faith which inspired other men. He was a worthy successor of Maltby Babcock at the Brick Presbyterian church in New York.

George A. Strong spoke of the great faith of the former pastor and L. N. Lovell told in a brief speech the call and acceptance of Dr. Richards. This was one of the most interesting speeches of the night. Dr. Richards was preaching in a little church at Bath, Maine, when a committee from the Crescent Avenue church made a trip to the little Maine town to hear him. The committee came away satisfied that Dr. Richards was the man they wanted, but he was a Congregational minister then.

The story of the sermon preached in Crescent Avenue church on March 18, 1884, and the subsequent examination of Dr. Richards by the Presbytery; Dr. Richards' reluctance to leave Plainfield and his final resolve to go where he could do the most good kept the big audience spell bound.

Rev. Mr. Goodrich then told of the shock which came to him when he was notified of the death of the noted preacher. Mr. Goodrich said that just previous to receiving the sad tidings he had finished reading a letter from Dr. Richards which had been written the day before and he really could not believe that it was so. The leter written by Dr. Richards was in response to one by Mr. Goodrich relative to a certain work. Dr. Richards had agreed to do what he had been asked to do, but did not live long enough to carry it out.

Rev. Dr. Herring paid a loving tribute to the memory of Dr. Richards and the meeting came to a close after an offering was taken for the

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## CONSTITUTION OR LAW?

### May Liquor Be Distributed Because of Religion's Demands.

GRAND JURY MAY TELL.

Harry Lewis, Twelve, Was Drunk, But Who Is Responsible Is the Question.

Whether it is right for a rabbi of an orthodox congregation to sell fermented wine or liquor to a minor in contravention of the liquor license law, or in fact whether the rabbi has the right to sell it at all, is a question which Miss Adelaide Ball, an agent of the Board of Education, will in all probability bring before the present grand jury for settlement. The cause for this action is based upon the drunkenness of a twelve year old school boy, who it was erroneously reported attempted to assault his school teacher. The boy was drunk but he was rendered unconscious by the liquor, which had been obtained from a rabbi by his father. There is some doubt whether the liquor was delivered to the boy himself, but in event of that being a fact the law will have to have a different interpretation put on it than that given this morning by City Judge Runyon, when the case came up for a final hearing.

Judge Runyon said that the practice of all religions was a matter of freedom and that if the manufacture of the wine was an orthodox Jewish rite, the constitution would not interfere with its distribution, and he dismissed the complaint of illegal liquor selling. Judge Runyon had previously satisfied himself that it is the custom among the Hebrews to make and distribute the wine, and could find no just cause for holding the father of the boy. Harry Lewis, a baker, of this city, is the father of the boy and he told the court through an interpreter, that the boy had helped himself to the liquor during the absence of his parents. The boy's father was warned to keep the liquor locked up in the future, and was told that he would be responsible for any future indulgences of the youngster who required treatment at the hands of City Physician Lufburrow last Friday.

## MISS AUGUSTA MAUL NOW MRS. FUGMAN

Miss Augusta Maul, daughter of Hugo Maul, of Watchung, and Peter Fugman, of Martinsville, were married at 7 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's father by Rev. John Duerschner, pastor of St. Peter's Lutheran church, the borough. Only the members of the bride and groom's family were present to witness the ceremony, after which there was a reception.

During the reception Mr. Duerschner baptized four grandchildren, a son and three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Derrevere, of Roselle, Mrs. Derrevere being a daughter of Mr. Maul.

During the evening there was an enjoyable program of vocal and instrumental music and a collation was served. Mr. Fugman is a woodman and has resided at Martinsville for ten years.

**FUNERAL SERVICES OF ADAM Q. BLOOM.**

Grand Chief Horace J. Martin, of Freedom Castle, Knights of the Golden Eagles, was in Trenton yesterday assisting in making the arrangements for the funeral of Grand High Priest Adam Q. Bloom, who died Friday night following an operation for appendicitis. Mr. Bloom was a member of the order for twenty-two years and was well known among local Eagles. He was a frequent visitor to Freedom Castle.

Two funeral services are arranged. Tonight at the deceased's home, 293 Hamilton avenue, Trenton, the Knights of the Golden Eagles will conduct a special service and at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon the service for the family will be held. A number of members of Freedom Castle will attend tonight's services which will be in charge of the Grand Lodge officers.

**Presented a Church Emblem.**

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Woodruff, of East Second street, who are active members of Trinity Reformed church, have presented a church emblem, the Dutch coat of arms, to the Netherwood Reformed church, and it has been placed in position in the edifice.

Mrs. Gustave Gesswein, of West Front street, who has been ill with a touch of pneumonia, is much improved.

## HALL PLANT DESTROYED

### Fire at Printing Press Works Causes a Total Loss of $40,000.

COVERED BY INSURANCE.

Cause of Blaze in West Dunellen Plant Unknown—Firemen's Fight in Vain.

Fire completely destroyed the pattern storage house of the Hall Printing Press Works at West Dunellen on Saturday afternoon. It was a costly blaze, the total loss being placed at about $40,000. The value on the building is placed at about $10,000 and the contents at about $20,000 to $30,000. Building and contents were insured.

The origin of the fire is unknown but the impression prevails that sparks from crossed electric light wires caused the blaze. The fire was discovered by John King, engineer and watchman, about 4 o'clock. At the time there were only about ten employes at the plant, but no time was lost in putting the factory apparatus in commission.

When King discovered the fire, the flames had made a big headway and the efforts of the factory firemen were futile in trying to stop the advance of the flames. The Dunellen fire department responded promptly but before its arrival the structure was doomed. The local department was in readiness to assist but the services of the local firemen were not called.

The building which was destroyed was a frame structure and separate from the main factory building and other buildings connected with the plant. It was a one-story building, its dimensions being 50x150 feet. All of the patterns belonging to the company, and a large number belonging to other concerns, were totally destroyed. All of these will need be replaced.

## DISCUSS OFFER FOR FREE ATHLETIC FIELD

In response to a request of Mayor Charles Joel Fisk a conference was held in his office, Saturday, with some who are interested in the proposition of Andrew McClean Parker to provide an up-to-date athletic field and playground for the city. Those present beside the Mayor were William D. Murray, Herbert K. Parker and Joseph W. Gavett, representing the Y. M. C. A.; President Ralph I. Tolles and Councilman Frederic E. Mygatt from the Common Council; Dr. Henry M. Maxson and Principal Lindsey Best, of the Plainfield High School, and Mr. Parker.

The proposition made by Mr. Parker is intended to be for the benefit of the city in general and not any one individual society or organization. The tract of land is situated at a point beginning on Woodland avenue and running in a northwesterly direction along Randolph road, and comprises about twelve acres. It does not include Crescent Oval.

Mr. Parker offers to lease the tract, fully equipped with running track, grandstands, swimming pool, dressing rooms, baseball diamonds, tennic courts, etc., to the city for ten years at a nominal sum, and at the end of that time give the city an option of buying the same, or if he desires, to present it as a gift to the city.

It is proposed by Mr. Parker to fully equip the land for an up-to-date athletic field, and by his allowing it to be used by the city in general can the city officials agree to assist in the management of the same.

After a general discussion of the proposition and a hasty glance at some of the State laws, it was finally decided to ask Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh to look into the matter and prepare definite plans for the city's acceptance of the offer by Mr. Parker. When this is completed another meeting will be called to make a final decision.

**G. O. P. COUNTY BOARD ELECTION AND FEAST.**

No contests for the treasureship will take place at the annual election of the Union County Republican Committee at Elizabeth tonight. It is conceded that Frank H. Smith will be unanimously re-elected chairman.

As Henry S. Fullerton was defeated by William Jeffery in the New Providence township fight, a successor to him was treasurer will be elected. There are a number of candidates for the place. The new committee will tender a banquet to the retiring members at the close of the business session.

Rug and Drapery Department—Visit this department on the 2nd floor. The prices we quote on fine rugs and draperies will prove a revelation.

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In the Millinery Department—Several lines of trimmed and untrimmed Hats that will not be carried over. Cost is not considered during this clearance Sale.

## The Jan. Clearance Sale Continues With Added Enthusiasm

This great crowd-bringing Clearance Sale of 1910 has created quite a stir among thrifty buyers in this community. Never has there been offered such remarkable values in Dress Goods, Silks, and Ladies' Coats and Suits. Tomorrow we start afresh in presenting for your consideration values in these two lines, that are positively beyond the reach of ordinary competition. No goods carried over from one season to another, no matter what the sacrifice. Come early and get the choicest bargains.

## Wonderful Half Price Sale Silks & Dress Goods

We have gathered together almost our entire stock of seasonable, fashionable Dress Fabrics and placed them on our centre aisle bargain tables at

**JUST HALF PRICE.**

The lot consists of Broadcloths, Serges, Cheviots, Henriette, Cashmere, Voile, Etamine, Plaids, Checks, Stripes and numerous fancy weaves.

**COME WHILE THEY LAST.**

The opportunity is a rare one, for it may not occur again in years; the price values rage from 50c to 2.00. All will go at just **HALF PRICE.**

## Half Price Sale of Silks

The great sale of Silks has created a sensation, values unprecedented. These goods are also placed on centre aisle bargain tables for quick choosing. They consist of all kinds of plain and fancy Silks, and are the greatest bargains the ladies of this community ever saw. Anything on the table just **HALF** the marked price.

**In connection with this sale we advertise today bargains in this great Clearance Sale abound throughout the entire store. Don't miss this event.**

**The Muslin Underwear, White Goods and Shirt Waist Sale is still booming. Stocks are again complete for this week's rush.**

## Remarkable Half Price Sale Ladies' Suits & Coats

This stock represents a line of garments made by one of the foremost manufacturers in New York. They are this season's cleverest styles, made of high-class materials, but the verdict is—none carried over—therefore they must go at **HALF PRICE.**

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| 20.00 | Tailored Suits now - - | 10.00 |
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## Ladies' Black and Colored Coats

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| 10.00 | Coats, plain and mixed, for - | 5.00 |
| 15.00 | Covert and Black Coats for - | 7.50 |
| 19.00 | High-class Coats for - - - | 9.98 |
| 30.00 | Superior Grade Coats for - - | 15.00 |

One lot of Misses' and Children's Coats in plain and mixtures will also be offered at **HALF PRICE.**

10 Tailored Suits, odd lot, in black and colors, that sold from 7.50 to 12.00; will be sold tomorrow for - - - - **2.98**

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**$1.00 BOYS' RUSSIAN SUITS 68c..**

Chambrays, madras and flaxines; blues, tans, browns, gray, neat stripes and checks and plaid effects; also plain colors and white; cadet and sailor collar, single and double breasted models; a large variety of styles and patterns to select from; sizes 2½ to 8 years; value $1.00 ..... **.68**

**$1.25 RUSSIAN AND BLOUSE SUITS, 95c.**

Of fine flaxines and galateas, pretty shades of light and dark stripe and check effects; also plain chambray, trimmed with white tape on collar, belt and side; in tan, cadet, Copenhagen blue and ox blood; also plain white; cadet, box and sailor collar models; sizes 2½ to 10 years; value $1.25; special ..... **.95**

**$1.75 RUSSIAN AND BLOUSE SUITS, $1.35.**

Pretty shades of gray, light and dark blue, and brown; also linen effects, with tan and blue stripes; also plain tan and blue, with white braid trimming; also white madras and Union linen with sailor collar, cadet and box collars; sizes 2½ to 10 years; value $1.75; special ..... **$1.35**

**$2.50 RUSSIAN AND BLOUSE SUITS, $1.85.**

Smart new models and combination color effects, materials of fine galateas, linens and madras, pretty stripe effects of white with blue, brown or red, plain linen with red trimming white with blue sailor collar, many other shades too numerous to mention; cadet, box collar and collarless models; sizes 2½ to 10 years; value $2.50; special ..... **$1.85**

**$1.50 BOYS' RUSSIAN SUITS, $1.15.**

Linen collar model, with neat brown and blue stripe collar, sides and belt trimmed with material to match; also galatea, newest, shades and stripe effects; cadet collar models; a wonderful leader, sizes 2½ to 7; value $1.50; special ..... **$1.15**

**$2.00 RUSSIAN AND BLOUSE SUITS, $1.65.**

Newest colorings and combination colorings; white with blue and tan stripe, sailor collars or plain galatea to match; also grays, blues and tans; in plain and stripe effects, black and white shepherd checks; single and double breasted models; collars, sides and belts trimmed with material to match; sailor, cadet and collarless models; sizes 2½ to 10 years; value $2.00; special ..... **$1.65**

**$3.00 AND $3.50 RUSSIAN AND BLOUSE SUITS, $2.35.**

Linen twill, regulation style, made with sailor collars, embroidery on sleeve; collar, belt and sleeves taped with white, also fancy chambrays in a host of fashionable shades, made and trimmed in highest class manner; sizes 2½ to 10 years; values $3.00 and $3.50; special ..... **$2.35**

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### SOMERVILLE.

At the regular meeting of Court Somerset, No. 988, Independent Order of Foresters, which was held last week, Francis A. MacKinsie, of Elizabeth, State secretary, installed the following officers: Chief ranger, H. J. McAleavy; vice-chief ranger, S. H. McCarthy; recording secretary, William D. Bauer; financial secretary, A. G. Savacool; treasurer, H. F. Bauer; orator, H. P. Cary; senior woodward, Thomas Burnberry; junior woodward, A. J. Chamberlain; senior beadle, J. C. Garretson; junior beadle, James P. Jones; organist, W. H. Howell; C. D. H. C. R., James V. Smith.

The Second National Bank has re-elected its old board of directors as follows: Charles Schwed, William H. Crawley, W. H. N. Wyckoff, David P. Voorhees, Dr. Thomas H. Flynn, C. L. Voorhees, James Q. Ten Eyck, Jacob Peterson and D. H. Beekman. The board organized later with the following officers: Charles L. Voorhees, president; Charles Schwed, vice-president; Alonzo H. Dayton, cashier.

Lieutenant L. Merle Wilson, of the Military Academy, and Dr. Francis McConoughy and Rev. A. A. Pfanstiehl attended the laymen's missionary conference at the Hotel Astor Friday evening.

The regular meeting of the Raritan Ministerial Association will be held in the chapel of the First Reformed church today. The leader will be the Rev. Dr. John H. Raven, of New Brunswick.

The women of the First Reformed church held their annual Dutch supper in the chapel on Thursday evening. An entertainment was given during the evenng.

Afternoon tea was served Saturday afternoon in the parish-house of St. John's church by a committee of women from the church.

At the fourth quarterly conference of the Methodist church, Rev. A. J. Bliss was invited to return for another conference year.

Ice is thickest on the Raritan river than at any time for five years. Teams are being driven across at many places.

This evening Rev. A. A. Pfanstiehl, pastor of the Second Reformed church, will lecture in Newark on Holland.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The subject of the mid-week service at the Congregational church, Wednesday night, will be "Family Religion."

The Girl's club of the Congregational church will meet Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock and supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

There will be election of elders and deacons after the prayer-meeting at the Netherwood Reformed church Friday night. This will about complete the organization of the new church.

The monthly meeting of the Women's Association of the Congregational church will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. A paper will be presented by Mrs. Frank T. Crawson on "Spain."

The Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the West End Tabernacle will meet Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, and the regular weekly prayer-meeting will be held that evening at 8 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. Forest E. Dager, of Philadelphia, will be at the First Baptist church tomorrow night and teach next Sunday's Sunday-school lesson, under the auspices of the Plainfield Sunday-school Association.

### PERSONAL.

Miss Gladys Brokaw, of Grandview avenue, is improved from an attack of appendicitis.

Miss Myrtle Kipsey, of Jackson avenue, is detained at home with an attack of diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Goodwin, of Rockview avenue, are spending the winter at Palm Beach, Fla.

Mrs. T. W. Willard, of Elmira, N. Y., has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nelson A. Miller, of Washington avenue.

Dr. Frank W. French, of the borough, has completed a post-graduate course at the New York Dental Institute.

Rev. and Mrs. George Stirling, of Harrisburg, Pa., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Watson, of Washington avenue.

# January Wanes While Clearance Sale

## Bargains Approach Their Climax

This great merchandise movement is at the height of its value giving. Winter goods are going fast, spurred on by the sharp cost cutting that prevails in all departments. The bargain bugle blasts a clarion call that attracts throngs of buyers.

Our aim of clearing decks is being rapidly accomplished. Stocks still show surpluses so sacrifice still send prices downward. Clearance at any cost is the attainment sought. It is your opportunity for obtaining unmatched economies. Goods you need are yours at lower cost than at any other time or place.

Proof is presented in the following items—buy now before this Sale comes to an end.

**7c BEST CALICOS AT 5c.**
The American Printing Company's best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value; sale, a yard ..... 5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, per yard ..... 14

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard ..... 29

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30) .. 59

**7c APRON GINGHAM AT 5c.**
25 pieces good Apron Ginghams, blue and brown checks; a regular 7c value; sale a yard .. 5

**6c FIGURED CHALLIES AT 4c.**
40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c values; a yard ..... 4

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... 10c

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale ..... 95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale ..... 39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at ..... 29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... 39c

**65c COTTON DRAPERY AT 49c.**
Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Drapery, 18 inch; 65c value; a piece ..... 49

Cortticelli spool silk, black only; 100 yards spools on sale at ..... 7

**$3.50 SKIRTS AT $1.98.**
Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts made in neat, dark gray mixed Panamas; good $3.50 value at ..... $1.98

**5c TOILET PAPER, 3c.**
Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8-oz. rolls; regular 5c quality; sale ..... 3

**5c MILWARD'S NEEDLES, 3c.**
Milward's best needles, all sizes; regular 5c a paper on sale at ..... 3

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... 15

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... $3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price ... $6.98

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .. $11.15

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**
We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price ..... $8.50
(Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price ..... $10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at ..... 39c

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No article of furniture is used as much as one's bed, hence the bed should be the most comfortable to be had . Here is a complete outfit.

**Princess Dresser**—White enamel finish; base swell front; base is 20x36; two generous sized drawers with brass handles; glass is beveled and of best quality, 18x36 inches, and adjusts to different positions; a brand new design; very suitable for spare room for young people or children.

**Brass Bed**—Top rail and corner posts are continuous and are two inches thick; bottom brass rail is 1¼ inches; in head and foot are filling rods, 1¼ inch; best gold lacquer highly polished; may be had in all sizes.

**Mattress** is of white cotton felt, carded in layers; it is non-absorbent; will not attract moisture or become foul; the cotton is cleaned and purified by an improved process; also it will not become lumpy or uneven. They are made in fancy strip ticking or plain blue and white stripe ticking if desired, neatly bound with lace and nicely tufted—weight 45 lbs., one part.

**Box Spring** is of best spiral construction; first-class twines, tufts, etc., used in its making; it is covered with best quality A. C. A. ticking or fancy stripes, and is a well made article in every detail; may be had to fit the above bed in any of the sizes

**One Pair Pillows**, filled with feathers 3½ lbs. weight to each, size is 22x28; made up in best quality of ticking, blue and white stripe.

| | Reg. Price. | Jan. Sale Price. |
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| Dresser | $18.00 | $14.50 |
| Brass Bed | $25.00 | $19.00 |
| Mattress | $10.75 | $7.50 |
| Box Spring | $9.00 | $7.50 |
| 2 Pillows | $3.80 | $2.50 |
| | $66.55 | $50.50 |

**A saving of exactly $16.05. May be purchased separately.**

**BUFFET SIDEBOARD.**

Sideboards of quartered oak in golden finish highly polished; one of the two small drawers lined for silver; double door compartments in centre; large drawer at the bottom; brass handles and knobs; large sized mirror with top woodwork slightly carved. French shape legs; especially designed for apartment use; regular price $22.00. January Sale price ..... $16.50

**CHINA CLOSETS.**

These closets are built of nicely figured oak, in golden finish, highly polished; have bent glass sides; upper inside panel has reflecting mirror; four spaces for display purposes; fancy shaped bevel mirror set in top; a rich piece of furniture; usually sold at the moderate price of $23.00; sale price ..... $16

**EXTENSION TABLE.**

Made of oak in early English finish; have 44 inch tops which extend to 6 feet; have round pillar base; plain, neat design; a good style of which we sell many. Regular price $16.50; sale price ..... $12.50

**DINING ROOM CHAIRS.**

Made of quartered oak, in golden finish, highly polished box frame, claw feet and nicely shaped back, upholstered in genuine leather seat or cane; reg. price in cane $2.25; special. $1.75
Regular price in leather $3.00; sale price $2.25.

**WRITING DESKS.**

These beautiful Mission Desks are nice for women and young folks; substantially built of solid oak with drawer in centre; space on each end for books or magazines; two small drawers and envelope and paper rack on top; regularly sold at the low price of $10.50; Jan. Sale price ..... $8

**TURKISH ROCKERS.**

Of generous proportions; ample in size and pleasing in appearance. It is covered in genuine leather; back is deep Turkish tufting; seat plain, puffed edges; side ears for comfort; best quality of steel spring upholstering; arms have spring edge; fringed bottom; regular price $50.00 ..... $37.50

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FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

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## GOING WEST FOR AN ALLEGED BIGAMIST.

Hoboken, Jan. 17.—Detective-Sergeant Lewis Weinthal left here Saturday with papers, which he will present to Governor Fort, asking for the requisition of "Count" Emil Karl von Muller, wanted on a charge of bigamy, preferred by Regina Veihelman, of this city. Von Muller is under arrest at Los Angeles, Cal., and as soon as the State Executive signs the necessary papers Weinthal will proceed West.

According to the records, Miss Veihelman married Von Muller in Hoboken on October 18, 1908. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. J. H. Rudolph, of the German Evangelical church. The bride gave her age as twenty-eight and her address at 111 First street. This is the site of the city hall. Von Muller said he was thirty-four years old and a lawyer, with an address at 217 Edgecomb avenue, New York.

It is alleged that the prisoner has wives in Newark, Montclair and Union Hill, but Chief of Police Hayes refuses to say who they are, declaring that if their names came out in the public print they could not be found when wanted.

## KEAN WITHDREW HIS PROTEST TO CENSUS MEN.

Washington, Jan. 17.—A few weeks ago Senator Kean filed a protest with the Senate Committee on Census against the confirmation of Louis V. Hoagland, nominated by the President for supervisor of the census in the Fifth District of New Jersey, and against Samuel A. Smith, who was named for the same position in the Seventh District. Last week Kean withdrew his objections and both nominations were confirmed. The Senator made no explanation of his reasons for protesting against the appointments, and has offered none of his reasons for withdrawing the protest.

Miss May Wyckoff, of Somerset street, has returned from a visit in Jersey City.

## SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

J. Paul Huff, one of the oldest men in Paulsboro, is ill for the first time in his life.

Turner Ashton, of Paulsboro, was badly burned by acid at the Gibbstown powder works on Thursday.

In boring a well at the residence of William H. Borden, at Mickleton, 100 feet of good marl were found.

Nearly all the icehouses in Gloucester county have been filled with ice ranging from eight to twelve inches in thickness.

James P. Gary and Paul C. LaRue, of Baptistown, were severely injured by falls upon ice, LaRue fracturing some ribs.

Following a fall upon the ice, in which he was injured, Daniel Hurley, of Hampton, was stricken with paralysis.

A dog sprang upon Miss Leora Van Lee as she entered the gate at her home on Columbia avenue, Millville, and bit her severely.

Dr. E. B. Harvey, of Atlantic City, was elected president of the Atlantic County Medical Society at its annual meeting Saturday.

Orlando Gibbon, eighty-two years old, who for many years drove a stage between Millville and Bridgeton, is critically ill at his home in Millville.

Mrs. Matilda Sayre, who sustained a fractured hip in a fall downstairs at her home near Heisterville, is not expected to recover owing to her advanced age—eighty-two years.

A committee from the Hancocks Bridge W. C. T. U. has given copies of the cigarette law to all dealers in that vicinity, with the understanding that violators will be prosecuted.

A jury in the Circuit Court at May's Landing refused damages to Councilman Samuel H. Headley, of Atlantic City, who was struck by a runaway team that dashed into the new Chelsea postoffice building several weeks ago. Headley, who is a contractor, was unable to get out of the way of the animals and several ribs were broken. The jury decided there was no cause for action.

Inmates of every charitable institution in Atlantic City were the guests of the Atlantic City Elks at the matinee performance of the Elks' Minstrels, in the Apollo theatre, Saturday afternoon. A big crowd filled the theatre Saturday night at the opening performance of the show, which was the finest ever given by the lodge.

When the account of the Security Trust Company as trustee for the estate of James Kennedy, late of Seventh and Walnut streets, Camden, was approved by Judge Joline Saturday, it developed that there are twenty-six heirs to the estate, which will amount to about $6,000. The estate consisted of small frame dwellings on Walnut street.

Edward Hoffman pleaded guilty in the Quarter Sessions Court at Bridgeton Friday to robbing slot gas meters of the Millville Gas Light Company and was sentenced to sixty days in county jail by Judge Taller.

When City Marshal Charles Biggs, of Millville, started in pursuit of two girls who were wanted as truants from school, the girls reached the shores of Union Lake first and with skates soon left the officer far in the rear.

While taking part in an entertainment, Miss Pauline Lanning, daughter of former Postmaster S. A. Lanning, of Bridgeton, fell ten feet through a trap door of the stage. She was considerably shocked and bruised, but her heavy head of hair saved her from worse injury.

## SEES A DEFECT IN THE BISHOPS' LAW.

Burlington, Jan. 17.—Asserting that the bishops' law, long lauded as a piece of perfect legislation against saloon evils, is defective through the skilful omission of a clause generally supposed to prevent the "cap" trade, Mayor Charles P. Farner has called the matter to the attention of Governor Fort and has asked the Executive to request a remedy from the present Legislature. Mayor Farner Saturday made public his letter to Governor Fort, and explained he had discovered the alleged loophole in the law when preparing to move against certain local saloon-keepers against whom complaints had been filed by citizens. In part, his letter says:

"In an effort to enforce what generally has been supposed to be the law against the sale of intoxicating liquors by an inn and tavern-keeper in quantities less than one quart to be carried off the premises where sold I find the loophole in the bishops' law in which provision against this trade is omitted. Under present conditions it is impossible for any public official to halt these sales, which are undoubtedly a menace to law and order. I find the provision against the sale of intoxicating liquors to be drunk off the premises in the Wertz law of 1908. This provision is eliminated, however, from the bishops' law by the apparently clever omission of a few important words in the first paragraph of the amendment as passed in 1906."

Miss Emma Wersing, of Watchung, is spending the winter at Palm Beach, Fla.

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## Jan. 17 In American History.

1706—Benjamin Franklin, philosopher and statesman, born; died 1790.

1771—Charles Brockden Brown, noted early American novelist, born; died 1810.

1781—Battle of the Cowpens, S. C. The British under Tarleton defeated by the patriots under General Daniel Morgan.

1800—Caleb Cushing, statesman, born; died 1879.

1891—George Bancroft, historian, died; born 1801.

1893—General Rutherford Birchard Hayes, ex-president of the United States, died; born 1822.

1906—Marshall Field of Chicago, the richest merchant in the world, died; born 1835.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:56, rises 7:17; moon sets 12:10 a. m.; 5:12 a. m., eastern time. moon at first quarter; 11 p. m., planet Mars at quadrature with the sun, 90 degrees east thereof; midnight, planet Mercury at perihelion, nearest the sun; 2:11 a. m., moon in conjunction with Mars, passing from west to east of the planet, 4½ degrees south thereof.

**Plainfield, N. J., January 17, 1910.**

No time should be lost by the city in accepting Andrew McClean Parker's generous offer of a fully improved public athletic field. While the public spirit of our citizens is far above that of the average community, unfortunately too few have given what would be lasting monuments to themselves and genuine benefits to the city. There are many things that a municipality can not afford and the only way they can be obtained is through private generosity. The Job Male library and the Andrew McClean Parker field are both great public benefits. Pity that we have not more such men as these.

Not in all Union county has there been one word of dissent to the reelection of Frank H. Smith tonight as Republican county chairman. This is not at all surprising to any one at all acquainted with the present condition of affairs in Union, a rock-ribbed county of Republicanism, where the voters are a most intelligent and particular lot. Mr. Smith has long since demonstrated his real executive ability, genuine fairness and loftiness of political ideals. He has strengthened the party immeasurably. Today there are no factions; today everything is done in the open and on the square. This is because he will have no part in underhand dealings or star-chamber dictation. To him, Governor Fort recently pointed as "the ideal county chairman," immediately following his denunciation of the general run of such political heads in the State.

### Danziger a Suicide.

It was rumored that David Danziger, formerly interested in "The Fair," on West Front street, had committed suicide in a Bowery Lodging house yesterday, using gas as the medium. Mrs. Danziger left Elizabeth this morning to visit the morgue in New York in an effort to identify the body. Her husband left home last Friday afternoon but she has heard nothing from his since that time.

### E. E. Parvin to Lecture.

"Over the Seas and the Lure of the Foreign Land," will be the subject of an illustrated lecture to be given at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow night by Emerson E. Parvin. The lecture will be given under the auspices of the Young People's Association of the church.

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## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Johnny Ray has been funny along plebian lines for many years, but now he is royally funny—because his "Casey," who was formerly the janitor, is now "King Casey." The Rays will make their appearance in that side-splitting farce of the Island of Lala Pa Zaza, a fantastic realm born of the whimsical imagination of Aaron Hoffman, at the Plainfield theatre January 20.

The entertainments presented by the company have been more nearly in conformity to the ideas of minstrelsy patrons than those of other producers. The productions of the Al G. Field Minstrels have been on a higher plane—the scenic surroundings have always been appropriate and beautiful, the music of a higher order, the costuming more gorgeous than that of other high class offerings. Mr. Field promises even greater things for his twenty-fourth season. The coming of the superb company is announced for January 22, matinee and night, and the usual overflowing crowds will be in attendance.

Elsie Janis, lately "The Hoyden" of Cosmo Hamilton's fanciful comedy, is now "The Fair Co-Ed" of Mr. George Ade's cleverly satarized midwestern "fresh water" college play. Mr. Ade, it is said, has written a fitting successor to his merry "College Widow," and in "The Fair Co-Ed' Miss Janis is even happier than she was as the dainty and delightful "Hoyden' of previous seasons. Miss Janis and her associates in Mr. Charles Dillingham's company in "The Fair Co-Ed' will be seen at the Plainfield theatre on January 24.

### TO AVOID WRINKLES.

When carrying several blouses in a suitcase place them all on a padded coat hangers so that the width of the blouse will run along the length of the suitcase. In this way the crease from folding will come at the waist line and will not be seen when the blouse is worn. The hanger will be found useful at the journey's end, since the blouses will be hung on it durng the visit.

To keep a pleated skirt fresh looking baste all the pleats in place before packing. This will obviate the necessity for pressing it at the end of the journey.

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"'Well, I want the organ to play.'

"'All right, you can have the organ played.'

"'And I want everything else that anybody ever had at a church wedding.'

"'Certainly; you shall have it.'

"Well, the night came, the bell rang, the organ played, the church was crowded, and everything went off as the young man wanted it. When the ceremony was over the young couple waited, instead of leaving the chancel. So I held out my hand, shook hands with the bride, and then held out my hand to the bridegroom. He had his hand deep in his trousers pocket, and as I stood with my hand out he said, somewhat impatiently and in a tone that could be heard all over the church:

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"Of course."

"Then this peekaboo idea for the chest must be all right."—Washington Herald.

### Always Something.

"Ain't you humorists hard pressed for a subject sometimes?"

"Oh, no, one thing leads to another. All the men who figured in the Christmas cigar jokes are now swearing off."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Get a Good One.

"I want to give a girl a fountain pen. Do you think anything with a sharp point severs friendship?"

"Not necessarily. But I would be very careful in picking out that fountain pen."—Exchange.

### A Mild Flareback.

"Better cut out the booze, old boy. There's nothing in it."

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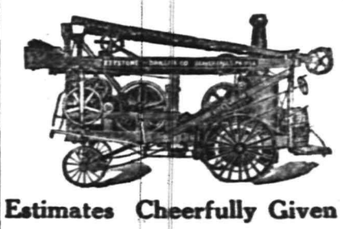

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# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The little scrap over the election of Charles Meyer, as chief of the fire department will probably end where it is. Meyer was elected chief at the election held two weeks ago. Several days after the smoke of battle had cleared away, some of the members of Excelsior H. & L. Co. raised the question of Meyer's eligibility for the office on account of his being a resident of Somerset county. The protestants were told to put their kick in writing. When it was brought to the attention of the Township Committee. This has not been done as yet and the chances are Excelsior company will be good sports and stand by the result of the election.

Sometime after midnight Friday night some one cut out a window light in Deegan's hotel barroom and stole $18 in cash and some cigarettes which were piled on the shelf near the money. No entrance was made. The thief evidently knew where the money from telephone tolls was kept and about when to make the haul. No clue was left and its hardly likely that the thief or thieves will ever be apprehended.

The trolley company made a brave effort to keep the main line open during the blizzard. At one time five cars were stalled in the Graceland cut, but the snow plows dug them out after a tie-up of several hours. The company was able to maintain a fair schedule again yesterday.

The snow had drifted so in places on some of the walks in town that it was impossible to get the horse and snow plow through the banks until they were broken up. However by Saturday noon all the walks were made and the residents were again able to get around again.

Miss Joplin led an interesting meeting of the B. Y. P. U. held last night in the parlors of the church. "Candles under Bushels" was the topic discussed.

The residents of the borough who attend service at the Baptist church enjoyed a straw ride to service yesterday instead of the several stage rides.

The weekly meeting of the Epworth League was held last night in the class rooms of the Methodist church.

Several straw rides are under way and the young people are preparing to enjoy the snow while it lasts.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

In spite of the weather man the young folks are skating on the lake. Saturday a number of the boys got together and started to clear off a space for skating. A fairly large space was cleared. This was crowded Saturday night and all day yesterday.

The S. F. T. A. B. Society met yesterday morning in the rooms of the society. The members have decided to hold a sleighing party on Wednesday night. The party will leave the club rooms at 7:30.

The regular monthly meeting of the fire company will be held in the fire-house on next Friday evening.

The John Sobelscki Society will hold its semi-annual dance in Washington Hall on January 22.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Mrs. J. C. Camper, who has been a resident of the borough for several months, has returned to her former home at Brooklyn.

Rev. W. W. Giddes preached to a large and interesting congregation in the First Baptist church last night.

Miss Emma Danz entertained friends from Plainfield several days last week.

Mrs. Frank Smalley has been entertaining friends from Orange.

Ogden Meeker has resigned his position at Day's grocery.

Fred Broglio and family have removed to Somerville.

Michael Gallagher is confined to his home by illness.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

### P. H. S. NOTES.

The teachers of the public schools will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon at the High School. Mr. Munroe, of Montclair Normal School, will address the meeting.

Mr. Parvin will lecture at the High School tomorrow morning at 8:45, on "The Building of a Ship." The address will be illustrated with many beautiful slides.

### Why He Killed Dog.

William Diehlman, of 954 West Front street, reported to the police this morning that before down he had shot and killed a hound which had broken into his place and was in the act of killing some of the chickens. Mr. Diehlman said the dog acted as though mad and had bitten one of his dogs. The bitten animal has been chained up until the period for inoculation for rabies is passed.

Sheriff Kirkland, County Register's Clerk Bauer and County Collector Leavitt were the guests of County Chairman Smith on Saturday.

# EULOGIZE DR. RICHARDS

(Continued from page 1.)

hospital and the singing of a hymn.

Rev. Mr. McKelvey's absence was due to the serious illness of his brother, A. B. McKelvey, who was momentarily expected to die.

Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor of Hope chapel, who was not present at the memorial service, was in the South, fulfilling an engagement of importance and long standing.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. P. C. Saums and children, of Asbury Park, have removed to this city.

Horace C. Huff, of Codington avenue, has returned to his position in New York, after a weeks' vacation.

Harry A. Mulford, of Pawling, N. Y., has returned after spending a few weeks with his mother, Mrs. Charles A. Pomeroy, of Park place, the borough.

Social notes of Providence, R. I., announce a tea given on Friday by the Misses Anthony for their sister, Mrs. Maybury B. Mellon, of Hillside avenue, this city.

Mrs. Frederick G. Mead and daughter, Miss Frederica Mead, of East Front street, will leave soon for the south, where they will remain for an indefinite time.

Among the passengers who started yesterday on a cruise to South America ports that will include Bermuda in the new twin screw steamship Avon of the Royal Mail Steam Packet Company were Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo G. Conant and their daughter, Miss Conant, of Watchung avenue.

### MRS. LINBARGER'S OBSEQUIES SPLENDID TRIBUTE PAID.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah R. Linbarger, who died last Wednesday, took place Saturday afternoon at 1:30 and was largely attended. The services were conducted by Rev. Ora J. Shoop, pastor of Grace Methodist church and the interment was in Bound Brook cemetery in the family plot. The bearers were Judge J. H. Snape, Peter Y. Layton, Jacob Long and Truman Bilyeu.

Many handsome floral tributes were reecived from friends and relatives and Rev. Mr. Shoop pronounced a splendid eulogy of Mrs. Linbarger. He took for a text an old favorite theme of Mrs. Linbarger's from Job. 5:26: "Thou shalt come to thy grave in a full age like as a shock of corn cometh in its full season." Speaking with much feeling of the beautiful life of the woman Rev. Mr. Shoop rounded out the story with a beautiful poem.

### Silver and White.

A lovely evening hat is of white beaver in a large shape, with an upturned brim at the left side. Curving over the crown is a graceful willow plume which is large enough to cover entirely the crown at the front and sides. And here is the attractive touch; at the side of the brim are two, tiny mercury wings of silver braid. So small are they in contrast with the large hat that they have flown into notice. The combination of silver and white is less flashy and decidedly more elegant than white and gilt or any of the more contrasting metallic shades.

### Bound Brook Floods.

According to recent reports from Bound Brook unless the dam at Riverside Park is dynamited this week Bound Brook will be put under four feet of water and a consequent damage of thousands of dollars will ensue. There is no doubt that the residents of the town are alarmed over the prospect and the Council will be petitioned tonight to permit of the blasting of the ice at the dam.

### Mike Says "Never Again."

Mike Kettle, of New Market, was allowed to go this morning by City Judge Runyon because he said it would be the last time, as it was the first, that he would appear before a judge on a charge of intoxication. Incidentally it may be mentioned that this was the first case of the kind since New Year's day.

### Petit Jury Drawn.

The list of petit jurors announced from Elizabeth this morning includes the names of Donald McInnes, Ralph Titsworth, F. E. Kinsman, Cornelius van Herwerden, Philip Cottrell, Edward Willis, Hugh Nott, Harry G. Adams and Alexander L. Leonardson, all of this city.

### Circumcision Ceremony.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rosenbaum, of West Third street, was given the name of Hyman yesterday by Rabbi Lau, of New York, assisted by Rabbi Davidson, of this city. A reception followed the ceremony and a collation was served.

### Entertained Sunday School Class.

Miss Kennena Hansen, of East Second street, entertained her Sunday school class of Hope chapel Saturday afternoon at her home. Parlor games were enjoyed by the little ones and refreshments were served.

### Rasores Club to Meet.

The Rasores Club will meet tomorrow morning with Mrs. J. S. Zelie, of Park avenue, and the subject will be "Washington Irving."

### His Dogs Not Licensed.

James Kiely, of South avenue, was brought before Judge Runyon this morning and warned against having unlicensed dogs on his premises.

## THE FORUM.

140 Central Avenue.

Editor, The Daily Press:

Dear Sir—Mayor Fisk in his report recommends what he calls a "better regulation of the liquor traffic," and makes a statement that if true, stands as an everlasting disgrace and humiliation to the State of New Jersey.

Mr. Fisk says: "Under the present practice and rules of evidence adopted by the courts, it is more difficult to secure a conviction for a violation of the liquor laws or illegal sale of liquors than it is for murder."

Such a humiliating report to come from the chief magistrate of Plainfield ought to sink deep into the hearts of all who have any interest in the welfare of their fellow men.

Just think of this sad state of things. It is easier to convict a fellow creature for murder than it is to find a saloon-keeper guilty of breaking liquor traffic laws. Such a confession ought to arouse all citizens to a realization of the great danger under which we labor.

Mr. Fisk, who makes further statements, which plainly shows that he has failed to grasp any true remedy that will bring about a "better regulation of the liquor traffic." He tells us that from the year 1797 up to the present time this State has been tinkering with liquor laws with a view to a "better regulation," all of which have been total failures to stop drunkenness, and for that reason he advises "that boards be elector with power to grant, refuse (not prohibit) and regulate." Can Mr. Fisk or any other person show how you can regulate if you have not the power to prohibit?

Surely after so many failures to regulate as has been made for the last 113 years Mr. Fisk ought to be convinced that it is high time to try some other remedy than a mere shuffling of the cards, such as he proposes, which is simply juggling.

Mr. Fisk and Governor Fort both say that prohibition "is an unlikely condition." How do they know that prohibition will not meet the case? Has it been tried in this State, or could prohibition prove anything like as great a failure as the past 113 years of failure have been? I think not.

If Mr. Fisk can prove that prohibition is a failure, he will prove far too much, for he will then have proved that almost all our laws are failures and should be discontinued, for from his standpoint they are not practical. When God said (Deut., 5:7) "thou shalt not kill," He did not make any mistake, even though men do set that law at defiance, and kill their fellow man. Mr. Fisk will not dare to say publicly that that law is a failure for he knows better.

The great failure I think is in that six months' labored report, after over 300 wintnesses (not one mother called to hear witness in that 300) were called is that Mr. Fisk has not discovered that it is the nature of intoxicating drinks to make those drunk who drink it. It is not a question of the character of the man who sells the liquor, but the character of the liquor itself. For if Mayor Fisk himself sold intoxicatants behind the bar and people drunk it from his hands the same evils would exist as if handed out by the greatest bum in our midst.

The bid is in the nature of the drink to create drunkenness and the only way to stop that great curse is to stop drinking that which creates drunkenness. I have tried prohibition for 73 years upon myself and I find it a very safe plan to adopt. Total abstinence for the individual, prohibition for the nation, is a good plan. Let us try it.

Mr. Fisk may pass into law all the restrictions he is capable of and I will say amen to such, but don't fail to give the people their just rights to prohibit when they become educated up to that high moral standpoint. The strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak and not to please themselves.

Very respectfully,
J. W. HARRISON.
Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 17, 1910.

### A BROCADE GOWN.

Straw-colored brocade shows to advantage the dark colorings of a brunette. As this rich material is more and more gaining favor, there are many visits to grandmother's trunk in an unfrequented part of the attic, and gorgeous silks once more are used in the golden lights of evening.

One lovely gown evolved by a Paris dressmaker is such that deft fingers on this side of the water can copy.

It is pale yellow brocade, over which a tunic of ecru net embroidered with gold beads is thrown. This hangs from the bust to the knee, and is caught at the waist by a girdle of soft yellow satin. A fringe of fine beads three inches in length edges this overgarment.

The sleeves are formed of net and strings of beads, while tiny stiff bows of satin form a line on the outer seam.

A chemisette, called by some the "modistie," in this case departs from the white, and is of pale blue tulle, which gives a lovely empire touch to the whole scheme.

Court Watchung, Independent Order Foresters, will meet tomorrow night in Knights of Columbus Hall. There will be business of importance to every member and various committees for the year will be appointed.


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### Mince Meat.

Two pounds of beef, boiled, and when cold chopped fine, one pound beef suet, cleared of strings and minced to powder; five pounds of apples, pared and chopped; three pounds of raisins seeded and chopped; two pounds of currants, washed and carefully picked over; three-quarters pound of citron, cut fine; two tablespoonfuls of cinnamon, one teaspoon of powdered nutmeg, one tablespoonful of cloves, one tablespoonful of allspice, one tablespoonful of fine salt, two and half pounds of brown sugar, one quart of brown sherry, one pint of best brandy. Boiled sweet cider may be used instead of the liquor if preferred.

### From the Very Beginning.

"I'm sorry you've got to leave Eden and go to work, simply because I gave you the rest of that apple," said contrite Eve.

"Never mind," said Adam. "The ultimate customer always gets the worst of it."—Washington Evening Star.

### As a Substitute.

"Washington wants 100 additional policemen."

"Well?"

"Congress wants to give 'em 100 nice new laws instead."


To the Women

Our bank is calculated to be of special convenience, a place where they can come and feel at home. We welcome small transactions and gladly explain matters of business whenever called upon to do so.

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### CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Howard A. Randolph, of 532 West Front street, wishes to thank his neighbors and friends for their sympathy and flowers at the time of his mother's death.


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### DIED.

CARL—On Sunday, January 16, 1910, Elizabeth H., wife of John Carl, aged 35 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, 219 Lee place, on Tuesday, January 18, at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

RANDOLPH—On Sunday, January 16, 1910, Isaac S. Randolph, aged 62 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1125 West Front street, on Wednesday, January 19, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 17 2

## Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half-a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No alvertisements received for less than ten cents.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

### Miscellaneous.

SLEIGH loads taken out, 50 cents each, for 10 or more, afternoon or evening. 142 Duer street. 1 17 3

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Young girl for housework and errands; no washing or cooking; sleep home; wages $10. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

COMPETENT woman for general housework in small family; small house; laundry is sent out; man cleans one day a week; $25 a month Address Box 94, care Press. 1 13 12

WANTED—Laundress at Groszman school, Johnston's Drive. Apply at school. 1 15 3

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at 91 Mercer avenue after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Operators on ladies' muslin underwear; also few learners. Schiller Brothers, 320 West Front St. 1 14 4

WANTED—White girl for general housework in family of two; must be good cook. Call 207 East Seventh St. 1 14 3

WANTED—Experienced laundress on Tuesdays to iron; references. 1126 Martine avenue. 1 17 3

GIRL wanted for general housework. Call 437 East Seventh street. 1 17 3

FORTY GIRLS WANTED—Cooks, nurses, waitresses and general houseworkers. Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place; 'Phone 196-W. 1 11 6

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined young lady would like position as housekeeper where maid is kept, willing to assist; no objection to children; would take entire charge or would take charge of bachelor apartments. For full particulars and references address Princeton, care Daily Press. 1 17 3

WANTED—A refined young lady living at home, compelled to seek position, would like care of one or two children over two years; very best personal references; salary $20 and $22. Address M. M. C., Plainfield Press office. 1 17 3

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Norwood avenue, 80x179; will sell all or part. Inquire 60 Norwood. 1 17 6

HOUSE for sale, 7 rooms; all improvements; hot water heat; nice location. Address T. J. Maher, 421 Sycamore street. 1 17 3

FOR SALE—Brown mare, 4 years old. Address C. T. L., care Daily Press. 1 17 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED—Bright boy for office work. Apply in own hand writing, stating wages expected. P. O. Box 600. 1 17 2

WANTED—Young man to do tracing and drafting room clerical work, and state experience. Address Quincy, Manchester, Sargent Co. 1 17 3

### Situations Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man wishes office position, capable of taking entire charge, thorough knowledge of office work; also experienced business correspondence with own typewriter, good add writer; low salary to start; Plainfield or vicinity. Address Energetic, care Press. 1 14 8

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Yesterday, small gray kid purse, containing keys and money. Finder please return to this office.

LOST — Saturday, commutation ticket, Central Railroad. Reward for return to 103 Somerset street. J. Jannuzzi.

LOST—Brindle bull terrier, white breast, white tip on tail, wearing brass studded collar. Liberal reward and no questions asked if returned to Mrs. Snow, 1342 Watchung avenue. 1 17 3

Other Classified Ads. on Page 3.

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. ano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house and barn, on West Sixth street, near Liberty; rent reasonable. Enquire K. Rothberg, 505 West Third St. 1 15 3

TO LET—From April 1, five-room flat, all improvements; corner of Watchung avenue and Second street; rent $21. Charles H. Hand, owner. 1 15 3

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8, Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 17 6

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated by F. Vail tf

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—Rooms for two adults; with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

WANTED—To rent, house seven to ten rooms; option buying. Address Home, care Press.

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us, we pay highest cash prices. No. 225 West Front street. Telephone 201-R. 1 5 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 11 6

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 1 27 1m

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

## THE ATMOSPHERE.

### Without It There Would Exist a Queer State of Affairs.

Without the atmosphere, besides the inconvenience to breathing, a great many peculiar things would be observed that would seem very extraordinary to us. The sun would rise straight up in the morning into a sky as black as ebony, traverse a black sky and sink down to rest at night into a black bed. No beautiful glories of the sunset and sunrise would appear, no blueness of the heavens be seen, no red sun gradually growing brighter, but one that would rise as a fiery orb and remain thus all day. No twilight and no daybreak could cheer us, for there would be nothing to diffuse the light.

Unless the sun shone directly on a thing we could not see it. Thus our houses would have to be made of some transparent substance or else be artificially lighted in the daytime. No soothing shades would appear in the landscape, but everything would stand out boldly and clearly, every object casting dense black shadows that would render invisible any one entering them. No voice or music could be heard, for there would be no medium to carry it. No birds or insects could flit about in the trees and above us, for there would be nothing to enable them to utilize their wing motion. No clouds would be seen in the intensely black sky, and no thunderstorms or high winds would be possible. No vegetation could exist, and no animal could live. In fact, this old earth would be as dead as Hector as far as activity was concerned.

Yet this is the exact condition of affairs on the moon, which has no atmosphere and consequently suffers every one of these disadvantages.

It is rather interesting to contemplate the successive events on the earth if the atmosphere should be quickly removed. The first thing that would probably happen is that every animal, insect, fish, bird and plant would suffer a violent explosion, for each contains air at a pressure of fifteen pounds to the square inch on the outside, which is balanced by an equal pressure on the inside and would rush outward on the first pressure being removed. This can be shown by placing the hand over an air pump and gradually exhausting the air. The part exposed will gradually swell. Another illustration is when a tornado sweeps round a house, taking the outside air away for an instant. If the house is closed the windows and doors will be blown outward with enormous force, and sometimes the sides themselves of the house are blown in all directions. —Chicago Record-Herald.

## ACCIDENTAL NONSENSE.

### Things That Amused Lear, the English Artist and Writer.

It is not surprising that the gifted inventor of such classic imaginative nonsense as "The Jumblies" and "The Owl and the Pussy Cat" took a keen delight in the real nonsense of real life whenever he chanced to encounter it. During a doleful stay in a dreary little mining village where it rained all the time and he was not well and could not accomplish the work he had set his heart on doing, the late Edward Lear, although a good and decorous churchgoer, found his source of cheer in the parish clerk. "Oh, beloved clerk!" he wrote gratefully to a friend. "He reads the psalms enough to make you go into fits. He said last Sunday, 'As white as an old salmon,' instead of 'White as snow in Salmon,' 'a lion' for 'alien to my mother's children' and 'they are not guinea pigs' instead of 'guiltless.' Fact, but I grieve to say he's turned out for the same and will never more please my foolish ears."

Even funnier was the erratic English of a foreigner which once enlivened for him the prolonged formalities of an official dinner.

"Sitting next to the captain of an Austrian frigate at Sir H. Sterle's on Thursday evening," he recorded, "the German officer said to a subaltern—the conversation was about the good looks of women—'I do think the Englishwoman conserve her aperient galship (girlhood) longer than all the women, even as far as her antics' (antiquity, age).

"The subaltern withered with confusion till I ventured to interpret, 'The Englishwoman preserves her appearance of youth longer than all women, even if she be old.'"—Youth's Companion.

### Enough For Him.

When the physician arrived at the designated house he found that his patient was a decrepit negro, who sat up in bed and inquired:

"How much yo' charge, doctah?"

"Two dollars a visit, which includes my time, experience, advice and the medicine."

"A poor old coon like me don't need all dem extras. Just gib me 10 cents' wo'th-o' you' cough med'cine, and dat's enough fo' me."—Judge.

### Too Harsh.

"Wretched woman! You took advantage of my hospitality to steal my husband!"

"Pardon me, but is it exactly stealing where a guest, wishing a souvenir of an agreeable visit, carries away with her some trifling thing which her hostess gives every token of caring little for?"—Life.

### A Consultation.

Gladys—Well, what did Miss Dr. Cleverton say was the cause of your extreme paleness? Grace—Well, she has described to me a hat and waist that will go beautifully with it.—Harper's Bazar.

SHERIFF'S SALE—In Chancery of New Jersey. Between The Prudential Insurance Company of America, complainant, and Joseph W. Reinhart et al., defendants. Fi. fa. for sale of mortgaged premises.

By virtue of the above-stated writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale by public vendue, at the Sheriff's office, in the Courthouse, in the City of Elizabeth, N. J., on

WEDNESDAY, THE NINETEENTH DAY OF JANUARY, A. D. 1910,

at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, all the following described lots or parcels of lands and premises situate in the City of Plainfield, in the County of Union and State of New Jersey, being more particularly described as follows:

*First Tract*—Beginning at a stake being at the intersection of the centre line of Belvidere avenue and Ravine road; thence running in a general southwesterly direction along the said centre line of Belvidere avenue and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of five hundred and forty-one and five one-hundredths feet to a point being at the intersection of the centre line of Berkeley avenue; thence running in a general northeasterly direction along the said centre line of Berkeley avenue and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of five hundred and ninety-six and three tenths feet to a stake being at the intersection of the centre line of Ravine road; thence running in a general northwesterly direction along said centre line of Ravine road and following the curves of the same as now opened a distance of three hundred and sixty-four and forty-five one-hundredths feet to a stake and place of beginning.

Containing three and thirty-five one-hundredths acres of land and designated as block "A" on the map of the Belvidere Land and Improvement Company.

And being the same premises conveyed by James L. Anthony and wife to the said Joseph W. Reinhart by deed dated April 19, 1892.

Second Tract—Being known and designated as lot number 24 on a map of proprety situated at Netherwood, in the City of Plainfield, New Jersey, sold by W. L. Strong, trustee, dated July, 1892, made by F. A. Dunham, civil engineer. Beginning as an iron monument being at the intersection of the centre lines of Ravine road and Berkeley avenue as the same are now laid out and opened, and running thence along said centre line of Ravine road in a southeasterly direction and then southwesterly direction and following the curve of the same a distance of four hundred and ninety-two and fifty-seven one-hundredths feet to a stake being the northwesterly corner of property now or formerly owned by Spence and Cudlipp and a northeasterly corner of lot number 25 on said map; thence along the line of said lot number 25 in a magnetic course of south eighty-four degrees five minutes west a distance of two hundred and forty-seven feet to a point being the southeasterly corner of property now or formerly owned by Eliza P. Brown; thence along the line of said property north twenty-eight degrees forty-nine minutes west a distance of two hundred and twenty-four and one one-hundredths feet to a point in the centre line of Berkeley avenue; thence along said centre line of Berkeley avenue in a northeasterly direction and following the curve of the same a distance of three hundred and sixty-three and one one-hundredths feet to the place of beginning. Containing two and two hundred and seven one-thousandths acres, more or less. And being the same premises conveyed to the said Joseph W. Reinhart by deed from William L. Strong dated July 25, 1892, and recorded October 18, 1892.

ROBERT J. KIRKLAND, Sheriff.
EDWARD D. DUFFIELD, Sol'r.
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### The Very Simple Life.

Pierre Loti, the French author, always did like a practical joke. A French poet who had been advocating a return to the simple life decided one day to make the acquaintance of Loti. He left his village, he who never travels, stick in hand, to make the journey to Hendaye, the home of Loti, on foot. He prayed the celebrated novelist to receive him without ceremony; that he should be satisfied with a bowl of milk for his repast.

But he was much astonished when the novelist took him at his word. In the dining room on a table without cloth or napkin there was only an immense crock of milk.

The visitor showed some hesitation about beginning the feast. Meanwhile his host began to walk around the room like a bear in a cage, only interrupting his walk from time to time to take a long swig of milk from the crock. Without saying a word the host invited the astonished guest to imitate him.

The man of the simple life had found one more simple than himself, and he left the house convinced that the great novelist had become crazy.

### Murder Revealed by a Dream.

Perhaps the most amazing crime mystery ever solved by a dream was that revealed by a murder trial a couple of generations ago. The dead body of Mr. Norway, an inoffensive Cornish gentleman, had been found by the roadside between Wadebridge and Bodmin brutally murdered. No trace of the murderer could be found, and the mystery of the crime seemed beyond all solution when Mr. Norway's brother, a naval officer, arrived in England and told the following story: On the very night of his brother's murder, when he was on his ship in the West Indies, he saw him in a dream walking along the Bodmin road, when from a dark recess in the hedge two ruffians sprang out, slew and robbed him and then made their way to a house in Wadebridge, which he saw vividly in his dream. To this house he conducted the police officers, and there he found the very two men whom in his vision he had seen commit the murder. They confessed and suffered the extreme penalty of the law.—London Answers.

### There Was No Duel.

Colonel Crisp when in the Missouri legislature was one of the central figures in a scene which promised bloodshed, which ended in a hearty laugh and which was the cause of an astounding remark from Hon. John W. Farriss, the then speaker, said Champ Clark. Crisp and another member got into a debate which grew into a quarrel. They shook their fists at each other and roared like a pair of Numidian lions. Everybody expected and many hoped to see a regular old fashioned knockdown and dragout fight, which expectation and hope were frustrated and dashed to the ground by Speaker Farriss remarking:

"If you gentlemen do not quit fussing and take your seats I will order the chaplain to take you into custody," which so amazed the belligerose legislators that they stood in a state of lingual paralysis, while the spectators laughed till they were red in the face. Humor saved the day.

### How He Helped the Blind.

"Please help a blind man," said a fellow with green goggles as he held a tin cup toward the line of people issuing from the Union depot. "I always help the blind," said one of two young men who were passing, and he stopped and took out a five dollar bill. "Can you get a quarter out of this?" "I guess so," said the blind man, fishing out a handful of change and counting out $4.75. "Well, John," said the benevolent young man's companion as they walked on, "you're a bigger fool than I took you to be." "Am I?" said John. "Yes, you are. That fellow's no more blind than I am. How could he tell that was a five dollar bill?" "Blamed if I know," said John innocently, "but he must be mighty near sighted not to see that it was a counterfeit."—Chicago News.

### Settled the Difficulty.

An insurance agent had vainly tried to persuade a man to insure his valuables against burglary. "A safe's all very well," he admitted, "but look at the constant trouble of locking up and unlocking to see if your things are all right."

"I've got over that difficulty," declared the weary listener.

"Indeed!" said the agent incredulously. "How?"

"I've had a window put in the safe," growled the other.

### An Indiscreet Memory.

The Hostess—Don't you think Colonel Broadside is quite a wonderful old man? Look at him. He is as straight and slender as an arrow, and he has the most wonderful memory. The Lady of Dubious Age—I think he's an atrocious old bore. He remembers when everybody was born.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

### Poor Dogs!

Returned Explorer—Yes; the cold was so intense at the pole we had to be very careful not to get our dogs— Miss Youngthing—Indeed! Why was that? Returned Explorer—You see their tails were frozen stiff, and if they wagged them they would break off.—Boston Transcript.

### Where Her Thoughts Were.

Daughter—To tell the truth, pa, I didn't think much of the close of the sermon. Father—Thought more of the clothes of the congregation, eh?

If a man wishes to be treated with courtesy he should show courtesy to others.

# THE GUEST OF QUESNAY

By Booth Tarkington

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—He took from his pocket a worn leather case, which he opened, disclosing a small, browned clay bowl of

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the kind workmen use, and, fitting it with a red stem, he filled it with a dark and sinister tobacco from a pouch. "Always my pipe for me," he said and applied a match, inhaling the smoke as other men inhale the light smoke of cigarettes. "Ha, it is good! It is wicked for the insides, but it is good for the soul. When I am alone I am a chimney with no hebdomadary repose. I smoke forever. It is on account of my young friend I am temperate now."

"He has never smoked, your young friend?" I asked, glancing at my visitor rather curiously, I fear.

"Mr. Saffren has no vices." Professor Keredec replaced his silver rimmed spectacles and turned them upon me with serene benevolence. "He is in good condition, all pure, like little children, and so if I smoke near him he chokes and has water at the eyes, though he does not complain. Just now I take a vacation. It is his hour for study, but I think he looks more out of the front window than at his book—yes, very much since the passing of that charming young lady some days ago."

"You say your young friend's name is Saffren?"

"Oliver Saffren." The benevolent gaze continued to rest upon me, but a shadow like a faint anxiety darkened the Homeric brow. Finally he said abruptly, "It is about him that I have come to talk to you."

"I shall be very glad."

"Ha, my dear sir," he cried, "but you are a man of feeling! It was the way you have received my poor young gentleman's excuses when he was so rude which makes me wish to talk with you on such a subject. It is why I would not have you believe Mr. Saffren and me two very suspected individuals who hide here like two bad criminals!"

"No, no!" I protested hastily. "The name of Professor Keredec"—

"The name of no man," he thundered, interrupting, "can protect his reputation when he is caught peeping from a curtain! Ha, my dear sir, I know what you think! You think: 'He is a nice, fine man, that old professor—oh, very nice, only he hides behind the curtains sometimes. Very fine, man—oh, yes, only he is a spy.' Eh? Ha, ha!"

"Not at all," I laughed. "I thought you might fear that I was a spy."

"Eh?" He became serious.

"I supposed you might be writing a book which you wished to keep from the public for a time and that possibly you might imagine that I was a reporter."

"So! And that is all," he returned, with evident relief. "No, my dear sir, I was the spy; it is the truth. I confess my shame. I wish very much to know what kind of a man you are. And so I have watched you."

"Why?" I asked.

"The explanation is so simple; it was necessary."

"Because of—of Mr. Saffren?" I said slowly and with some trepidation.

"Precisely." The professor exhaled a cloud of smoke. "Because I am sensitive for him and I am his guardian, but I am not his guardian by the law."

"I had not supposed that you were," I said, "because, though I do not understand his—his case, so to speak, I have not for a moment thought him insane."

"Ha, my dear sir, you are right!" exclaimed Keredec. "He is as sane as anybody in the whole world! Ha, he is now much more sane, for his mind is not yet confused and becobwebbed with the useless things you and I put into ours. A few months more—ha, at the greatest a year from now—and he will not be different any longer. He will be like the rest of us, only"—the professor leaned forward, and his big fist came down on the arm of his chair—"he shall be better than the rest of us! But if strange people were to see him now," he continued, "it would not do. There are so many who judge quickly. If they should see him now they might think he is not just right in his brain, and then, as it could happen so easily, those same people might meet him again after awhile. 'Ha,' they would say, 'there was a time when that young man was insane. I knew him!' And so he might go through his life with those clouds over him.

"Ha! I wish you to know my young man," Keredec went on. "You will like him—no man of feeling could keep himself from liking him—and he is your fellow countryman. I hope you will be his friend. He should make friends, for he needs them. You will dine with us tonight?" he suggested.

Acquiescing cheerfully, I added, "You will join me at the table on my veranda, won't you?"

Before answering he cast a sidelong glance at the arrangement of things outside the door. The screen of honeysuckle ran partly across the front of the little porch, about half of which it concealed from the garden and consequently from the road beyond the archway. I saw that he took note of this before he pointed to that corner of the veranda most closely screened by the vines and said:

"May the table be placed yonder?"

"Certainly."

"Ha, that is good!" he exclaimed.

Suddenly we heard the rapid hoof beats of a mettled horse. He crossed our vision and the open archway—a high stepping hackney going well, driven by a lady in a light trap which was half full of wild flowers. I had not the least difficulty in recognizing her. At the same instant the startled pigeons fluttered up from the garden path, betaking themselves to flight, and "that other monsieur" came leaping across the courtyard and into the road.

"Look quickly!" he called. "Who is that lady?"

Amadee awoke with a frantic start and launched himself at the archway.

"That lady, monsieur?" he gasped, gazing after the trap. "That is Mme. d'Armand."

"Mme. d'Armand." Saffren repeated the name slowly. "Her name is Mme. d'Armand?"

"Yes, monsieur," said Amadee complacently. "It is an American lady who has married a French nobleman."

## CHAPTER V.

MY ankle had taken its wonted time to recover. I was on my feet again and into the woods.

July came, and one afternoon I sat in the mouth of the path just where I had played the bounding harlequin for the benefit of the lovely visitor at Quesnay.

I heard the light snapping of a twig and a swish of branches from the direction in which I faced. Evidently some one was approaching the glade, though concealed from me for the moment by the winding of the path. Taking it for Saffren as a matter of course—for we had arranged to meet at that time and place—I raised my voice in what I intended for a merry yodel of greeting.

I yodeled loud, I yodeled long, and my best performance was not unsuggestive of calamity in the poultry yard. And when my mouth was at its widest in the production of these shocking ulla hootings the person approaching came round a turn in the path and within full sight of me. To my horror it was Mme. d'Armand.

I grew so furiously red that it burned me. I was plainly a lunatic, whooping the lonely peace of the woods into

*Her dark eyes stared widely straight ahead.*

pandemonium. She kept straight on. Then suddenly, while I waited in sizzling shame, a clear voice rang out from a distance in an answering yodel to mine. There was a final call, clear and loud as a bugle, and she turned to the direction whence it came. Then Oliver Saffren came running lightly round the turn of the path. He stopped short.

Her hand pressed against her side.

He lifted his hat and spoke to her, and I thought she made some quick reply in a low voice, though I could not be sure.

She held that startled attitude a moment longer, then turned and crossed the glade so hurriedly that it was almost as if she ran away from him. She did not seem to see me. Her dark eyes stared widely straight ahead, her lips were parted, and she looked white and frightened.

I stepped out to meet him, indignant upon several counts, most of all upon his own.

"You spoke to that lady!" And my voice sounded unexpectedly harsh and sharp to my own ears, for I had meant to speak quietly.

"I know—I know. It—it was wrong," he stammered. "I knew I shouldn't—and I couldn't help it."

"You expect me to believe that?"

"It's the truth. I couldn't!"

I laughed skeptically. "I don't understand. It was all beyond me," he added huskily.

"What was it you said to her?"

"I spoke her name—'Mme. d'Armand.'"

"You said more than that."

"I asked her if she would let me see her again."

"What else?"

"Nothing," he answered humbly. "And then she—then for a moment it seemed—for a moment she didn't seem to be able to speak"—

"I should think not!" I shouted and burst out at him with satirical laughter. He stood patiently enduring it, his lowered eyes following the aimless movements of his hands, which were twisting and untwisting his flexible straw hat.

"But she did say something to you, didn't she?" I asked finally.

"She said, 'Not now.' That was all."

"I suppose that was all she had breath for! It was just the inconsequent and meaningless thing a frightened woman would say."

"Meaningless?" he repeated and looked up wonderingly.

"Did you take it for an appointment?" I roared.

"No, no, no! She said only that and then"—

"Then she turned and ran away from you!"

"Yes," he said, swallowing painfully.

"That pleased you," I stormed, "to frighten a woman in the woods!"

I set about packing my traps, grumbling various sarcasms, the last mutterings of a departed storm, for already I realized that I had taken out my own mortification upon him, and I was stricken with remorse.

"I wouldn't have frightened her for the world," he finally said, and his voice and his body shook with a strange violence. "I wouldn't have frightened her to please the angels in heaven!"

I stared at him helplessly, nor could I find words to answer or control the passion that my imbecile scolding had evoked.

"You think I told a lie!" he cried. "You think I lied when I said I could not help speaking to her!"

"No, no," I said earnestly. "I didn't mean"—

"Words!" He swept the feeble protest away, drowned in a whirling vehemence. "And what does it matter? You can't understand. When you want to know what to do you look back into your life and it tells you, and I look back—ah!" He cried out, uttering a half choked, incoherent syllable. "I look back and it's all—*blank!* All these things you *can* do and *can't* do—all these infinite little things! You know, and Keredec knows, and Glouglou knows, and every mortal soul on earth knows, but I don't know! Your life has taught you, and you know, but I don't know. I haven't had my life. It's gone! All I have is words that Keredec has said to me. I would burn my hand from my arm and my arm from my body rather than trouble her or frighten her, but I couldn't help speaking to her any more than I can help wanting to see her again."

He paused, wiping from his brow a heavy dew, not of the heat, but like that on the forehead of a man in crucial pain. I made nervous haste to seize the opportunity and said gently, almost timidly:

"But if it should distress the lady?"

"Yes—then I could keep away. But I must know that."

"I think you might know it by her running away—and by her look," I said mildly. "Didn't you?"

"No!" And his eyes flashed an added emphasis.

"Well, well," I said, "let's be on our way."

"I don't believe she was distressed," he went on. There was something, but it wasn't trouble. We looked straight at each other. I saw her eyes plainly, and it was"—he paused and sighed, a sudden, brilliant smile upon his lips—"it was very—it was very strange!"

There was something so glad and different in his look that, like any other dried up old blunderer in my place, I felt an instant tendency to laugh. It was that heathenish possession, the old insanity of the risibles, which makes a man think it a humorous thing that his friend should be discovered in love.

"But if you were wrong," I said, "if it did trouble her, and if it happened that she has already had too much that was distressing in her life"—

"You know something about her!" he exclaimed. "You know"—

"I do not," I interrupted in turn. "I have only a vague guess. I may be altogether mistaken."

"What is it that you guess?" he demanded abruptly. "Who made her suffer?"

"I think it was her husband," I said, with a lack of discretion for which I was instantly sorry, fearing with reason that I had added a final blunder to the long list of the afternoon—"that is," I added, "if my guess is right."

"Is he alive?" he cried sharply.

"I don't know!" I returned emphatically. "Probably I am entirely mistaken in thinking that I know anything of her whatever. I'd rather not say any more until I do know."

"Very well," he said quickly. "Will you tell me then?"

"Yes—if you will let it go at that."

"Thank you," he said and, with an impulse which was but too plainly one of gratitude, offered me his hand. I took it, and my soul was disquieted within me, for it was no purpose of mine to set [illegible] foot in regard to the affairs of Mme. d'Armand.

It was early dusk. From the courtyard of the inn came the sounds of laughter and chattering voices. Before the entrance stood a couple of open touring cars, the chauffeurs engaged in cooling the rear tires with buckets of water brought by a personage ordinarily known as Glouglou, whose look and manner as he performed this office for the leathern dignitaries so awed me that I wondered I had ever dared address him with any presumption of intimacy.

As we turned to enter the archway we almost ran into a tall man who was coming out, evidently intending to speak to one of the drivers.

The stranger stepped back with a word of apology, and I took note of him for a fellow countryman and a worldly buck of fashion indeed.

We were passing him when he uttered an ejaculation of surprise and stepped forward again, holding out his hand to my companion and exclaiming:

"Where did you come from? I'd hardly have known you."

Oliver seemed unconscious of the proffered hand. He stiffened visibly and said:

"I think there must be some mistake."

"So there is," said the other promptly. "I have been misled by a resemblance. I beg your pardon."

He lifted his cap slightly, going on, and we entered the courtyard to find a cheerful party of nine or ten men and women seated about a couple of tables.

I went almost as quickly to my pavilion and without lighting my lamp set about my preparations for dinner. The party outside, breaking up presently, could be heard moving toward the archway with increased noise and laughter. A girl's voice in very attractive voice called, "Oh, Cressie, aren't you coming?" and a man's replied from near my veranda, "Only stopping to light a cigar."

A flutter of skirts and a patter of feet betokened that the girl came running back to join the smoker. "Cressie," I heard her say in an eager, lowered tone, "who was that devastating creature in white flannels?"

The man chuckled. "Matinee sort of devastator—what? Monte Cristo hair, noble profile"—

"You'd better tell me," she interrupted earnestly, "if you don't want me to ask the waiter."

"But I don't know him."

"I saw you speak to him."

"I thought it was a man I met three years ago out in San Francisco, but I was mistaken. There was a slight resemblance. This fellow might have been a rather decent younger brother of the man I knew. He was the"—

My strong impression was that if the speaker had not been interrupted at this point he would have said something very unfavorable to the character of the man he had met in San Francisco.

I caught a last word from the girl as the pair moved away.

"I'll come back here with a band tomorrow night and serenade the beautiful one."

"Monsieur is served," said Amedee, looking in at my door five minutes later.

"You have passed a great hour just now, Amedee."

"It was like the old days, truly!"

"They are off for Trouville, I suppose?"

"No, monsieur; they are on their way to visit the chateau and stopped here only because the run from Paris had made the tires too hot."

"To visit Quesnay, you mean?"

"Truly. But monsieur need give himself no uneasiness. I did not mention to any one that monsieur is here. His name was not spoken. Mlle. Ward returned to the chateau today," he added. "She has been in England."

"Quesnay will be gay," I said, coming out to the table.

## CHAPTER VI.

I HAD finished dressing next morning and was strapping my things together for the day's campaign when I heard a shuffling step upon the porch and the door opened gently without any previous ceremony of knocking, admitting Amedee with a breakfast tray.

"Monsieur," he said, nodding in a panic toward the courtyard, "Mlle. Ward is out there!"

"What!" But I did not shout the word.

"Probably Mlle. Ward has only come to talk with Mme. Brossard."

"I fear some of those people may have told her you were here," he ventured insinuatingly.

"What people?" I asked, drinking my coffee calmly, yet, it must be confessed, without quite the deliberation I could have wished.

"Those who stopped yesterday evening on the way to the chateau. They might have recognized"—

"Impossible. I knew none of them."

"But Mlle. Ward knows that you are here without doubt."

"Why do you say so?"

"Because she has inquired for you."

"So!" I rose at once and went toward the door. "Why didn't you tell me at once?"

He saw the menace coiling in my eye and hurriedly retreated.

"Monsieur!" he gasped, backing away from me, and as his hand, fumbling behind him, found the latch of the door, he opened it and scrambled out by a sort of spiral movement round the casing. When I followed a moment later, with my traps on my shoulder and the packet of sandwiches in my pocket, he was out of sight.

TO BE CONTINUED.

"There, I've gone and started the New Year with a mistake."

"As to how?"

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WEDNESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1910,

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### Honor for Princeton Geologist.

Princeton, Jan. 17.—Dr. William B. Scott, '77, Blair professor of geology in Princeton University, received word Saturday from the Geological Society of London that the Wollaston Medal for geological research will be conferred upon him this year. This is considered a reward of distinction in geological work and is awarded in recognition of extensive study and research in geology, paleontology and allied subjects, in which Professor Scott for some time has been engaged.

### SECOND REGT. OFFICERS HEAR A "REGULAR" LECTURE

A lecture on "Map Reading" was given by First Lieutenant Townsend Whelen, Twenty-ninth Infantry, U. S. A., under the regular army orders, at the Trenton armory Friday night, the occasion being the regular quarterly meeting of the board of officers of the Second regiment.

The lecture Friday night was the first of a series to the Second regiment officers on theoretical and practical military tactics. More than half of the fifty-two officers of the board were present, despite the stormy weather, and listened attentively to the theme of the regular army officer.

### STATE PRISON COST $164,489 FOR YEAR.

The annual reports of the inspectors, head keeper and superintendent of the State prison at Trenton show aggregate expenditures of $268,958, of which there was returned to the State $105,469, making the net cost of the institution $164,489. The amount returned was received from contract labor at the institution and exceeded the amount received from the same source in 1908 by $8,164. The net cost per capita for the year was $117.98, and the net cost per diem thirty-two and a third cents. The cost of subsistence per diem was a trifle less than twelve and a third cents per day.

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## UNION PRINCIPALS AT WESTFIELD SCHOOLS

Members of the Union County Principals' Association spent Thursday afternoon visiting the Westfield schools. The principals were divided into groups and made visits to the different departments in the Lincoln, Washington and Prospect Schools in that city, after which they went to the home of County Superintendent of Schools D. J. J. Savitz and held the regular monthly meeting.

The committee appointed at the December meeting to attend the convention of the New York State Teachers' Association in Manhattan during the week between Christmas and New Year's Day made its report. The new syllabus which is about to be adopted in New York State, the committee reported, was the principal subject discussed. The committee said the new syllabus was a good thing and thought it should be adopted in this State. No definite action was taken in the matter.

After the meeting the principals were the guests at dinner of Dr. Savitz. Those present were: R. E. Clement, of Elizabeth; Dr. H. M. Maxson, of Plainfield; W. J. Bickett, of Rahway; A. L. Johnson, of Cranford; D. A. Howell, of Linden; L. D. Deyo, of Roselle Park; Edward W. Wayton, of Springfield; A. G. Woodfield, of Lyons Farms; S. D. Townsend, of Scotch Plains; A. H. Uudyke, of Garwood; J. E. Soehl, of Kenilworth; Snyder, of Mountainside; Dobbins, of New Providence Borough; William Woodruff, of New Providence.

### Trinity Church Calendar.

The members of Trinity Reformed church who attended the services yesterday, were delighted over the first appearance of a church calendar. This is among the last of the city churches to adopt the weekly calendar and it has been voted a great aid in disseminating the weekly news of the church. Arrangements have been made whereby they will be continued. A member of the church donated the first issue yesterday, and satisfactory arrangements have been made to print them every week.

### Salvation Meeting.

There will be a special service at the Salvation Army tomorrow evening conducted by Adjutant and Mrs. Jackson, of the industrial department. There will be plenty of vocal and instrumental music and a profitable time is assured to all who attend.

## RARITAN TEAM LEADS IN BOWLING TOURNEY

As a result of last week's competition in the fraternal tourney, the Raritan team has advanced to first place, displacing the Red Men, who led the tourney for the past few weeks.

The advantage held by the Raritan pin knights over the former leaders is slight and when these two teams come together on Thursday night some interesting doings are looked for.

The Knights of Columbus are holding down third place while the Ponies ousted the Woodmen from fourth place.

In the individual average race, Johnny Campbell is high with 192.4 for eleven games, three points ahead of "Loole" Menzenbach, who has a mark of 189.1.

The standing and averages follow:

**Team Standing.**

| | W. | L. | Ave. | H.S. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Raritan | 10 | 2 | 899 | 991 |
| Red Men | 12 | 3 | 877.1 | 950 |
| K. of C. | 8 | 4 | 879.10 | 983 |
| Ponies | 8 | 7 | 842.12 | 916 |
| Woodmen | 4 | 8 | 854.4 | 959 |
| Elks | 2 | 10 | 831.9 | 930 |
| Public Service | 1 | 11 | 796.6 | 839 |

**Individual Averages.**

| Name. | Club. | G. | Ave. | H.S. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Campbell, | K. of C. | 11 | 192.4 | 234 |
| Menzenbach, | W'dmen | 12 | 189.1 | 258 |
| Matthews, | Raritan | 12 | 185.7 | 246 |
| Batz, | K. of C. | 12 | 185.5 | 201 |
| Nash, | Red Men | 15 | 184.13 | 237 |
| W. Causebrook, | P. S. | 12 | 183.10 | 232 |
| W. Schaub, | Raritan | 12 | 182 | 213 |
| Miller, | Woodmen | 9 | 181.8 | 202 |
| Willett, | Red Men | 15 | 179.6 | 218 |
| Vliet, | Raritan | 12 | 179.2 | 214 |
| Kiely, | Elks | 8 | 177.2 | 220 |
| Laing, | Elks, | 6 | 176.4 | 210 |
| Meyer, | Red Men | 15 | 176.2 | 216 |
| Stout, | Elks | 12 | 175.3 | 213 |
| Brown, | Raritan | 12 | 174.4 | 225 |
| Vail, | Ponies | 15 | 174.3 | 214 |
| Biler, | Ponies | 15 | 173.13 | 216 |
| Skinner, | Ponies | 15 | 172.5 | 210 |
| Mullin, | P. S. | 12 | 172.4 | 197 |
| McMahon, | Woodmen. | 9 | 172 | 216 |
| Connolly, | K. of C. | 6 | 172 | 188 |
| Shannon, | K. of C. | 12 | 171.5 | 204 |
| Burscher, | Raritan | 9 | 171.5 | 221 |
| C. Ortlieb, | W'dmen. | 6 | 171.2 | 241 |
| Vanderbilt, | Ponies | 9 | 170.8 | 219 |
| Radin, | Red Men | 15 | 170.6 | 190 |
| O'Keefe, | K. of C. | 12 | 168.1 | 232 |
| Britton, | P. S. | 11 | 166.7 | 210 |
| Skelly, | Red Men | 15 | 165.10 | 203 |
| Davenport, | W'dmen. | 6 | 160.5 | 184 |
| Teel, | Elks | 6 | 160.2 | 179 |
| VanEmburgh, | Elks | 11 | 159.9 | 189 |
| Cose, | Elks | 10 | 156.7 | 185 |
| G. Ortlieb, | W'dmen | 9 | 156.4 | 202 |
| Conklin, | P. S. | 10 | 155.5 | 177 |
| Conover, | Ponies | 15 | 154.8 | 208 |
| Edwards, | Woodmen. | 6 | 152.5 | 169 |
| A. Causebrook, | P. S. | 9 | 148.2 | 186 |

The schedule for this week is: Tuesday, Elks vs. Public Service; Wednesday, Woodmen vs. Knights of Columbus; Thursday, Raritan vs. Red Men.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELDERS WIN A HOCKEY CONTEST

The Plainfield High School hockey team lost a hard-fought contest to the South Plainfield Hockey Club at South Plainfield Thursday afternoon, by a score of 3 to 2. The boys run off two goals in the first eight minutes of play after which the home team woke up and prevented further scoring. At the end of the first half the score stood 2 to 1 in favor of the High School.

In the second half the South Plainfield team scored two goals and kept its opponents from scoring. Bristol did the best individual work for the High School and May for South Plainfield. The line-up: South Plainfield—Centre, A. McDonough; rover, C. Randolph; goal, Nelson; left wing, Miller-Sofield; right-wing, Harris; cover point, May; point, Geary. P. H. S.—Centre, Church; rover, Bristol; goal, Sharp; left-wing, Sharkey; right-wing, Ricketts; cover point, Philip; point, Nash.

### MISSIONARY WILL VISIT TRINITY REFORMED CHURCH.

The next two weeks beginning tomorrow will be full of interest to the members of Trinity Reformed church, for Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison, the church missionary to Arabia, will spend that time here among the members of the church and take part in various services. Wednesday afternoon he and Pastor Broek will speak at a meeting of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the church to be held in the lecture room. Miss Maud Pearl McAfee will be the leader.

Wednesday night, Dr. Harrison will be present at the prayer-meeting and speak. He will also take part in the service Sunday morning, January 23, and at the prayer-meeting Wednesday night, January 26, and on the following night at the church a reception will be given to Dr. Harrison under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. On Friday night, January 28, a farewell service will be held in the church.

A mail bag is being planned for Dr. Harrision for use while en route to Arabia. This is in charge of Mrs. William A. Woodruff, who can furnish all information concerning the arrangement.

## HALF MILLION GIVEN TO PRINCETON UNIV.

The meeting of the trustees of Princeton University last week was one of the most important in years. Gifts aggregating more than a half million dollars were announced. The situation in regard to the graduate college has been complicated by the announcement of two gifts, one of $500,000 by William C. Proctor, 1883, of Cincinnati, and another of $200,000 by Mrs. Thompson Swann, who died. Proctor, it is believed, is in favor of building the graduate college on the golf links, but the terms of the Swann will require that the graduate school be placed on "college grounds."

The endowment of the beautiful new laboratory, known as Guyot Hall, by Cleveland H. Dodge, of New York, with $100,000, and the founding of the C. C. Cuyler fund with $300,000 bequeathed under the will of Morris K. Jesup to the Princeton University, are the principal gifts. The total gifts amount to $571,631.99.

## CALL REV. DR. MEAD TO DR. SCUDDER'S PULPIT

The First Congregational Church of Jersey City has asked the Rev. Dr. Charles L. Mead, pastor of the First Methodist church, of Hoboken, to become its pastor when the resignation of the Rev. Dr. John L. Scudder shall take effect on July 1.

Dr. Scudder recently resigned because of increasing deafness. Dr. Mead when notified by a committee of the First Congregational church asked time to consider. He is one of the most eloquent and popular clergymen in theNewark Methodist Conference. He preached to congregations of ten thousand persons and conducted Bible classes of several hundred persons in the Auditorium at Ocean Grove last summer. He has been mentioned for the post of Methodist bishop.

In the fifteen years Dr. Mead has been a minister he has been the pastor of the First church, of Rutherford; the First church, of Hoboken, six years; the Centenary church, of Newark, four years, and again the First church, of Hoboken, for nine months.

## OLD GLORY COUNCIL FOURTEEN YEARS OLD

Old Glory Council, No. 62, Daughters of Liberty, in addition to installing its officers-elect on Saturday night, also observed its fourteenth anniversary. There was a large attendance of members, including the State Councilor, Mrs. Mary Erwin, of Trenton, who installed the officers. She also made an interesting address. The council was congratulated upon its fine showing during the past fourteen years, and its steady growth in membership. The roll now numbers over two hundred and new members are taken in every week.

During the evening there were recitations by Mrs. Mary Mulford and Mrs. Annie Wyckoff, and in addition there were vocal and instrumental selections by the members. After the installation there was a collation and social time. These officers were installed:

Councilor, Willard R. Cook; vice-councilor, Mrs. Jeanette Van Pelt; associate councilor, Mrs. Anna A. Kittenring; associate vice-councilor, Mrs. Lizzie Ganun; treasurer, Mrs. Eva J. Moore; recording secretary, Mrs. Annie Wyckoff; assistant secretary, Miss Mabel Wakefield; financial secretary, Frederick L. Soper, Jr.; guide, Mrs. Ella Demarest; inside guard, Miss Blanch Thorn; outside guard, Lester C. R. Dunham; trustees, Elmer D. GaNun, Mrs. Gertrude Rittenhouse, Mrs. Anna Kettenring; representative to State Council, Mrs. Annie Wyckoff, William F. Welsh, Frederick L. Soper, Jr.; alternates, Mrs. Mary Stewart, Mrs. Lottie Anson, Mrs. Eva J. Moore.

### Annual Meeting of Dutch Arms.

The annual meeting of the Dutch Arms will be held at Trinity Reformed church Friday night, when officers for the coming year will be elected. It is earnestly desired that there be a large attendance. Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick, will be present and address the men.

### Mayor's Son a Rancher.

Clarence Smalley, son of the borough's mayor, has tired of the stone contracting business and will in the future, for a few years, content himself with wild west life. Young Mr. Smalley leaves tonight for Montana, where he intends to remain for three years.

### Enjoyed a Sleighride.

The young people of the Netherwood Reformed church enjoyed a fine sleighride to Westfield and back, Saturday night, the trip being made in a large box sleigh.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Sandford, of East Front street, left today for Lawrenceville, Va., where they will remain for a month.

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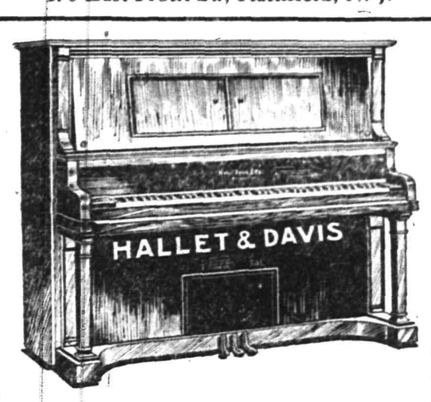


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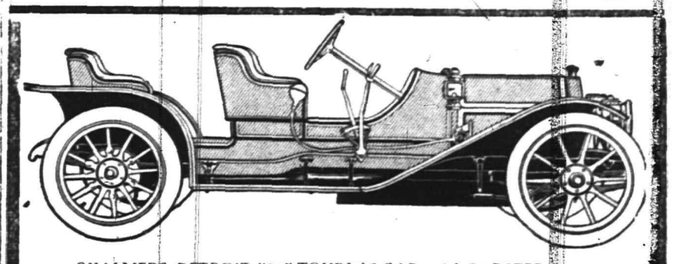

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## Y. W. C. A. YEAR'S WORK

### Encouraging Reports Presented at the Third Annual Meeting.

TOTAL RECEIPTS WERE $6,160.04

All the Directors Re-elected—Some Interesting Addresses—Meeting Is Largely Attended.

The Young Women's Christian Association held its third annual meeting and an exhibit of work of the educational classes at the association, last night. The exhibit included a display of hats and ribbon flower work from the millinery department, sample and embroidery, raffia rags made in a raffia class and of dresses and undergarments from the dressmaking department.

There were about one hundred and fifty members and friends present to hear the reports and addresses. Mrs. Frederick G. Mead presided and after Mrs. Frank W. French, the secretary of the Board of Directors, presented her report, Mrs. Mead summed up the year's work by telling of the enlarged plant which is now enjoyed.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. James R. Joy, showed that the end of the year the receipts had been $6,160.04 and the expenditures $5,763.82, leaving a balance of $396.22.

Mrs. Percy H. Stewart in her report for the finance committee extended the thanks of the association to all who had in any way contributed to the success of the work. The report of Miss Lillian A. Force for the membership committee, showed a membership of 732 and she told of the contest for new members, called the "War of Roses" held in the fall.

Miss Goddard's report of the religious work department outlined the various Bible classes and vesper services which were held at Silver Bay.

The department of physical training was reported by Mrs. William Taliaferro, who told of the splendid work done in the gymnasium department under the direction of Miss Margaret E. Mosher, of the health talks given by the physicians of the city and of the walks and outings enjoyed throughout the year. About 160 girls are using the gymnasium weekly.

Another committee that meets the popular demand, the educational, was reported by Mrs. W. D. Murray. There are 138 girls enrolled in the various departments and are learning dressmaking, millinery, embroidery, stencilling and cooking.

The entertainment committee, under Mrs. Elliot T. Barrows, has made the house hospitable and an attractive place through the year and has charge of many entertainments and enjoyable social gotherings. The chairman of the house committee, Mrs. John Gray Foster, told in an interesting manner of the many improvements made and of the additions made and the library by the "book contest" and various gifts of books.

The junior committee which gave its first report showed a full fledged new department in running order. Mrs. Frederick G. Andrews, the chairman, gave the reports of the sub-chairman. Miss Colton told of the High School Club, the Friend Evening Girls' Club, under the direction of Mrs. Hart and a Wednesday afternoon club cared for by Miss Ethel Titsworth and Miss Ethel Price. Mrs. David E. Titsworth reported the printing of the year books.

The nominating committee, Miss Ethel Titsworth, Miss Lockert and Miss Isabelle Scarborough, brought in the following names for re-election of the board:

Mrs. Frank W. French, Mrs. Elliot T. Barrows, Mrs. W. A. Conner, Mrs. John Gray Foster, Mrs. Daniel F. Ginna, Mrs. Rufus T. Lincoln, Mrs. W. D. Murray, Mrs. C. W. Tennant and Mrs. David E. Titsworth. This report was accepted.

After the close of the business session, Mrs. Stephen Baker, of New York, a member of the National Board of the Y. W. C. A., was introduced and for twenty minutes or more held the close attention of her audience. Following her introductory remarks, during which she expressed surprise and pleasure at the wonderful growth of the association here as shown by the reports, Mrs. Baker took for the theme of her address, these words from 17th chapter of the Gospel of John: "For their sakes He sanctified Himself."

Among other things, she called attention to the fact that if an association would be truly successful, it must be composed of really consecrated women, and she spoke of the three things which are necessary to accomplish this, namely, separation, (from worldliness) suffering and service. Following the example of

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## ELIZABETH PRESBYTERY TO MEET AT ROSELLE

The Presbytery of Elizabeth held its eighty-eighth stated meeting in the First Presbyterian church of Roselle this morning at 10 o'clock. The meeting was opened with a devotional service led by the moderator, John T. Reeve, of Basking Ridge.

Among the important matters which came before the presbytery at this meeting was the request of Licentiate George G. Dunshee for ordination. Mr. Dunshee has been pastor of the Bethany chapel of the Third Presbyterian church of Elizabeth for the past few years and it has greatly prospered under his ministration.

Special committees' reports were submitted as follows: On minutes of the general assembly concerning five overtures, Rev. John T. Zelie, of this city; on First German church of Rahway, Rev. William F. Whitaker; on the religious instruction of children, Rev. William Happaugh, of Springfield.

## LE ROY A. ELLIS HONORED BY COUNTY DEMOCRATS

The Union County Democratic committee elected officers for the new year last night at its annual session at Democratic headquarters in the Lyceum theatre building at Elizabeth. William E. Tuttide, of Westfield, was again chosen chairman; LeRoy A. Ellis, of this city, was elected vice chairman, and Frederick Zior, of Elizabeth, secretary, with former Judge J. Williams Crane, treasurer; J. H. R. Corbitt, sergeant-at-arms. Several honorary members were also elected.

Mr. Zior was endorsed for member of the Union County Board of Elections.

## CONTINUES BUSINESS WITHOUT A LICENSE

Pending the review of the granting of a license for the sale of liquor to Daniel Whalen, of Metuchen, on a writ of certiorari, Supreme Court Justice James J. Bergen decided yesterday at Somerville that the writ should not act as a stay to prevent Whalen continuing selling. The matter was presented to the justice in his rooms yesterday, former Senator James H. Van Cleef appearing in behalf of the Law and Order League of Metuchen and Senator George S. Silzer for the saloonkeeper.

Mr. Silzer held that the application of Whalen had been withdrawn because it had appeared that there were not enough signers to the application. The court, it was argued, had refused to grant the application on this ground but permitted the application to be withdrawn. Mr. Van Cleef took the ground that inasmuch as the court had refused the application it could not be withdrawn. The court could not discover any record of the matter having been presented before and granted the order permitting Whalen to continue his sales of liquor until the matter is finally adjudicated.

### Mrs. Margaret Baglin.

Mrs. Margaret J. Baglin, wife of James Baglin, of Stone street, died last night at her home. The funeral will take place from her late residence, No. 4 Stone street, on Thursday, morning at 8:30 and from St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock. A requem mass will be said for the repose of her soul. Mrs. Baglin is survived by a son and two daughters besides her husband, James. The son is Dennis Baglin and the daughters Mrs. C. F. Guinee and Miss Margaret Baglin.

### Mrs. Smalley's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Ambrose Smalley, of Codington avenue, who died suddenly on Sunday night from apoplexy, will take place tomorrow afternoon. Following services at the house at 1 o'clock, interment will be made at Bound Brook. The husband and eight children survive her. Mrs. Smalley was the daughter of the late John Lambert and was married sixteen years ago.

### He Paid His Fine.

Furman Goodman, who thought it would be cheaper to live on the food furnished at the North Plainfield lockup than to pay a fine imposed two days ago decided it would be the better part of valor to declare his impressions wrong this morning and pay the fine of three dollars which had been imposed upon him for an offense.

The P. H. S. basketball team will play the Cranford High School five at Cranford tomorrow afternoon.

## OVERWHELMED WITH SNOW

### But Why Complain? The Elements Cannot Be Controlled, Can They?

FIRST TIME IN TEN YEARS.

Carelessness of Trolleymen Responsible for Some Objections To the Snow Plough.

What nature and the elements are trying to do to the city is quite unexplainable, but what some of the residents are saying, sometimes vehemently, is reported as being somewhat worse. But Street Commissioner Andrew J. Gavett is doing his utmost to make both elements and the complaining citizens realize that the work of removing the objectionable snow and slush is being done with the utmost expedition.

Mr. Gavett is out early and late directing the work of the gangs who are doing the work and about seventy men are shoveling and carting away the stuff. But what can anybody do to help matters along?

Complaints have come in from all quarters that the accumulation of snow and slush is a menace to pedestrians. So it is, but it cannot all be removed in an instant. Any way it is believed that what is being done is the best that any commissioner could do. Several citizens of the West End have made complaint against the Public Service Railway for throwing snow back on the sidewalks after they had been shoveled off. The matter has been taken up with that company and is being rectified as fast as possible.

It is believed that the acts complained of were not committed maliciously, but through carelessness, and those responsible for them will probably have to face the accusation of carelessness but nothing more severe.

Several minor accidents have been reported, occasioned by slippery sidewalks and gratings over cellars. These are unavoidable under the circumstances. Not since February, 1899, has any such quantity of snow fallen in this part of New Jersey. In that year, on the third of February the business houses along Front street were hidden behind piles of snow almost as deep as those rolled up during the great blizzard of March 12, 1888. It looks as though everybody ought to be patient and hope that no more of the "beautiful" will come this way until 1919.

The snow was being removed from North avenue this afternoon faster than the heat could melt it, and that is going some. One of the victims of the bad walking last night was City Judge William N. Runyon, who fell on West Fourth street injuring his elbow and otherwise being shaken up.

## HERE'S A CHANCE FOR AN EASTER HAT CHEAP

The following interesting report of the millinery committee was presented at the annual meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last night:

"Perhaps you think its early to think of Easter bonnets, but, do you realize that Easter is on March 27, and that if you are going to be ready, its time you were thinking about it. Hats are always expensive, but this year, they bid fair to be more expensive than ever. The season is so short this spring, that the milliners will simply have to make up for it by charging more for their hats.

"Would it not be better to avoid this. Listen, and I'll tell you how. At the Young Women's Christian Association, for less than the price of one hat, they teach you how to make their own. Not one, but many—in fact all your bonnets from now on. To begin the work until you can talk over and decide on your hat, you are taught to make the most beautiful ribbon flowers, from the simple daisy to bride roses. These you are taught to make up into simple or elaborate hair bandeaux and corsage bouquets.

"By this time you are ready to make your hat. The first one a more or less simple walking hat of straw. The next is more elaborate, made of chiffon, lace embroidery or what you wish. All this, as I said before, for less than the price of one hat. Classes begin in February. Register now."

### Trinity's Annual Turkey Supper.

The annual turkey supper under the auspices of the Ladies' Christian Work Society, of Trinity Reformed church, will be held in the lecture room of the church on Thursday and Friday evenings, February 3 and 4.

Gideon Fountain, of West Seventh street, has recovered from an attack of tonsilitis.

## RE-ELECT FORCE PRES'T

### Plainfield Merchants Association Makes no Change in Officers.

BIG BANQUET NEXT THURSDAY.

Two Hundred and Thirty at Least Will Be Present—William L. Saunders to Act as Toastmaster.

An important meeting of the Merchants' Association took place in Coward's hall last night, and was attended by nearly all the members. Routine business was despatched with alacrity and new business taken up, including the election of officers for the ensuing year. All the old officers were re-elected and the same executive board appointed.

The officers of the organization are: President, A. E. Force; first vice-president, H. Schuldenfrei; second vice-president, F. A. Duttenhofer; secretary, H. B. Greenwood; treasurer, J. S. Johnson. The executive board consists of H. Schwed and M. C. VanArsdale.

William Kitchen will collect from the merchants daily all the waste paper and cardboard which is usually burned in back yards and other places. The object of this work is to obviate as far as possible chances of fire.

Attention was called to the banquet which will be held at Truell Hall on Thursday night. The prominence of the speakers who will respond to toastmaster former Mayor William L. Saunders invitation to address the gathering will no doubt attract a large number of men to the tables. Nearly all the tickets for the spread have been sold and in all probability more than three hundred diners will be on hand.

Job Hedges, of New York, perhaps one of the most noted after-dinner speakers known, will address the merchants and their guests. Another man, well known for his business integrity and his ability as a speaker, John N. Beach, also from New York city will have something to say that will interest the business men of this city.

Among the other speakers will be Mayor Charles Joel Fisk, James E. Martine, Rev. B. M. Bogan and Rev. George A. Warner.

The banquet promises to be one of the best ever given by the Merchants' Association. Two hundred and thirty-two tickets have been sold.

## YOUNG WOMAN QUALIFIES AS A HEALTH OFFICER

Miss Harriett O. Mattison, who has been an assistant in the local Board of Health office for several years, is now qualified for the position of health officer, having successfully passed the examination at Trenton. She was recently notified of her success, and has been receiving congratulations from her many friends.

Miss Mattison surprised her friends by going to Trenton for the examination without disclosing her plans. She was one of two women to take the examination and this fact aroused considerable interest on the part of health authorities throughout the State.

Miss Mattison will remain at the Board of Health office for the present or until such time as she receives an appointment of health officer, which she is now qualified to accept.

### SOME FEW NEW CARS FOR THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

The purchase of one hundred new cars has been authorized by Public Service Railway Company for use on its systems. Specifications covering the construction of the vehicles are being prepared and negotiations are under way for the placing of the formal order.

The new rolling stock will have thirty-two foot bodies with a length over all of about 44 feet. They will be equipped with longitudinal seats, double trucks and the latest improvements known to the car makers.

### Conference On Uniform Laws.

The three days' conference on "Uniform Legislation," which convened in Washington yesterday, was attended by nearly 600 delegates, among them State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city. President Taft addressed the gathering of legislators. The conference was called for the purpose of devising the enactment of uniform laws on special questions in the several States.

### Package Party Postponed.

The Day Nursery package party has been postponed from Jan. 21 to Jan. 27. The public is invited.

## WANT THE MAINE RAISED

### The New Jersey Legislature Makes Demands on Federal Government.

MR. SCHWARTZ IS SPONSER.

Unanimous Adoption of Resolution Introduced by Union County Assemblyman May Effective.

An echo of the wreck of the battleship Maine in Havana harbor was heard in the House at Trenton last night, when Assemblyman Schwartz, of Union, introduced the following resolution:

"Whereas, Since February 15, 1898, the wreck of the battleship Maine with the score or more of sailors who went down to an ocean grave, has remained at the bottom of Havana harbor, a menace to shipping; and,

"Whereas, A bill introduced by the Honorable William Sulzer, of New York, in Congress for the removal of the wreck and the proper interment of the bodies of the seamen therein contained is being advocated for passage; be it therefore

"Resolved, That the people of the State of New Jersey, in legislature assembled, urgently request the New Jersey Senators and Representatives in Congres to do their utmost to obtain immediate action on the bill introduced by Representative Sulzer, or some similar bill.

In urging the adoption of his resolution Mr. Schwartz pointed out that there were fourteen Jersey men who were killed in the wreck of the Maine, and that it was a source of constant regret that their bodies should have been permitted to lie at the bottom of the sea for so many years without an effort being made to recover them. "It is a national shame that the wreck of the Maine has not been raised," said Mr. Schwartz. "I venture the statement that no other great power in the world would have permitted such a condition of affairs to exist."

Assemblyman Nichols, of Cumberland, in a stirring speech supported the resolution and declared it was a stigma upon the nation that the government had not made a move to raise the wrecked battleship. He considered it a duty of the Legislature to adopt the resolution and thus voice what he believed to be the unanimous sentiment in New Jersey. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Among the other resolutions introduced was one by Assemblyman McCran, of Paterson, authorizing Clerk Parker to draw suitable resolutions to be adopted by the House, commending Secretary Knox for his services in promoting peace plans of the world.

## SHIP BUILDING THEME OF EMERSON E. PARVIN

Emerson E. Parvin, secretary of the International Mercantile Marine Company, delivered an interesting illustrated lecture at the Plainfield High School this morning on the subject of "The Building of Ships." He also gave views of an ocean voyage through the Mediterranean Sea, visiting Spain, Rome and the Holy Land.

Mr. Parvin began with a description of the ark, and then showed step by step the progress made, finally showing one of the newest steamers of the White Star Line. He showed the different periods of construction of one of the ocean greyhounds and also many interior views upon completion. He spoke of the Steamship Philadelphia as one of the oldest ships and yet one of the fastest, on account of its splendid proportions.

One very interesting fact given was the immense quantity of supplies that is required for a ship on a single trip. He said that 25,000 eggs, forty tons of potatoes, 5,000 pounds of butter are among the necessities required for a trip.

### Prof. Munroe's Lecture.

Professor Will S. Munroe of the State Normal School at Montclair, delivered a lecture before the teachers of the public schools of this city and North Plainfield at the High School auditorium this afternoon. Professor Munroe's subject was "Imagination in School Work."

### James Cashin Fined.

James Cashin, of East Sixth street, was gathered in by Marshal Keller, in the borough last night for being intoxicated. This morning he was fined $2 by Recorder Dolliver.

—Asparagus tips and asparagus—best "White Label" pack, at Newman Brothers. Special prices on "White Label" goods in dozen lots. 'Phone 760.

## THEY ENJOYED SLEIGHRIDE BUT THE HORSE DID NOT

The Flinch Club, of this city, and a few friends to the number of about twenty, enjoyed a sleighride to Westfield, last night, and had dinner at Willett's Hotel. The party engaged a team of horses and a box sleigh belonging to Frank Mobus, of the borough, and his son, Edward Mobus, was in charge.

On the way to Westfield, one of the team, a fine big bay horse, was taken ill with spinal meningitis, and it was with difficulty that the animal was taken to Westfield. It was found necessary to leave the horse with Dr. Butler at that place, and recovery is doubtful. Mr. Mobus sent another team to Westfield to bring the party home.

A pleasant surprise in connection with the affair happened at Willett's Hotel, when Mr. and Mrs. Floyd T. Woodhull arrived. They made the trip by train and gave their friends a surprise.

## IRA LA RUE PLANS CHAIN OF MARKETS

Ira L. LaRue, who is a member of the Quoin Investment Company, which is operating the city market, now plans to install a chain of markets throughout the State. He will soon open a city market in New Brunswick, just as soon as a deal for the land is closed. It will be in the centre of the city, and will be up-to-date in every particular.

Mr. LaRue also plans to place markets in Brooklyn and Newark. He says that he has an abundance of capital and as soon as suitable sites are selected in Brooklyn and Newark the markets will be opened. His idea is to bring the producer and consumer together, being financially interested in both.

## TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF MRS. A. L. FORCE

As a tribute of esteem of the late Mrs. A. L. Force and as words of condolence for her bereaved husband and daughter, the consistory of Trinity Reformed church has passed these resolutions:

The Consistory of Trinity Reformed church of Plainfield, N. J., desires to make the following minute on the death of Clarissa M. Force, the beloved wife of Albert L. Force, a member of the Consistory of our church:

"Whereas, It has pleased our Heavenly Father, in his all-wise providence, to take from the church on earth to the church triumphant, our esteemed and beloved friend, Clarissa M. Force, for many years an active and efficient member of our church, and one who most loyally supported its interests, be it

"Resolved, That we hereby express our deep feeling of loss in the passing away of our sister; that we think and emulate her noble Christian virtues that made her character sweet and cheerful, and that we hereby record the appreciation of her services in Christ's church and kingdom. While we shall miss her presence and service here upon earth, we recognize that the wise and holy ways of our Heavenly Father are far better than our own ways. We rejoice that she has fallen asleep in Jesus and has now entered the Master's service in the many mansions above. Be it also

"Resolved, That we extend our sincerest sympathy and Christian expression of love to the sorely bereaved husband, daughter and relatives, and pray that the tenderest, sweetest consolations of Christ's gospel and love, and a Heavenly Father's care be their sustaining strength in the time of their affliction, and that the blessed hope that sometime, somewhere, we shall meet again, be their comfort and stay. Be it also

"Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the minutes of this Consistory and a copy also be sent to the bereaved family.

"In behalf of the Consistory of Trinity Reformed church of Plainfield, New Jersey, on this thirteenth day of January, nineteen hundred and ten."

### New Buick Agency.

The Buick Motor Company, of New York city, will have its own special representative here. Kent Bender, of College place, who recently resigned his position with another concern, is now the representative, and he will be located at 40 Somerset street. As Mr. Bender has already attained a local reputation as a hustler for business, and as other agencies here are active, the outlook bids fair for a big business in Plainfield this summer in motor vehicles.

## HONOR FRANK H. SMITH

### G. O. P. County Committee in Electing Him Chairman Pays a Tribute.

BANQUET AFTER THE MEETING.

Hamilton Kean Acts as Toastmaster—Resolutions on Mr. Smith's Good Work.

Last night's annual meeting of the Republican County Committee, in the Dix building, Elizabeth, was followed by a banquet, served in the private dining-room of the Burkely Hotel, with Hamilton Kean, brother of the United States Senator, presiding.

The chief speakers were Mr. Kean, James C. Calvert, county clerk; Frank H. Smith, county registrar, and James White, all hard workers for the party.

The following were the officers chosen, the only new appointee being the treasurer, Dr. J. E. Rowe, of Summit, who succeeded Henry S. Fullerton, of Scotch Plains.

Chairman, Frank H. Smith, Plainfield; vice-chairman, James C. Calvert, Elizabeth; secretary, James Warner, of Cranford; sergeant-at-arms, James White, Elizabeth.

Resolutions dwelling on the efficient services of Chairman Frank Smith were adopted unanimously. These resolutions told of Mr. Smith's work on behalf of the party in city, county and State.

The committee in charge of the banquet was composed of James White, chairman; Neil McLeod, Jr., secretary; Andrew McCardell, W. H. Randolph, Jr., Dr. J. E. Rowe.

Henry S. Fullerton, the retiring treasurer, was presented with an engrossed set of resolutions.

Among those who made short addresses were James Warner, the secretary of the committee; Dr. Rowe, of Summit, the new treasurer; Sheriff Kirkland, Robert H. McCready and J. Henry Crane. All of the Plainfield members of the committee, except James F. Buckle, who is abroad, were present.

Following is the resolution passed at the meeting last night:

Resolved, That the successful management of the Republican campaign for the past five years, by Frank H. Smith, chairman of the Union County Republican Executive Committee, is entitled to formal recognition; therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the said members of the committee, hereby recognize the valiant services of our chairman under whose administration harmony has been preserved within the party; effective work done and satisfactory results secured in State, county and municipal matters. He has been tireless in his efforts to promote the welfare of the party as well as considerate in observing and respecting the rights of individuals. Although the duties devolving upon him have been both difficult and exacting, they have not been shirked, nor has responsibility been evaded.

This committee speaking for itself and in behalf of the large constituency it represents hereby expresses sincere appreciation of the personal and official services of its chairman and as the best expression of the confidence in him have unanimously requested him to assume the labors and duties of the office for the coming year. We hereby assure him of our collective and individual cooperation in the discharge of his duties.

### REPETITION OF Y. M. C. A. CONCERT TONIGHT.

The repetition of the thirty-fifth concert of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra, which will take place tonight in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, will bring to the fore those splendid artists who made such a fine impression at the original performance. Miss Gesswein will sing "Heaven Hath Shed a Tear," and "O, Come to Me Mavourneen."

Mme. Ida Randolph Hilliard will preside at the piano and the orchestra will also be assisted by Harold Jacobs, baritone. Mr. Korff's orchestra is too well known to require any notice here. It will be a treat to all who attend. A silver collection will be taken up.

### Beginnings of English Drama.

An interesting paper on "The Beginnings of the English Drama" was presented by Mrs. Charles E. Brooks at the meeting of the Monday Afternoon Club held yesterday in the Hartridge School auditorium. The miracle and hystery plays of the early church formed the theme of the paper. It was preceded by an animated discussion on the subject "What is Culture?"

The Loyal Temperance Legion will meet tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the W. C. T. U. rooms. All children are invited.

Rug and Drapery Department—Visit this department on the 2nd floor. The prices we quote on fine rugs and draperies will prove a revelation.

# A. E. Force & Co

"THE WHITE STORE"

WE GIVE S.&H. GREEN TRADING STAMPS

THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.

Premium Parlor on 3rd Floor.

In the Millinery Department—Several lines of trimmed and untrimmed Hats that will not be carried over. Cost is not considered during this clearance Sale.

## The Jan. Clearance Sale Continues With Added Enthusiasm

This great crowd-bringing Clearance Sale of 1910 has created quite a stir among thrifty buyers in this community. Never has there been offered such remarkable values in Dress Goods, Silks, and Ladies' Coats and Suits. Tomorrow we start afresh in presenting for your consideration values in these two lines, that are positively beyond the reach of ordinary competition. No goods carried over from one season to another, no matter what the sacrifice. Come early and get the choicest bargains.

## Wonderful Half Price Sale Silks & Dress Goods

We have gathered together almost our entire stock of seasonable, fashionable Dress Fabrics and placed them on our centre aisle bargain tables at

### JUST HALF PRICE.

The lot consists of Broadcloths, Serges, Cheviots, Henriette, Cashmere, Voile, Etamine, Plaids, Checks, Stripes and numerous fancy weaves.

### COME WHILE THEY LAST.

The opportunity is a rare one, for it may not occur again in years; the price values rage from 50c to 2.00. All will go at just **HALF PRICE.**

## Half Price Sale of Silks

The great sale of Silks has created a sensation, values unprecedented. These goods are also placed on centre aisle bargain tables for quick choosing. They consist of all kinds of plain and fancy Silks, and are the greatest bargains the ladies of this community ever saw. Anything on the table just **HALF** the marked price.

**In connection with this sale we advertise today bargains in this great Clearance Sale abound throughout the entire store. Don't miss this event.**

**The Muslin Underwear, White Goods and Shirt Waist Sale is still booming. Stocks are again complete for this week's rush.**

## Remarkable Half Price Sale Ladies' Suits & Coats

This stock represents a line of garments made by one of the foremost manufacturers in New York. They are this season's cleverest styles, made of high-class materials, but the verdict is—none carried over—therefore they must go at **HALF PRICE.**

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| 20.00 | Tailored Suits now - - | 10.00 |
| 25.00 | " " " - - | 12.50 |
| 30.00 | Superior Tailored Suits now | 15.00 |
| 35.00 | High-grade Suits now - - | 17.50 |

### Ladies' Black and Colored Coats

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| 10.00 | Coats, plain and mixed, for - | 5.00 |
| 15.00 | Covert and Black Coats for - | 7.50 |
| 19.00 | High-class Coats for - - - | 9.98 |
| 30.00 | Superior Grade Coats for - - | 15.00 |

One lot of Misses' and Children's Coats in plain and mixtures will also be offered at **HALF PRICE.**

10 Tailored Suits, odd lot, in black and colors, that sold from 7.50 to 12.00; will be sold tomorrow for - - - - **2.98**

# ONE of the LARGEST

retail stores in New York City—in fact, anywhere in this country—regularly employs a large corps of chiropodists to care for the feet of its salesmen.

We know that a whole lot of benefit and comfort is thus assured, but we believe nine-tenths of all foot trouble could be prevented by the adoption of our method of shoe-fitting.

"When we shoe you, you are shod right."

N. B.—Yes, we carry Sorosis Shoes for women. Full line of Hosiery for Women, Misses and Children

# GIDDES' Shoe Parlor

MADISON AVE. and FRONT ST., Opposite P. O.

# ROYAL GRANITE STEEL WARE

Best for the kitchen. Guaranteed Absolutely Pure and Safe to Use.

**Acme Washing Machines**
Easy to Use

**Hussler Ash Seives**
Saves Coal

FOR SALE BY

# Gayle Hardware Co.,

General Hardware and Housefurnishings

'Phone 398 Front Street and Park Avenue

## FURNITURE SALE

Our annual clearance sale of FURNITURE, BEDS AND BEDDING at greatly reduced prices. All odd lots must be closed out regardless of cost. If you wish to save money come to this store.

# L. B. VAN CAMP

Tel. 868- 12-29 31 Front and Somerset Street

WHEN THE BLOOD GROWNS THIN

with advancing years, a little good whiskey is both pleasant and beneficial. Have a bottle of our pure old rye whiskey in the house for the old folks or for those who come to see you. It will do them good and will prove equally valuable to yourself in case of a sudden chill, faintness or stomach trouble.

## FRANK LINKE

227 W. Front St., Plainfied.

THE PLAINFIELD

# SILK STORE COMPANY

Why go to New York for SILKS, when you can get them in your own Town at New York prices? If we have not what you want in stock, we will gladly get it for you.

We have an exclusive line of Japanese drawn work, including scarfs, centre pieces, lunch cloths and all size doilies and handkerchiefs.

Raymond Germain. Manager.

155 EAST FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

# R. W. BARNES

217 PARK AVENUE

NEW MINCE MEAT IN BULK OR PACKAGE, NUTS, FIGS, DATES, ORANGES, GRAPE FRUIT, FANCY CHEESES, PICKLES, BOILED HAM, FLEMINGTON SAUSAGE, HEADCHEESE, POTATOE SALAD, CRULLERS, FRUITS, VEGETABLES, GROCERIES.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 15

**Clearing Sale Soft and Stiff Hats**

2.00 Quality at 1.50

TEN DAYS ONLY

**Jas. R. Blair**
119 PARK AV.

# MOORE AND SCHEELEIN

FIRST-CLASS BUTCHERS

Meats and Vegetables at Lowest Prices for Cash.

104 NORTH AVENUE

Stoves **Special Sale** Skates

**10% Allowanee on Balance of Our Stock of HEATING STOVES**

Including Cylinders, Oak and Double Heating Stoves.

**20% Reduction on Remainder of Skates**

ALL GRADES AND PRICES OF WIN-LOW SKATES

Remember Our Regular $1.50, Now **$1.20**
Our Regular $3.25, Now **$2.60**
Our Regular $3.75 Now **$3.00**

Skating was never better. OUR STOCK IS LIMITED.

PLUMBING AND TINNING DONE PROMPTLY
HARDWARE and HOUSEFURNISHING

# A. M. GRIFFEN

119-123 E. Front St., Plainfield, N. J. Two Phones 6--214

# SPECIAL MILK

**10c PER QUART**

OUR SPECIAL MILK IS THE RICHEST AND PUREST OBTAINABLE.

PRODUCED FROM PERFECTLY HEALTHY JERSEY COWS, FED UPON STRICTLY CLEAN AND WHOLESOME FEEDS, ON THE FARM OF A WELL-KNOWN PLAINFIELD GENTLEMAN, LOCATED ON THE VERY EDGE OF PLAINFIELD.

ABSOLUTELY SANITARY CONDITIONS.

DELIVERED (WITH OUR REGULAR MILK AND CREAM) BEFORE BREAKFAST EVERY MORNING.

## Plainfield Milk & Cream Co.

MARCHANT BROS.

112 Watchung Ave. Telephone 840.

## THE EVIL OF DIVORCE

can be greatly reduced by buying your COAL, ICE and BUILDING MATERIALS from the PLAINFIELD ICE and SUPPLY CO. A handsome house built from the best material and heated with the Best Coal in winter and cooled with the Best Ice in Summer produces such comfort and good cheer that scarcely anybody would be willing to separate from it.

## Plainfield Ice & Supply Co.

222 MADISON AVENUE Cor. THIRD STREET

Bruguier's PRONOUNCED BROOGERS ANTISEPTIC

**FRENCH TOOTH POWDER**

## Just as Good for the Little Folks as 'tis for the Big

Children take to it because of it's pleasant, lingering, wintergreen flavor.

And it's just as good for them as it is for you for it is absolutely pure—contains no grit, no acid, no enamel destroying elements.

Leaves a perfect feeling of cleanliness—makes the teeth white, firm and healthy. Removes the tartar without injuring the enamel.

Try a box at your Druggists.

Write for the interesting booklet "The Preservation of the Teeth."

**Bruguier Chemical Co., 76 Hamburg Place, Newark, N. J**

SEND 2C STAMP FOR DAINTY SAMPLE BOX.

# Selling Out $3,000 Worth of Furs Must Be Sold At Half of Our Prices

In closing our first year in town we wish to acknowledge the kindly patronage we have received and to reward it by offering our stock for sale at such surprising bargains as will make you glad to see us when we return next year.

WE GIVE A GUARANTEE WITH ALL OUR FURS

# The Modern Fur Store

178 EAST FRONT STREET

CHARLES KURTZMAN, Mgr. OPEN EVENINGS

# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

THE DAILY PRESS may be obtained from the following Newsdealers and Agents. 10c a week.

CITY

Union News Co.....R. R. Station
F. C. Field, Jr.....411 Park Ave.
S. A. Laing.....249 W. Front St.
A. D. Mallison..Fourth and Liberty Sts.
Trolley Waiting Room...Watchung Ave.
M. Estil.....111 Park Ave.
Debele & Stahl.....113 Somerset St.
W. H. Olmstead.....341 Watchung Ave.
F. A. Garthwaite...Cor. 4th & Watchung
W. R. Way.....652 West Front St.
J. Mottley..Cor. E. 3d & Richmond Sts.

SUBURBAN.

Junellen.....B. Sirski
New Market.....R. Bilslick
Bound Brook.....Union News Co.
Bound Brook.....L. M. Davis
Somerville.....Jacob Gimbert
Westfield.....C. F. Wittke, A. E. Snyder
Westfield.....J. W. Wall
Scotch Plains.....Charles Gillott
South Plainfield.....Victor Gillee
Fanwood.....Charles Gillott
Netherwood.....W. H. Olmstead

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD

The People's Ice Co. have finished harvesting the summer supply of ice, both ice houses are filled to their capacity. Besides this about twenty-five tons have been stacked and will be used for present consumption.

The young people are enjoying skating on Green Brook, the several ponds being out of commission on account of the snow.

John Van Nosdall, a former resident here, but now of Hughsonville, N. Y., was the guest of friends in town yesterday.

Miss Margaret Reynolds, of Myrtle avenue, has been detained at home for several days on account of illness.

Mrs. Thomas Walsh, of Prospect avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Excelsior H. and L. Co. held its regular monthly meeting last night in the company's rooms.

The annual township report will soon be ready for distribution among the taxpayers.

John Gillotti, of Forest avenue, was the guest yesterday of friends in Brooklyn.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

Many of her friends here will regret to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. Charles Day, of New Market.

The St. Francis T. A. B. Society will hold a sleigh riding party tomorrow to Westfield.

The young People's Club will hold a sleigh ride tonight to Rahway.

George Pace, of Jersey City, is visiting relatives here.

### LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

There are more good hearty laughs in the two hour and a half reign of Johnny Ray as "King Casey," in which piece he will be the attraction at the Plainfield theatre January 20, than in any other two modern musical farce comedies that can be mentioned. If there is a comedian on the stage who can find and set in motion the risibilities of a confirmed grouch that comedian is Johnny Ray. He has been the peer of all musical comedy funmakers for the past half dozen years, but in his latest offering his own laugh record has been broken.

A minstrel veteran heads the fun forces with the Al G. Field Greater Minstrels; a son of the South, years of association with the darkeys, whose actions and whims have enlivened the American stage with more laughs than those of all other municipalities. Mr. Healey has a bundle of merriment larger than his diminutive body; his appearance and make-up is a laugh. He is irresistible; makes fun as naturally as sunshine makes hay—Healy is the Al G. Fields minstrel provoker. At the Plainfield theatre matinee and night, January 22.

Miss Elsie Janis, who is starring this season in "The Fair Co-Ed," George Ade's newest college play is, as nearly everybody knows, an enthusiastic motorist. Miss Janis is one of the few stars who carries her automobile with her wherever she journeys, and who has the use of it every afternoon that the weather is fine, even if she is playing "one night stands." Miss Janis is an excellent driver herself, and only carries a chauffeur to look after her car. Miss Janis in "The Fair Co-Ed" will be seen at the Plainfield theatre January 24.

W. W. Nugent, of Riverside drive, Bound Brook, is spending several weeks in New York.

E. P. Bryan and son, Edward Bryan, of River Rest, near Bound Brook, are spending a month at Porto Rico.

### ITCHING ECZEMA WASHED AWAY

Is it worth 25 cents to you to stop that awful, agonizing itch? Surely you will spend 25 cents on your druggist's recommendation, to cool and heal and soothe that terrible itching eruption?

By arrangement with the D. D. D. Laboratories of Chicago, we are able to make a special offer of a 25-cent bottle of their oil of wintergreen compound, known as D. D. D. Prescription. Call, or write or telephone to L. W. Randolph, 193 West Front street.

We absolutely know that the itch is stopped at once by D. D. D. Prescription, and the cures all seem to be permanent.

# January Wanes While Clearance Sale

## Bargains Approach Their Climax

This great merchandise movement is at the height of its value giving. Winter goods are going fast, spurred on by the sharp cost cutting that prevails in all departments. The bargain bugle blasts a clarion call that attracts throngs of buyers.

Our aim of clearing decks is being rapidly accomplished. Stocks still show surpluses so sacrifice still send prices downward. Clearance at any cost is the attainment sought. It is your opportunity for obtaining unmatched economies. Goods you need are yours at lower cost than at any other time or place.

Proof is presented in the following items—buy now before this Sale comes to an end.

**7c BEST CALICOS AT 5c.**
The American Printing Company's best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value; sale, a yard ..... 5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, per yard ..... 14

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard ..... 29

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30) ..... 59

**7c APRON GINGHAM AT 5c.**
25 pieces good Apron Ginghams, blue and brown checks; a regular 7c value; sale a yard ..... 5

**6c FIGURED CHALLIES AT 4c.**
40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c values; a yard ..... 4

**65c COTTON DRAPERY AT 49c.**
Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Drapery, 18 inch; 65c value; a piece ..... 49
Corticelli spool silk, black only; 100 yards spools on sale at ..... 7

**$3.50 SKIRTS AT $1.98.**
Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts made in neat, dark gray mixed Panamas; good $3.50 value at ..... $1.98

**5c TOILET PAPER, 3c.**
Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8-oz. rolls; regular 5c quality; sale ..... 3

**5c MILWARD'S NEEDLES, 3c.**
Milward's best needles, all sizes; regular 5c a paper on sale at ..... 3

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... 15

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... 10c

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale ..... 95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale ..... 39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at ..... 29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... 39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... $3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price ..... $6.98

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $11.15

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**
We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price ..... $8.50
(Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price ..... $10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at ..... 39c

# M. & A. TEPPER


## Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath; also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

TO LET—Furnished room, all improvements, in select neighborhood, to a young lady, by a young couple, nurse or teacher preferred. Address Select, care Press. 1 12 tf

TWO large connecting rooms and adjoining small room, fully furnished. Mrs. Lena Hellstrom, 312 East Seventh St. 1 12 6

NEWLY papered, newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

LADY, being alone in steam-heated flat, will share same with an employed lady. Address 672, Daily Press. 1 13 6

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board. 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thomson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

TWO wagon sheds; reasonable; to be removed. Call 984 Hillside Ave. 1 15 3

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 12

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—Rooms for two adults; with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

THE ACKROYD Gas Radiator will heat your dining-room in ten minutes these cold mornings. Demonstration at Woodhull & Martin Co. 1 10 tf

CONVALESCENT lady can be suitably entertained in private family. No. 822 Second place. 1 13 6

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1910 wallpapers; liberal discount. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 18 7

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 16 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### Sleighs For Sale.

CUTTER for sale, best of condition. Apply 754 Kensington avenue. 1 15 3

FOR SALE—A cutter, in good order. F. C. Overton, 31 Rockview avenue. 1 15 3

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 5.**


# HAHNE & CO.

IMPORTERS · NEWARK'S STORE BEAUTIFUL BROAD, NEW AND HALSEY STREETS · RETAILERS

# Stupendous Sale Cut Glass

## BEAUTIFUL PIECES, WORTH 4.00 TO 14.00, AT - - - - - 2.98

### Big Lots of Everything, Affording All Ample Choice

### Sale Begins Precisely at 8.30 Wednesday Morning

The simple announcement that we are going to conduct another cut glass sale is sufficient for most people who know this store. They will understand from the character of our past sales just what this event means, and they will crowd the store Wednesday morning in the quest of beautiful cut glass pieces at such small cost.

For those unacquainted with these sales we would say that we have gathered hundreds of beautiful, perfectly-cut pieces from makers of high repute, at prices enabling us to sell you what would ordinarily cost you not less than $4 and as much as $14, for only $2.98.

There will be plenty of the larger pieces such as Punch Bowls, Electroliers, Candelabra and the large new Bowls, and the only restriction we put on the sale is that not more than one of any of these large pieces will be sold to a buyer and that with the punch bowls we will require you to buy half a dozen lemonade cups, making the cost of the bowl and cups, complete, $5.96, and with the large water jugs, half a dozen tumblers, making the cost $5.96 complete.

Many of the pieces that are to go into this sale are now on exhibition in our Broad street windows. Positively no reservations will be made in advance.

None of this cut glass will be sent C. O. D. No mail or 'phone orders will be received.

Punch Bowls; 9 and 10-in. sizes.
Jugs; 3 and 4-pt. sizes.
Bowls; deep shapes; 8, 9 and 10-in. sizes.
Fruit Bowls; footed.
Flower Centres.
Flower Pots.
Fern Dishes; 8-in. size; silver-plated lining.
Relish Dishes with 3 and 4 compartments.
Sandwich Trays, 10-in. size.
Orange Bowls; long and oval shapes.
Mayonnaise Bowls and Plates.
Comports; various sizes.
Water Bottles; qt. size; globe and squat shapes.
Spoon Baskets.
Ice Tubs.
Candlesticks.
Electroliers.
Candelabra; 4-light; silver-plated trimmings.
Decanters; with and without handles.
Whisky Jugs.
Sugar and Cream Sets.
Butter Dishes; with covers.
Cheese Dishes; with cover.
Nappies; 8-in. size; two and three handles.
Tumblers in half dozen lots; Chrysanthemum and Whirling Star designs.
Celery Trays; various shapes.
Ice Cream Trays; 14-in. size.
Flower Vases; cylinder, corset and trumpet shapes; 10, 12 and 14 ins. high.
Sherbet or Lemonade Cups in half dozen lots.
Water Jugs; 4-pt. size, with half a dozen tumblers; $5.96 complete.
Punch Bowls, with half dozen lemonade cups; complete for $5.96.

2.98 2.98

## JANUARY Houseware Sale

More interesting items for homekeepers—just as great savings as were offered you last week, if not greater, in things you need today, tomorrow and every day—truly a great sale such as this basement never knew before, due to the fact that we must lessen our holdings previous to inventory, which comes at the end of this month.

**Gas Radiators**—Four-tube junior; aluminum bronze top and base with six feet of covered gas tubing; regularly $2.09, $1.69.

**Waste Paper Baskets**—Of fancy willow; many shapes and styles; 39c kind, specially priced at 31c.

**Carpet Beaters**—Good, strong rattan; wired handle; 29c kind 25c.

**Clothes Pin Bags**—The Vandy Handy, with 100 clothes pins; complete, regularly 27c, at 19c.

**Fry Pans**—all steel, polished; made in one piece; cannot break; 55c kind 45c; 35c kind 29c.

**Oil Heaters**—brass tanks with indicators; hold 4 quarts of oil; centre draft, smokeless burners—
Japanned, $4.49 kind at $3.45.
Nickeled, $4.98 kind at $3.73.

**Knife Cleaners**—Knife cleaning machines, useful in hotels, restaurants and boarding houses; $3.25 kind $2.75.

**Pail Wash Boards**—Used for washing laces, handkerchiefs and other fine articles; 10c kind 8c.

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## SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Policemen Sunday afternoon made a raid on a pool parlor at King and Morris streets, Gloucester, and arrested Ernest Capewell, said to be the proprietor, and five boys, who are held as witnesses.

Theresa Sindar, fifteen years old, of 1081 Diamond street, Camden, was reported missing to the police. She came from Poland a short time ago and is unable to speak the English language.

Through being hit by a train at Allendale, John Fredericks, of 23½ Summer street, Paterson, had the bones of his right leg broken last Saturday. After having the fracture reduced at St. Joseph's Hospital, where he was taken for treatment, he was carried home.

Rev. Dr. Henry Collin Minton, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, Trenton, has been chosen the delegate from the United States to attend the evangelistic meetings to be held in England, Wales, Ireland and Scotland during May and June of this year.

Lieutenant-Colonel Van Walraven, commanding the Fifth Regiment, has issued a general order naming Captain Fred G. Antwerp, Company K; First Lieutenant Addison B. Burroughs, of Company G, and Second Lieutenant John C. Taylor, of Company D, Newark, as regimental examining board.

Rising to a height of 170 feet, with a diameter of 130 feet and a capacity of 1,500,000 cubic feet, the new gas tank at Chestnut and Tulip streets, in the Second ward of Passaic, now almost completed, is expected to meet the demands of Passaic and surrounding communities until the population of the territory covered has more than doubled.

The Camden police, under Captain Stanley, early Sunday morning descended on the house 225 Cherry street. All the rooms were searched, but the police corralled Lillie Allen, white, twenty-five years old, and William Smith, a negro, thirty-three years old, both of whom were held for a hearing before the Recorder.

Gustav Deitz, thirty-seven years old, who recently arrived from Germany, attempted suicide Sunday on a farm about five miles from Bamber, Ocean county, by tying a rope around his neck and fastening it to the ceiling in the stable. He was discovered in time to save his life. He got word of his wife's death in Germany and this is supposed to have caused the attempt to die.

James Hutchinson, who refused to perform menial duties about the Paterson police station, Sunday morning, was sent up for six months in the county jail. Hutchinson was arrested Sunday morning and arraigned before Recorder Carroll, charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct. When leaving his cell the prisoner tried to bite a piece out of Officer Adams' arm. He was directed to report to Janitor Vermeulen for work. Upon his refusal to do so he was taken back to court and sentenced to six months in the county jail.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD

Rev. L. R. Howard, who is in Atlanta, Ga., conducting special services, will return home January 21.

The Junior Epworth League of the First M. E. church will meet in Vincent chapel Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The Ladies' Aid Society of Hope chapel will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. Herron, of 2004 West Third street.

Rev. Dr. J. A. Chamblin will have charge of the mid-week prayer meeting at the First Baptist church tomorrow night.

Under the auspices of Hope chapel a dime social will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hendry, of West Third street.

The Men's Club of Hope chapel will meet at the chapel this evening at 8 o'clock. The teacher-training class will meet at the same hour.

The Junior Mission Band of the First Baptist church will meet at the church Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, with an attractive program.

The Young People's Association of the First Baptist church will hold a short business meeting tomorrow night after the regular prayer meeting.

The Young People's Association will meet at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church Friday night for mission study. Miss Edna Brown, Miss Harriet Halloway and Howard McWilliams are the teachers of the different classes.

The sewing meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will be held Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Boxes are being prepared for two families under the care of the ministerial relief.

### RARITAN.

Mrs. Alfred Barker and son, Harold, of Bath Beach, Long Island, are guests of Mrs. Barker's mother, Mrs. John Harding, on Doughty street.

Allen V. Drissol, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, in Somerset Hospital one week ago yesterday, is improving nicely.

Mrs. John King, of Trenton, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charles Cassidy, on Wall street.

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## Jan. 18 In American History.

1782—Daniel Webster, orator and statesman, born; died 1852.

1818—Richard Yates, war governor of Illinois and United States senator, born; died 1873.

1903—Abram S. Hewitt, noted ironmaster, statesman and philanthropist, died; born 1822.

1908—Edmund Clarence Stedman, noted author and critic, died; born 1834.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:57, rises 7:16; moon sets 1:23 a. m.

**Plainfield, N. J., January 18, 1910.**

The next President of these United States will be Theodore Roosevelt. Such is the handwriting on the wall. Happy the day when we have a return of his ministrations.

At the High School this afternoon Prof. Munroe, of Montclair, lectured on "Imagination in School Work." There is more imagination than work in many instances and more fads than real practical education, too. Unfortunately, however, the pupils do not realize it until they go out in the world of experience to earn a living.

City Treasurer William F. Arnold's annual report gave ample testimony to the arduous and exacting duties devolving upon that official. No one, at all interested in civic affairs, could fail to understand how each penny of the taxpayers' money was spent. The report was so drawn that it was clear at a glance.

### OCEAN GROVE ACTIVITY.

Ocean Grove, Jan. 18.—Since the organization of the Ocean Grove Camp-meeting Association in 1870 only two meetings a year have been held by that body. At the annual assembly in November it was decided to have four sessions a year hereafter, "on the basis of regular Methodist quarterly meetings." In consonance with this resolution, the members of the association will assemble here tomorrow for an all-day session.

Among the more important matters to be brought forward for consideration are the work of building a beach pavilion at the north end of the grove, begun last week, the extension of the Boardwalk, the summer program and street improvement. It is expected that arrangements will be made to care for the association's interests in the Legislature in the present fight to have Ocean Grove changed into a borough. In this fight the association does not propose to be caught napping, but will be represented at every session of the lawmaking body. Should the borough bill, shortly to be introduced, be reported for a public hearing, Rev. Dr. Aaron E. Ballard, the venerable president of the association, with former Governor E. C. Stokes, will represent the governing body before the Legislative Committee on Boroughs and Borough Commissions.

### At Proctor's.

There is an abundance of comedy at Proctor's theatre this week. The Braithwaites present a rip-roaring sketch in which a man enters the wrong house and the situations following, causes one continual laugh. Mr. and Mrs. Lavernie appear in a clever sketch entitled "Hubby's Bluff," a playlet full of fun. The Wynnings are a pair that never fail to get a big hand, in their clog dancing and yodeling. The films d'art are up to the usual standard always maintained by Proctor & Sanderson.

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### VICTORY FOR STATE RAILROAD COMMISSION.

Trenton, Jan. 18.—The State Railroad Commission has gained a substantial point in the construction of the law under which it operates by a decision of the Supreme Court refusing to grant a motion for a reargument in the proceedings under which the board ordered the Lackawanna Railroad to furnish adequate railroad facilities at Broadway. The railroad appealed from the order of the board and the Supreme Court held that the order was neither unreasonable nor unjust and dismissed the appeal.

The subsequent application for a reargument was based upon the claim that the disposition of the case did not conform to the act which provides that the disqualified party or company "may file a petition setting forth the particular cause or causes of objection to such order in the Supreme Court against said board as defendant; said action shall have precedent over all causes on the docket of the court, and said cause shall be tried and determined as other civil causes in said court." Justice Bergen, who wrote the opinion refusing the motion for a reargument, said:

The argument of the railroad company now is that the cause was not tried and no definite issue was presented; that the issue in this case is the adequacy of the present facilities for the present traffic, and that in other civil causes the plaintiff has the burden of proving his allegations. The result reached by the Supreme Court was that the evidence before the State board was sufficient to justify its conclusions on the issue presented by the defendant.

The Supreme Court heard the issue in the manner presented by the defendant, who made no attempt to present the issue for trial and determination as other civil causes are tried. The law does not provide the means for any such trial. If one exists the defendant did not avail itself of it, but sought to review the action of the State board without application for a jury or other manner of trial. In the absence of any positive direction in the act we think that the defendant had the trial contemplated, in any event it had the trial it sought, and made no objection to the forum.

### CHILDREN'S FURS.

Fashion is leading its votaries towards fascinating furs for little children.

The tiny tots in their white furs look like animated snowballs. Some of the hats, which usually are sold with the coats, are pulled over the head, with only a peep at the merry eyes to convince the outsider of the fact that a little boy or girl is enjoying the cozy warmth.

Naturally, our eyes turn toward the most expensive coats. Ermine is elegant yet babyish for his royal highness. Coats are made of tailless ermine, with muffs and hats to match. On these smaller pieces of the three-part set are the tails. Gray goat is enjoying a new popularity in France for tiny motor coats. Its color and warmth are reliable, and French mothers are wisely pointing a way which others will do well to follow.

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## MORE THAN 7,000,000 BOOKS CIRCULATED

Trenton, Jan. 18.—That there has been a material increase in the number of books circulated through the 194 public libraries of the State is shown through the anual report of State Librarian Henry C. Buchanan submitted to Governor Fort. Mr. Buchanan gives this circulation for the year as 7,222,760, which means an average of something like four volumes to every inhabitant. Added interest is given to these figures by the further statement that the libraries in question contain but 1,196,297 books, and the traveling libraries maintained by New Jersey 611,186 additional.

In the State Library alone there are 76,003 volumes, about 25,000 of which are included in the law section. Mr. Buchanan sets forth that many of these volumes, as well as hundreds of the reports and documents of other States kept on hand, are of little value and seldom called for. He suggests that these may be discarded with advantage, to make room for more important books.

During the year there were added to the State Library eighteen different lives of Abraham Lincoln, twelve volumes of Robert G. Ingersoll's works, several genealogies of early New Jersey families, Evan's "American Bibliography, 1639-1820," the Iowa and California digests, and thirteen volumes of celebrated trials, as well as twenty almanacs published late in the eighteenth and early in the nineteenth century. United States Senator Briggs was the donor of eight volumes of "Hind's Precedents of the House of Representatives," and Miss Elizabeth A. Smith, of Trenton, gave three manuscripts containing personal reminiscences of her father, Charles Perrin Smith, who was for many years an active politician.

## Y. W. C. A. YEAR'S WORK

(Continued from page 1.)

Christ, the women must separate their lives unto God; they must bear the burdens and sins of others, understand the needs and evils of the world in order that they may help others to overcome them, realizing that if they would have their work effective, it must cost them something; then they must render a self-giving service, and this might be accomplished through love and prayer. The prayer life is the greatest part of their service, for in it lies the power and strength to do. They should pray for those for whom they work, for failure so to do must result in spiritual loss to those whom they could help.

In closing, Mrs. Baker said that she had recently seen Montmorency Falls in Canada, and it seemed to her that this scene was a picture of what their Christian life should be. Above the falls was a sea of pure water; this was the peace of God. Then came the torrent, strong and swift, falling into the abyss; this was the result of the power gained through God, which go down into the abyss of sin and suffering in order to redeem. Then beyond lay the quiet waters; peace once more.

Elsie Janis in "The Fair Co-Ed" at Plainfield Theatre Monday, Jan. 24.

Following Mrs. Baker's address, James R. Joy told of the recent conference held in Rochester, N. Y., in connection with the Student Volunteer Movement, under the leadership of John R. Mott. These conferences are held once in four years—once in a college generation—and are attended by students from colleges, universities and normal schools in all parts of the United States and Canada. Each school is entitled to send one delegate out of every one hundred students, in addition to one professor. About two-thirds of the delegates are young men. The object is two-fold; to deepen the spiritual life and to show the students the obligations resting upon them to meet the spiritual needs of the world and to give their lives for this noble purpose. There were 722 colleges and schools represented by the 2,700 delegates.

Mr. Joy told of the numerous prominent speakers at the conference and gave all a clear idea of the entire program, showing how beneficial it is to the delegates. The last of the five days' conference was most impressive. The platform was occupied by the ninety-two student volunteers who had been accepted for service in the mission fields and were awaiting sailing orders. Each was given an opportunity to tell in a few words, to what field he or she was going and why they were going. Then the names of sixty-one who had died in service during the past four years were read. No pledges were given at these conferences, but the spiritual uplift gained there, result in many consecrations to mission work, as shown by the fact that the 4,336 students who have enlisted in this service since 1886 represent one-fourth of all the missionaries.

### STATE PAYS TRIBUTE TO FORMER GOVERNOR.

Out of respect for former Governor George T. Werts, who died yesterday at his home in Jersey City, Governor John Franklin Fort last night issued a proclamation paying proper respect to the life and memory of the former Chief Executive. In addition to that, the Senate, in tribute to the former Governor, decided to adjourn last night for the week, after the introduction of bills.

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## Some Rich Answers in the Examination Papers of Candidates.

### A FEW OF THE SAMPLES.

### One Says Van Hose is Governor—Another That George Washington Was a Civil War General.

Random selections of answers that are rich in humor to the passing reader, and yet may have spelled a tragedy to the ambitions of those who penned them under mental test provided by the New Jersey Civil Service Commission, in the effort to provide lists of eligible applicants for public jobs, are as follows:

Q. Where are the Philippine Islands? A. The Philippine Islands are in the Atlantic Ocean. The Philippine Islands are down South.

Q. State briefly the cause of the Revolutionary War? A. The cause of the Revolutionary War was: England insulted our American flags. The Indians were the cause of the Revolutionary War. They had been fighting the lives of so many white men that the Americans could not stand it.

Q. What is the largest country in South America? What is its capital? A. Florida is the largest country in South America and its capital is Florida. Balviria is the largest country in South America and its capital is Pinto.

Q. What does the Isthmus of Panama connect? A. The Isthmus of Panama connects the Panama Canal to the Ithmus of Panama. The Isthmus of Panama is between the Pacific Ocean and the Mediterranean Sea.

Q. Give the cheif executive of Jersey City? A. Mr. Van Hose.

Q. Name some of the characteristics of the Japanese. A. They have long nails and yaller skin.

Q. Name ten men at the present time who in your opinion are most influential in the public life of New Jersey. A. Senator Colby, Governor Fort and Sheriff Harrigan.

Q. Give a sketch of one of Shakespeare's female characters. A. Juliet is a very sweet girlish character. She ruined her life by dashing into love too hastily.

Q. Name some of the greatest generals in the Civil War. A. George Washington.

Q. Name one of the chief causes of the war with Spain. A. The war with Spain was on account of an island.

Q. Who was the Maid of Orleans and what was her part in history? A. The Maid of Orleans was a young lady who dressed as a man and rode on horseback leading an army.

Q. Give a brief sketch of the French and Indian war. A. Bombay and Calcutta were the chief centres of fighting. During the war first the English were successful and then the French. Wandewash was one of the most noted battles, which resulted in an overwhelming defeat of the French. At one stage in the war, when the English were about to gain a battle in Bombay, the French surprised them and attacked the city by storm. The English were victorious and nearly all India was in their hands. Plassey, another famous battle of this war, proved a victory for the English.

# FORMER GOVERNOR GEO. T. WERTS DEAD

Former Governor George T. Werts died at his residence, in Jersey City, at 6 o'clock yesterday morning, aged 63 years. He had been ailing for several months and a few days ago was stricken with pneumonia.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Emma Runyon Werts, and two daughters, Miss Mary Evelyn Werts and Miss Hattie Werts.

The funeral services at the residence Wednesday morning will be for the family only and will be conducted by Rev. Jesse Joralemon, of the Grace P. E. church. The body will be taken to Morristown on the train arriving there at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and following services at the grave in Evergreen Cemetery by Rev. Thompson, of the Morrisville Baptist church, will be interred beside that of his uncle, former Attorney General Vanatta.

### GARTER SUPERSTITION.

Nowadays garters are very generally ousted from favor by the more hygienic suspenders, but many superstitions about them still survive. Here are a few:

The marriage of a bride who wears any but white garters on her wedding day will have an unhappy ending.

The girl who wears her garters below the knee will early lose her beauty.

To put on the left garter before the right on dressing in the morning will bring bad luck all day.

The luckiest colors for garters are white, blue and black. The wearers of yellow garters will lose a friend within a year.

# FOR EQUAL FRANCHISE

## Suffragists Plan to Form Organization in New Jersey.

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### Plainfield, Newark, Jersey City, Trenton, Oranges and Other Cities to Be Represented.

Although announced to take place tomorrow, the first meeting to form a State branch of the Equal Franchise Society in New Jersey will not be held in Hoboken until next week, and possibly not until a still later date. The meeting will be held at the home of Richard Stevens, Castle Point, one of the most historical and one of the best known residences in the entire State.

As soon as the New Jersey State branch is organized it is the plan of the prominent men and women interested in it to establish societies in the principal cities and towns of the State. It is likely that the first offspring of the State branch will be in Plainfield, Hoboken, the Oranges, Newark, Jersey City, Atlantic City and Trenton.

The announcement that the meeting would not be held tomorrow was made yesterday at the headquarters of the Equal Franchise Society, in the Metropolitan Insuranee Building in New York, where it was also stated that Mrs. Clarence H. Mackay, president of the society, would preside at the meeting and that Joseph O'Brien, chairman of the organization committee of the society, would attend and in all probably would deliver an address.

The Equal Franchise Society plans to establish tributary organizations or sub-ordinate branches in every State in the country. New Jersey will be honored by having the first of these tributary societies.

Many prominent men and women in New Jersey are now deeply interested in the suffrage movement, and several will participate in the work—to be started at Castle Point for the establishment of a New Jersey branch of the Equal Franchise Society. Mrs. Everett Colby, wife of Senator Everett Colby, leader of the New Idea party and himself an avowed friend of the suffragists, together with Mrs. Alexander, of Castle Point, and Mrs. Decker, of Jersey City, are enrolled in the cause of the Equal Franchise Society. Mrs. Giddings, of Atlantic City, daughter-in-law of Professor Giddings, of Columbia University, and several women prominent in Trenton are associated in the movement.

It is likely that Mrs. Clara V. Laddy, of Arlington, president of the Woman's Suffrage Association of New Jersey, will be asked to attend the meeting at Castle Point. It is the aim of the Equal Franchise Society to work in harmony with all other clubs having for their object votes for women. The Rev. Anna Howard Shaw, president of the National Woman's Suffrage Association, has indorsed the plan of the Equal Franchise Society to extend branches into all the States in the Union.

According to the laws of the Equal Franchise Society a branch may be formed in any State upon the application of seven persons for a charter and the payment of $10. The presidents of these State branches will form an advisory board of the national or parent organization.

### WANTS HUSBAND TO KEEP HIS AGREEMENT.

Trenton, Jan. 18.—Mrs. Rosalie G. Dalsimer has begun suit in the Court of Chancery to compel her husband, Alphonse Dalsimer, of Newark, to fulfill the terms of an agreement entered into last July, under which he bound himself to contribute $30 a week to his wife for the support of herself and her daughter Elsa. According to the bill, the agreement was entered into after Dalsimer had made several attempts to induce his wife to sign articles of separation. This, Mrs. Dalsimer avers, she always refused to do, declaring that for her own sake and that of her children she wished to continue living with her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalsimer were married in Savannah in 1887, and have since lived in Philadelphia, Newark and other parts of the country to which the husband's business took him. They have two children, Louis and Elsa, the latter being eighteen years old. During the latter part of 1908 Dalsimer is alleged to have first broached the subject of a separation from his wife upon the ground that he had ceased to care for her. Since then he has brought the subject up several times, according to the bill, and has always been met with a refusal on the part of his wife. It is said, however, that Dalsimer left his home and contributed only irregularly to the support of his wife up to the time of the agreement of last July.

The husband continued the payments of $30 a week until the first of November, when he allowed them to become in arrears. Assemblyman Duane E. Minard was trustee under the terms of the agreement. It is set forth in the bill that Mr. Minard has been frequently appealed to to take action against Dalsimer to compel the making of payments, but has refused to do so. The bill to enforce specific performance was filed by Cortlandt Parker, Jr., counsel for Mrs. Dalsimer.

# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

### BOUND BROOK AND VICINITY.

The January meeting of Camp Middlebrook Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, will be held this afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. E. Rogers, near Bound Brook.

C. C. Winberg, of New York, is spending some time at the home of his son and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harry Winberg, in Elizabeth street, South Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Comly Wilson, of Newtown, Pa., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Martha Wilson, to J. Addison Van Doren, of Bound Brook.

Mrs. J. Larrison Agnew, of Trenton, spent the past week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. A. S. Newbury, in West Franklin street, Bound Brook.

W. H. Whiting and family, of Bound Brook, have gone to New York, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

Miss Alice Terhune, of Mountain avenue, Bound Brook, is spending a week with relatives and friends at Hopewell and vicinity.

The eighty-fifth birthday anniversary of Lewis P. Clark will be celebrated at his home, 203 East Second street, tomorrow.

David Cavalear is recovering from an attack of pneumonia at his home in Montgomery street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Harry Giles is suffering with intermittent fever at her home in Beachwood Heights.

### SOMERVILLE.

The new armory of Company M will be formally opened with a dance on Friday evening, January 21. Invitations have already been issued by a committee of the company consisting of Lieutenant Joseph V. Woodruff, Sergeant John D. Brant and Corporal Frank L. Brokaw.

George A. Gaston, son of John G. Gaston, head of the firm of John G. Gaston & Co., has taken an interest in the business, and will be associated with his father in conducting it.

Frederick A. Pope has purchased the property on East Cliff street formerly owned by the late G Spencer Van Cleef. He expects to occupy it with his family in the spring.

Rev. A. A. Pfansteihl, pastor of the Second Reformed church, preached Sunday morning on "The Church's Strength," and in the evening in "Saving the Lost."

Miss Laura Couse entertained the History Club yesterday afternoon at her home on East Cliff street.

Miss Elizabeth Littell, of East Orange, spent Sunday with the Misses Porter, on West Cliff street.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

### CHRISTIAN FIELD

Rev. Theodore Beck, of Brooklyn, will preach at the Danish Lutheran services to be held at the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

The young women of the Lutheran church will give supper at the church Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, January 25 and 26. They call it a Dutch supper and intend serving everything in Holland style.


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### DIED

RANDOLPH—On Sunday, January 16, 1910, Isaac S. Randolph, aged 62 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1125 West Front street, on Wednesday, January 19, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 17 2

BAGLIN—On Monday evening, Jan. 17, 1910, Margaret J., wife of James Baglin.

Funeral from her late residence, 4 Stone street, North Plainfield, Thursday morning, Jan. 20, at 8:30 and from St. Joseph's R. C. church at 9 o'clock, where a requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul. 1 18 2

## Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 9. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

### Situations Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man wishes office position, capable of taking entire charge, thorough knowledge of office work; also experienced business correspondence with own typewriter, good add writer; low salary to start; Plainfield or vicinity. Address Energetic, care Press. 1 14 8

### Miscellaneous.

SLEIGH loads taken out, 50 cents each, for 10 or more, afternoon or evening. 142 Duer street. 1 17 3

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Young girl for housework and errands; no washing or cooking; sleep home; wages $10. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Young lady stenographer and office assistant; salary small to start; state age and qualifications. Address in own handwriting, A. M. C., care Daily Press office. 1 18 2

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

COMPETENT woman for general housework in small family; small house; laundry is sent out; man cleans one day a week; $25 a month Address Box 94, care Press. 1 13 12

WANTED—Laundress at Groszman school, Johnston's Drive. Apply at school. 1 15 3

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at 91 Mercer avenue after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Operators on ladies' muslin underwear; also few learners. Schiller Brothers, 320 West Front St. 1 14 4

WANTED—Experienced laundress on Tuesdays to iron; references. 1126 Martine avenue. 1 17 3

GIRL wanted for general housework. Call 433 East Seventh street. 1 17 3

WANTED—Cook and laundress; white preferred. Call 42 Washington avenue. 1 18 2

WANTED—White girl for general housework. 331 East Seventh St. 1 18 5

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 414 West Eighth St. 1 18 2

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

FIRST-CLASS operater wanted for dressmaking. 431 West Sixth St. 1 18 3

WANTED—A white girl for general housework. Apply 835 Kensington avenue. 1 18 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined young lady would like position as housekeeper where maid is kept, willing to assist; no objection to children; would take entire charge or would take charge of bachelor apartments. For full particulars and references address Princeton, care Daily Press. 1 17 3

FIRST-CLASS laundress wants work to do out by the day. Address Laundress, care Press. 1 18 3

WANTED—A refined young lady living at home, compelled to seek position, would like care of one or two children over two years; very best personal references; salary $20 and $22. Address M. M. C., Plainfield Press office. 1 17 3

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Norwood avenue, 80x179; will sell all or part. Inquire 60 Norwood. 1 17 6

FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

HOUSE for sale, 7 rooms; all improvements; hot water heat; nice location. Address T. J. Maher, 421 Sycamore street. 1 17 3

STOVES for sale; two fine heaters and one cooking; almost new. Call 310 Watchung Ave. 1 11 3 eod

FOR SALE—Brown mare, 4 years old. Address C. T. B., care Daily Press. 1 17 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED—Bright boy for office work. Apply in own hand writing, stating wages expected. P. O. Box 600. 1 17 2

PATTERN makers wanted; good wages, steady work. Hall Printing Press Co., Dunellen. 1 18 3

WANTED—Young man to do tracing and drafting room clerical work, and state experience. Address Quincy, Manchester, Sargent Co. 1 17 3

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 3.**

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 31 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Two new houses. Inquire at East Seventh and Richmond streets. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. Fazio, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT—Seven-room house and barn, on West Sixth street, near Liberty; rent reasonable. Enquire K. Rothberg, 505 West Third St. 1 15 3

TO LET—From April 1, five-room flat, all improvements; corner of Watchung avenue and Second street; rent $21. Charles H. Hand, owner. 1 15 3

APARTMENT to let in the Bristol. Inquire Manning Granite Works. 1 18 tf

TO LET—As we are about to move, will rent our fine corner flat at Third and Richmond streets, also a seven room house and nine room house on East Second street; all improvements. T. Callahan & Son, Third and Richmond Sts. 1 18 tf eod

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 17 6

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Yesterday, $16 in bills. Finder rewarded at this office.

LOST—Saturday, belt with silver buckle. Return to 142 DeLacy avenue; reward. 1 18 3

LOST—Tuesday, Jan. 11, vicinity Babcock building, gold watch; ten dollars reward. M. F. Nicholl, 822 Second place. 1 18 3

LOST—Brindle bull terrier, white breast, white tip on tail, wearing brass studded collar. Liberal reward and no questions asked if returned to Mrs. Snow, 134 Watchung avenue. 1 17 3

### Situations Wanted Male and Female.

MAN and wife, colored, want positions as butler and cook or to do the entire work in small family. Call at present employer's, 930 Central avenue. 1 18 2

## OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS.

Adjourned meeting of Union County Board of Freeholders, held on Wednesday, December 29, 1909, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed the following members present: Director King, Freeholders Adams, Cady, Cladek, Crane, Darby, Doane, Garrison, Haviland, Jensen, Jones, Martin, Meisel, Perry, Robison, Smith, Stephan and Wilbur—18.

Absent—Freeholders Krouse and Swain—2.

**Communications, Etc.**

December 24, 1909.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the county of Union.

Gentlemen—Owing to the continued ill health, resulting in my inability to give the time and attention which my office necessitates, I herewith tender my resignation as clerk of this board, to take effect immediately.

Thanking you for all your kindness and indulgence during my illness and regretting that I am compelled to take this step, I am,

Very sincerely,
S. RUSLING RYNO.

After a few remarks by Freeholders Cady and Wilbur, commending Mr. Ryno for his services as clerk for over sixteen years, and wishing him every success in the future, his resignation was accepted.

Director King was then elected clerk pro tem and Freeholder Cady as director pro tem.

Department of Public Roads.

December 2, 1910.

Mr. Benjamin King, Director Board of Freeholders, Rahway, N. J.

My Dear Sir—Confirming our verbal acceptance of the Washington avenue and Edgar road, Union county, on December 1, 1909, I hereby notify you, and, through you, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, that the said road has been completed to our entire satisfaction, and is therefore accepted upon the part of the State.

Very truly yours,
FREDERICK GILKYSON,
Commissioner.

December 2, 1909.

Dear Sir—Confirming our verbal acceptance of Walnut avenue and Central avenue, Union county, on December 1, 1909, I hereby notify you, and, through you, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, that the said road has been completed to our entire satisfaction and is therefore accepted upon the part of the State.

Very truly yours,
FREDERICK GILKYSON,
Commissioner.

December 14, 1909.

My Dear Sir—Confirming our verbal acceptance of Edgar road, Lennington avenue and Milton avenue, Union county, on December 7, 1909, I hereby notify you, and, through you, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, that the said road has been completed to our entire satisfaction and is therefore accepted on the part of the State.

Very truly yours,
FREDERICK GILKYSON,
Commissioner.

December 20, 1909.

My Dear Sir—Confirming our verbal acceptance of the Terrill road, Union county, on December 15, 1909, I hereby notify you, and, through you, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, that the said road has been completed to our entire satisfaction and is therefore accepted upon the part of the State.

Very truly yours,
FREDERICK GILKYSON,
Commissioner.

December 20, 1909.

My Dear Sir—Confirming our verbal acceptance of Jefferson avenue, Union county, on December 15, 1909, I hereby notify you, and, through you, the Board of Chosen Freeholders, that the said road has been completed to our entire satisfaction and is therefore accepted upon the part of the State.

Very truly yours,
FREDERICK GILKYSON,
Commissioner.

Office of the Adjutant-General.
Trenton, Dec. 20, 1909.

It is certified, That the records of this office show that the following resolution was adopted at a meeting of the State Military Board, held in this office on December 17, 1909:

"Whereas, The necessity for an armory in the city of Elizabeth, New Jersey, has been made apparent to this board; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the president appoint a committee of two members of this board, to confer with the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union county, for the purpose of selecting and purchasing a site for an armory for the use of Companies G and I, Second Infantry, at Elizabeth, in the name of the State of New Jersey, to be paid for by the Board of Freeholders of said county, in accordance with an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled 'An act to provide for the purchasing of sites for, and the erection and equipment of, armories in cities of the first and second class, and making appropriations therefor, and to provide for the taking of real estate for such sites by commission in case the same cannot be purchased by agreement.'"

The president appointed General Dennis F. Collins and Colonel Nelson Y. Dungan as the committee.

W. F. SADLER, JR.,
Adjutant-General.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and placed on file. The Director appointed Freeholders Wilbur, Meisel and Garrison the committee to confer with the above-named gentlemen.

**Committee Reports.**

December 16, 1909.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen—Your committee to settle with the County Collector would respectfully report that they have examined his books, showing his receipts and disbursements, together with his vouchers, bonds and coupons paid and bankbooks and they find the same agree and are correct in every particular.

His total receipts are $1,287,910.97; his disbursements are $1,285,739.53; leaving a balance of $2,171.44 in bank.

S. P. T. WILBUR,
JOHN CADY,
WILLIAM GARRISON,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Cladek received and placed on file.

December 28, 1909.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County:

Gentlemen—Applications for monuments to mark the graves of the following named soldiers and sailors have been made to your committee, and are respectfully submitted to the board for approval, the same have been carefully investigated by the supervisor and found to be correct. Your committee, therefore, recommend that the requests be granted.

George Witfield Drake, Hospital Steward, U. S. Navy; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth; 1842-1865.

George W. Mills, Captain A, Seventy-first Regiment, N. Y. N. G.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth; 1909.

John B. W. Bennett, B, Thirtieth N. J. Vols.; Evergreen Cemetery, Elizabeth; 1832-1907.

William H. Harris, U. S. Navy; Linden and Rosedale Cemetery, Linden; 1908.

William B. Lum, U. S. Navy; Linden and Rosedale Cemetery, Linden; 1847-1909.

Lawrence Trapp, K, Third N. J. Vols.; Rosehill Cemetery, Linden; 1817-1909.

Respectfully submitted,
J. HERVEY DOANE,
JOSEPH PERRY,
J. N. CADY,
JOHN H. STEPHAN,
Committee on Soldiers Monuments.

On motion of Freeholder Smith received and recommendation adopted without dissent.

Elizabeth, N. J., Dec. 29, 1909.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Jail Inspection would respectfully report that they have inspected the jail, also the books of the warden.

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| Number of prisoners in custody Dec. 1 | 64 |
| Number received during month | 70 |
| Number in custody Dec. 28 | 73 |
| Number of days board | 2176 |
| Cost of maintenance of jail for month of December: | |
| Groceries and provisions | $673.20 |
| Cost per day per prisoner | .3004 |

JOSEPH PERRY,
J. HERVEY DOANE,
JOHN H. STEPHAN,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Jensen received and placed on file.

**New Business.**

By Freeholder Stephan.

Resolved, That the thanks of this board are extended to Engineer Frank J. Hubbard for the beautiful pens presented to the members and officers of this board.

On motion of Freeholder Jones the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Wilbur.

Resolved, That when this board adjourns it stands adjourned to meet on Friday December 31, at 3:30 p. m.

On motion of Freeholder Haviland the resolution was adopted without dissent.

The following bills properly aduted and approved were read and on roll call unanimously ordered paid:

Court Account—C. Wagner, $227.10; T. J. Pierson, $12; T. L. Carey, $72.30; James Crann, $93; T. J. Pierson, $116; F. Tiepel, $71.05; C. Eckhardt, $65.60; J. Seeland, $65; P. V. Weever, $91.30; S. Petrus, $84; D. Ramsey, $78; G. Peek, Jr., $85.15, $15.50; H. Schoppe, $75; E. S. Atwater, $500; C. A. Swift, $31.08, $500; J. A. Gallatian, $177.30; W. Hetfield, Jr., $208.33, $27.15; P. S. Kelly, $30.50; H. VanEmburgh, $25; Courier News, $24; J. Pflueger, $33; J. J. Carey, $5; J. Gorden, $250; J. L. Bauer, $225; M. Luster, Jr., $13; Cosgrove's Detective Agency, $130; W. Wolfskeil, $100; H. Cook, $20; R. Lightfoot, $54.40, $187.50, $87.50; H. Cook, $6; R. Kirkland, $1,810.33; C. Irwin, $20, $169.50; W. Hamilton, $67.21; G. Angren, $50, $17.50.

Bridge Account—J. L. Bauer, $25; C. H. French, $25; J. L. Bauer, $5; R. Clark, $7; James Fallon, $20; E. Hietta, $6; A. M. Drake, $25; J. P. Glasby, $545.50; J. L. Bauer, $15; Brucklacher Bros., $3.85; Alex. Kerr & Son, $5.60; Lammerding & Co., $23.25; D. H. Voorhees, $118, $47.-Ditmar, $48.50ffl W. Eastman, $10; W. Kirk Company, $49.50; Ellis Baldwin, $3; J. R. Hobson, $11.65; W. E. Warner, $2,000, $750; F. J. Hubbard, $6, $15; C. H. Smith, $31.-16; Fanwood Stone Company, $23.-33, $48.63.

Election—J. Kenah, $10; Bernard Cook, $38; S. R. Clark, $31; Rahway News Herald, $214.43; Benjamin Horton, $23; J. McCarthy, $30, $8; Netherwood Realty Company, $38; A. J. Littel, $8.

Coroner—J. J. Engle, $50.

Jail Account—Hildebrandt Company, $50.41; Central Beef Co., $53.-220, $63.11; R. T. Potts, $35, $71.-25; J. Brokaw, $19.90; H. J. Schmidt $6.95; W. C. Tubbs, $7.44; A. C. Stein, $22.75; C. Dodd, $125, $5.69; Fanny Dodd, $30; J. Dyer, $60; F. Kraus, $60; M. A. Shangle, $62.50.

Children's Guardian—N. J. State Board, $23.38.

Publication — Elizabeth Revue, $31.25.

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Freeholder Darby moved to adjourn, which was carried.

The Director pro tem declared the board adjourned until Friday, December 31, 1909, at 2:30 p. m.

Signed, BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk Pro Tem.

## N. Y. AMUSEMENTS.

Chauncey Olcott in "Ragged Robin," at the Academy of Music, New York. Two weeks commencing Jan. 24. Matinee Wednesday and Saturday. Five new songs, sung in his inimitable way, was the occasion for demonstration of the popularity in St. Louis of Chauncey Olcott, at the production of his new play, "Ragged Robin," at the Century last season. "The Eyes That Come From Ireland," "Sweet Girl of My Dreams," and "The Laugh With a Tear in It," seemed to be the favorites, but "I You'll Remember Me" and "I Used to Believe in Fairies," lacked no appreciation. In a plot, filled with romance, the pretty lore traditions of Ireland have an important part, so far as they concern "the little people," the Fairy being who, for good or ill, influence the lives of man or woman. In "Ragged Robin" their ability in both directions is shown. The last act is made very effective by the stage setting, the pursuit of the Will O' the Wisp and the dance of "the little people" in the Fairy circle. The sunrise on the Peat Bog leads to a climax where all ends well. Mr. Olcott's voice seems to grow stronger every season, and the audience just swallow every note that comes from his throat. This will be the last time Mr. Olcott will be seen in "Ragged Robin" in New York.

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Miss Elizabeth sat beneath the arbor at the other end of the courtyard, and beside her stood the trim and glossy bay saddle horse that she had ridden from Quesnay, his head outstretched above his mistress to paddle at the vine leaves with a tremulous upper lip.

An expression in the lady's attitude and air which I instinctively construed as histrionic seemed intended to convey that she had been kept waiting, yet had waited without reproach, and, although she must have heard me coming, she did not look toward me until I was quite near and spoke her

*Miss Elizabeth sat beneath the arbor, and beside her stood the saddle horse.*

name. At that she sprang up quickly enough and stretched out her hand to me.

"Run to earth!" she cried, advancing a step to meet me.

"A pretty poor trophy of the chase," said I, "but proud that you are its killer."

To my surprise and mystification her cheeks and brow flushed rosily. She was obviously conscious of it and laughed.

"Don't be embarrassed," she said.

"I!"

"Yes, you, poor man! I suppose I couldn't have more thoroughly compromised you. Mme. Brossard will never believe in your respectability again."

"Oh, yes, she will," said I.

"What! A lodger who has ladies calling upon him at 5 o'clock in the morning! But your bundle's on your shoulder," she rattled on, laughing, "though there's many could be bolder, and perhaps you'd let me walk a bit of the way with you if you're for the road."

"Perhaps I will," said I. She caught up her riding skirt, fastening it by a clasp at her side, and we passed out through the archway and went slowly along the road bordering the forest, her horse following obediently at half rein's length.

"When did you hear that I was at Mme. Brossard's?" I asked.

"Ten minutes after I returned to Quesnay late yesterday afternoon."

"Who told you?"

"Louise."

I repeated the name questioningly. "You mean Mrs. Larrabee Harman?"

"Louise Harman," she corrected. "Didn't you know she was staying at Quesnay?"

"I guessed it, though Amedee got the name confused."

"Yes; she's been kind enough to look after the place for us while we were away. George won't be back for another ten days, and I've been overseeing an exhibition for him in London. Afterward I did a round of visits—tiresome enough, but among people it's well to keep in touch with on George's account."

"I see," I said, with a grimness which probably escaped her. "But how did Mrs. Harman know that I was at Les Trois Pigeons?"

"She met you once in the forest"—

"Twice," I interrupted.

"She mentioned only once. Of course she'd often heard both George and me speak of you."

"But how did she know it was I and where I was staying?"

"Oh, that!" Her smile changed to a laugh. "Your maitre d'hotel told Ferret, a gardener at Quesnay, that you were at the inn."

"He did!"

"Oh, but you mustn't be angry with him. He made it quite all right."

"How did he do that?" I asked, trying to speak calmly, though there was that in my mind which might have blanched the parchment cheek of a grand inquisitor.

"He told Ferret that you were very anxious not to have it known— You think Louise very lovely to look at, don't you?" she asked.

"Exquisite," I answered.

"Every one does."

"I suppose she told you"—and now I felt myself growing red—"that I behaved like a drunken acrobat when she came upon me in the path?"

"No. Did you?" cried Miss Elizabeth, with a ready credulity which I thought by no means pretty. "Louise said that she wished she could have had a better look at what you were painting."

"Heaven bless her!" I exclaimed. "Her reticence was angelic."

"Yes, she has reticence," said my companion, with enough of the same quality to make me look at her quickly. A thin line had been drawn across her forehead.

"You mean she's still reticent with George?" I ventured.

"Yes," she answered sadly. "Poor George always hopes, of course, in the silent way of his kind when they suffer from such unfortunate passions, and he waits."

"I suppose that former husband of hers recovered."

"I believe he's still alive somewhere. Locked up, I hope!" she finished crisply.

"She retained his name," I observed.

"Harman? Yes; she retained it. At all events she's rid of him."

"It's hard," I reflected aloud—"hard to understand her making that mistake, young as she was. Even in the glimpse of her I've had it was easy to see something of what she's like—a fine, rare, high type."

"But you didn't know him, did you?" Miss Elizabeth asked, with some dryness.

"No," I answered. "I saw him twice—once at the time of his accident—that was only a nightmare, his face covered with"— I shivered. "But I had caught a glimpse of him on the boulevard, and of all the dreadful"—

"Oh, but he wasn't always dreadful," she interposed quickly. "He was a fascinating sort of person, quite charming and good looking, when she ran away with him, though he was horribly dissipated even then. He always had been that. Of course she thought she'd be able to straighten him out, poor girl! She tried for three years—three years it hurts one to think of! You see, it must have been something very like a 'grand passion' to hold her through a pain three years long."

"Or tremendous pride," said I. "Women make an odd world of it for the rest of us. There was good old George, as true and straight a man as ever lived"—

"And she took the other! Yes." George's sister laughed sorrowfully.

"But George and she have both survived the mistake," I went on, with confidence. "Her tragedy must have taught her some important differences. Haven't you a notion she'll be tremendously glad to see him when he comes back from America?"

"Ah, I do hope so!" she cried. "You see, I'm fearing that he hopes so, too—to the degree of counting on it."

"You don't count on it yourself?"

She shook her head. "With any other woman I should."

"Why not with Mrs. Harman?"

"Cousin Louise has her ways," said Miss Elizabeth slowly, and, whether she could not further explain her doubts or whether she would not, that was all I got out of her on the subject at the time. I asked one or two more questions, but my companion merely shook her head again, alluding vaguely to her cousin's "ways." Then she brightened suddenly and inquired when I would have my things sent up to the chateau from the inn.

At the risk of a misunderstanding which I felt I could ill afford I resisted her kind hospitality, and the outcome of it was that there should be a kind of armistice, to begin with my dining at the chateau that evening.

"Did anybody ever tell you," was her surprising inquiry, "that you are the queerest man of these times?"

"No," I answered. "Don't you think you're a queerer woman?"

"Footle!" she cried scornfully. "Be off to your woods and your woodscaping!"

Her bay horse departed at a smart gait.

My work was accomplished after a fashion more or less desultory that day. I had many absent moments, was restless and walked more than I painted and returned to the inn earlier than usual.

While dressing I sent word to Professor Keredec that I should not be able to join him at dinner that evening.

Miss Elizabeth had the courage to take me under her wings when I arrived in acceptance of her invitation, placing me upon her left at dinner, but sprightlier calls than mine demanded and occupied her attention. At my other side sat a magnificently upholstered lady who offered a fine shoulder and the rear wall of a collar of pearls for my observation throughout the evening as she leaned forward talking eagerly with a male personage across the table. This was a prince ending in "ski." He permitted himself the slight vagary of wearing a gold bracelet, and perhaps this flavor of romance drew the lady.

The banquet was drawing to a close when Miss Elizabeth leaned toward me and spoke.

"Anne Elliott, yonder, is asking you a question," she repeated, nodding at a very pretty girl down and across the table from me. Miss Anne Elliott's attractive voice had previously enabled me to recognize her as the young woman who had threatened to serenade Les Trois Pigeons.

"I beg your pardon," I said, addressing her.

"I hear you're at Les Trois Pigeons," said Miss Elliott.

"Yes?"

"Would you mind telling us something of the mysterious Narcissus?"

"If you'll be more definite," I returned in the tone of a question.

"I mean a recklessly charming vision with a white tie and white hair and white flannels," she said.

"Oh," said I, "he's not mysterious."

"But he is," she returned. "I insist on his being mysterious, rarely, grandly, strangely mysterious! You will

*"Who and what is the glorious stranger?" she asked.*

let me think so?" This young lady had a whimsical manner of emphasizing words unexpectedly, with a breathless intensity that approached violence, a habit dangerously contagious among nervous persons, so that I answered slowly out of a fear that I might echo it.

"He's a young American, very attractive, very simple."

"But he's mad!" she interrupted.

"Oh, no!" I said hastily.

"But he is! A person told me so in a garden this very afternoon," she went on eagerly—"a person with a rake and ever so many moles on his chin. This person told me all about him. His name is Oliver Saffren, and he's in the charge of a very large doctor and quite, quite mad!"

"Jean Ferret, the gardener," I said deliberately and with venom, "is fast acquiring notoriety in these parts as an idiot of purest ray, and he had his information from another whose continuance unhanged is every hour more miraculous."

"How ruthless of you," cried Miss Elliott, with exaggerated reproach, "when I have had such a thrilling happiness all day in believing that riotously beautiful creature mad! If he isn't, why does he have an enormous doctor with him?"

"This is romance!" I retorted. "The doctor is Professor Keredec, illustriously known in this country, but not as a physician, and they are following some form of scientific research together."

The windows had been thrown open, allowing passage to a veranda. Miss Elizabeth led the way outdoors with the prince. I caught a final glimpse of Mrs. Harman, which revealed that she was looking at me with tensity, but with the movement of intervening groups I lost her. Miss Elliott pointedly waited for me until I came round the table, then attached me definitely by taking my arm, accompanying her action with a dazzling smile.

Tables and coffee were waiting on the broad terrace below, with a big moon rising in the sky. I descended the steps in charge of this pretty cavalier, allowed her to seat me at the most remote of the tables and accepted without unwillingness other gallantries of hers in the matter of coffee and cigarettes. "And now," she said—"now that I've done so much for your dearest hopes and comfort, look up at the milky moon and tell me all."

She leaned an elbow on the marble railing that protected the terrace and, shielding her eyes from the moonlight with her hand, affected to gaze at me dramatically. "Who and what is the glorious stranger?" she asked.

Resisting an impulse to chime in with her humor, I gave her so dry and commonplace an account of my young friend at the inn that I presently found myself abandoned to solitude again.

"I don't know where to go," she complained as she rose. "These other people are most painful to a girl of my intelligence, but I cannot linger by your side. Untruth long ago lost its interest for me, and I prefer to believe Mr. Jean Ferret, if that is the gentleman's name. I'd join Miss Ward and Cressie Ingle yonder, but Cressie would be indignant. I shall soothe my hurt with sweetest airs. Adieu."

With that she made me a solemn courtesy and departed, a pretty little figure, not little in attractiveness, the strong moonlight, tinged with blue, shimmering over her blond hair and splashing brightly among the ripples of her silks and laces. A moment later some chords were sounded upon a piano, which ran on into "La Vie de Boheme" and out of that into something else. I was floated off into a reverie that was like a prelude for the person who broke it. She came so quietly that I did not hear her until she was almost beside me and spoke to me. It was the second time that had happened.

CHAPTER VII.

"MRS. HARMAN," I said as she took the chair vacated by the elfin young lady, "you remember my woodland didos, I fear?"

She smiled in a pleasant, comprehending way, but neither directly replied nor made any return speech whatever. Instead she let her forearms rest on the broad railing of the marble balustrade and, leaning forward, gazed out over the shining and mysterious slopes below.

"Mr. Cresson Ingle," I hazarded, "is he an old, new friend of your cousin's? I think he was not above the horizon when I went to Capri two years ago."

"He wants Elizabeth," she returned, adding quietly, "as you've seen." And when I had verified this assumption with a monosyllable she continued, "He's an 'available,' but I should hate to have it happen. He's hard."

"He doesn't seem very hard toward her," I murmured, looking down into the garden where Mr. Ingle just then happened to be adjusting a scarf about his hostess' shoulders.

"He's led a detestable life," said Mrs. Harman, "among detestable people."

"He seems to me much of a type with these others," I said.

"Oh, they keep their surfaces about the same."

"It made me wish I had a little more surface tonight," I laughed. "I'd have fitted better. Miss Ward is different at different times. When we are alone together she always has the air of excusing or at least explaining these people to me, but this evening I've had the disquieting thought that perhaps she also explained me to them."

"Oh, no!" said Mrs. Harman, turning to me quickly. "Didn't you see? She was making up to Mr. Ingle for this morning. It came out that she had ridden over at daylight to see you, Anne Elliott discovered it in some way and told him."

"I suppose she finished her investigations. You told her all you could?"

"Almost."

"I suppose you wouldn't trust me with the reservation?" she asked, smiling.

"I would trust you with anything," I answered seriously.

"You didn't gratify that child?" she said, half laughing. Then, to my surprise, her tone changed suddenly, and she began again in a hurried low voice, "You didn't tell her"— and stopped there, breathless and troubled, letting me see that I had been right after all. This was what she wanted to talk about.

"I didn't tell her that young Saffren is mad—no—if that is what you mean."

"I'm glad you didn't," she said slowly.

"In the first place, I wouldn't have told here even if it were true," I returned, "and in the second it isn't true, though you have some reason to think it is," I added.

"I?" she said. "Why?"

"His speaking to you as he did, thing on the face of it inexcusable."

"Why did he call me 'Mme. d'Armand?'" she interposed.

I explained something of the mental processes of Amedee, and she listened till I had finished, then made me continue.

"That's all," I said blankly, but with a second thought caught her meaning. "Oh, about young Saffren, you mean?"

"Yes."

"I know him pretty well," I said, "without really knowing anything about him; but, what is stranger, I believe he doesn't really know a great deal about himself. My idea is that probably through some great illness he lost not his faculty of memory, but his memories, or at least most of them. That's all, except that there's something about the young man that draws one to him. I couldn't tell you how much I like him nor how sorry I am that he offended you."

"He didn't offend me," she murmured, almost whispered.

"He didn't mean to," I said warmly. "I am glad you understand that."

"I saw him today," she said gently. "This afternoon when I went for my walk he was waiting where the paths intersect"—

Some hasty ejaculation I do not know what, came from me, but she lifted her hand.

"Wait," she said quietly. "As soon as he saw me he came straight toward me"—

"Oh, but this won't do at all!" I broke out. "It's too bad"—

"Wait." She leaned forward. "He said he must know if he had offended me."

"You told him"—

"I told him 'No!'" And it seemed to me that her voice, which up to this point had been low, but very steady, shook upon the monosyllable. "He walked with me a little way—perhaps it was longer"—

"Trust me that it shan't happen again!" I exclaimed. "I'll see that Keredec knows of this at once. He will"—

"No, no," she interrupted quickly. "That is just what I want you not to do. Will you promise me?"

"I'll promise anything you ask me. But didn't he frighten you?"

"He didn't frighten me—not as you mean. He was very quiet and"— She broke off unexpectedly with a little pitying cry and turned to me, lifting both hands appealingly. "And, oh, doesn't he make one sorry for him!"

That was just it. She had gone straight to the heart of his mystery; his strangeness was the strange pathos that invested him; the "singularity" of "that other monsieur" was solved for me at last.

When she had spoken she rose, advanced a step and stood looking out over the valley again, her skirts pressing the balustrade. One of the moments in my life when I have wished to be a figure painter came then as she raised her arms, the sleeves, of some filmy texture, falling back from them with the gesture, and clasped her hands lightly behind her neck, the graceful angle of her chin uplifted to the full rain of moonshine.

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In discussing the question recently, one of those asked to serve did not hesitate to express his doubts as to the ability of the committee to work the problem out satisfactorily. As he put it, local rules are local rules, made to fit certain existing conditions, and who shall say that they are not there for a purpose or that they are not absolutely essential? If this codification committee decides to delve into the subject carefully it may be necessary for a personal inspection of practically all the links claiming membership in the association.

Furthermore, it is a question if meddling with certain local rules drafted by golfers in every way competent to do such work will meet with general favor. As one devotee of the game expressed it, such action might easily be misconstrued as a reflection on the ability of the club. In the opinion of many, the weakest point with regard to existing local rules lies in their lack of prominence. If more pains were taken to acquaint visiting golfers with local conditions a great deal of the trouble now experienced would be avoided.

## LOCAL GUARDSMEN'S PROGRAM A BIG ONE

Following a short drill by Company K at its armory last night, the members were divided into squads under the direction of the corporals and sergeants for instruction in military courtesy. Then a business meeting was held. It was decided to change the date for the annual fair from February 19-26 to March -12. This is done because of two important drills.

On Monday night, February 21, the company will hold its annual drill and inspection under the direction of Captain Allen, U. S. Infantry, and on Saturday afternoon, February 26, the local company will take part in a regimental drill in the armory at Trenton. This will be the first time that Company K has taken part in an afternoon affair of this character. In the evening there will be a review of the regiment by Major-General Wanser.

Captain Harry B. Kitchel informed the men last night that it had been decided that the company will go into camp next summer with the guardsmen of Pennsylvania, presumably at Mt. Gretna. This means that the company will not go to Sea Girt, but instead will have a fine opportunity for securing excellent experience in army movements. Any young men who are interested in the company or its affairs are invited to attend the weekly drills and familiarize themselves with them, and, if the yso desire, to join the company.

## VAN M. W. SUYDAM DIES AT NEW BRUNSWICK HOME

VanMarter Wyckoff Suydam, first vice president of the National Bank of New Jersey, at New Brunswick, died Sunday night at his home in that place of pleuro-pneumonia. He had been ill since Wednesday and his unexpected death was a great shock not only to the community, but to many friends in this city.

Recently, Mr. Suydam gave the Netherwood Reformed church a handsome silver communion service, while the Sunday-school class of the First Reformed church, New Brunswick, of which the late Mrs. Suydam was the teacher, gave the local church a communion table. Mrs. Suydam died suddenly last June, as she and her husband were preparing to go to Belmar for the summer, and her husband never fully recovered from the shock. He was sixty-eight years old. He and his brother for some years were partners in the grocery business. Mr. Suydam served as deacon and elder alternately of the First Reformed church, New Brunswick, for years. He was the son of John W. Suydam and was born at Middlebush. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

### GEN. BOOTH AT MORRISTOWN.

Morristown, Jan. 18.—"Service" was the theme of an address in the South Street Presbyterian church Sunday night by General Ballington Booth, of the Volunteers of America. General Booth recounted the missionary service of his own band of volunteers. Through the effort of the organization, he said, thousands of children had been gathered from the dark places in the cities and sent into the open fields of the country; more than 70,000 prisoners were leading reformed lives, and men and women saved from falling into temptations, while two millions and a half had been attracted to the open air meeting of the Volunteers.

"It's service. It's a good cause and go on with it, you workers!" said the speaker. "But I asked myself after looking over the records 'Isn't there something more?' Yes, more service. God loves true workers, and Christ-given service. From the standpoint of numbers Christ wasn't a success, for when he was led to the cross the crowd forsook Him; they fled, but it was the service He had rendered the Father; the service He had rendered you and me."

### A CALIFORNIA TRAIN KILLS PATERSONIAN.

Paterson, Jan. 18.—William Eardley, a wealthy iron contractor, residing in this city, was run over by a train in Oakland, Cal., yesterday morning, sustaining injuries which resulted, a short time afterward, in his death. Word of the accident was contained in a telegram received by John Eardley, a brother, of 416 Sussex street. Eardley was about to board a moving train when he missed his footing and slipped beneath the wheels.

Mr. Eardley left this city three months ago to start work for which he contracted in Oakland. He took his wife and three daughters with him The message received here this morning was from Mrs. Eeardly. He was forty-five years old, and besides his widow and three daughters, is survived by two brothers, John, of this city, and Frank, who lives in St. Louis.

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## NOT YET SURE THAT IT IS DANZIGER

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She will see relatives today and will have them go to New York to learn the identity of the man who killed himself there. As her husband has been absent some days, she fears that it is he.

"I'm afraid it is his body," said she last night. "The accounts in the newspapers indicate that. I hope, however, that I am mistaken. He had no reason for killing himself, as far as I know, except possibly financial troubles."

Mrs. Danziger wept as she spoke.

Danziger was proprietor of "The Fair," a local clothing store now in the hands of a receiver. Danziger is also being sued in the District Court here by several creditors.

In Danziger's pockets were found summonses to appear in the Elizabeth District Court in a civil action for claims against him amounting to $8,400 and a card with the address, 429 West Front street, this city, where Danziger formerly lived.

"The Fair" on West Front street, was closed up some time ago on an order from the District Court.

### Nurses Enjoyed Sleighride.

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C. D. VanZandt, of Watchung avenue, has returned from a three weeks' business trip in the west. He encountered plenty of snow and experienced delay in railroad travel in consequence.

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THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Thursday; not much change in temperature; light to moderate west winds. Max., 49; Min., 34.

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## SUNDAY SCHOOLS REPORT

### Local Honor Roll Announced by Union County Association.

THE STATISTICAL RECORDS.

533 Teachers and 4,617 Pupils—Average Attendance 2,843—Church Member Pupils 1,424.

According to the twenty-ninth annual report of the Union County Sunday School Association, the Sunday schools connected with the following churches and organizations here are on the honor roll, which means that they contribute more than three cents per member, including officers, teachers and pupils, to the county, State and International Sunday school work, last year:

First Presbyterian, First Baptist, Temple Baptist, Trinity Reformed, Seventh-Day Baptist, Friends, Salvation Army, Park Avenue Baptist, West End Tabernacle and Mt. Zion A. M. E. churches.

The statistical report for Plainfield shows some interesting figures as to totals as follows:

Officers and teachers in all Sunday schools, 533; pupils, 4,617; total officers, teachers and pupils, 5,150; average attendance, 2,843; home department members, 662; number of names on cradle roll, 374; training class members, 64; number of pupils to join church, 137; pupils who are church members, 1,424; contributed for county, State and international work, $103.34.

The above figures represent the following Sunday-schools:

Monroe Avenue M. E., Mt. Zion A. M. E., West End Tabernacle, Union; Church of the Heavenly Rest, Hope chapel, First Baptist, First M. E., Congregational, Seventh-Day Baptist, Mt. Olive Baptist, Calvary Baptist, Brethren, First Presbyterian, Temple Baptist, Bethel chapel, Crescent Avenue Presbyterian, Grace P. E., Park Avenue Baptist, Trinity Reformed, St. Stephens P. E., Friends, Grace Mission, colored, Salvation Army, Netherwod Reformed church. This showing is considered one of the best of any municipality in the county and is a source of pride to those at the heads of the various schools.

**"The West, Between and Beyond."**

With the mountain ranges of the Rockies and Sierra Nevada for dividing lines, Miss Clyde Burnet presented a paper on "The West, Between and Beyond," at the meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First Baptist church, yesterday afternoon. The compilation of the paper was skilful and presented in a charming manner. Miss Burnet described the States of Colorado, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah, Nevada and California, telling of their natural resources. Mrs. Wainwright led the devotional exercises.

**Wants $25,000 For Eyes.**

For the loss of his left eye and injury to his right eye, Frank Glaser, of Elizabeth, demands $25,000 damages from Frederick Bauer, and the case is being heard in the Circuit Court at Elizabeth. Bauer says it was a case of "didn't know it was loaded," and that his gun was accidentally discharged, the shot destroying the sight of Glaser's left eye. The shooting occurred on June 7.

**Massachusetts Girl Gets Job.**

Miss Ella B. Spencer, of North Adams, Mass., has received the appointment as teacher of German in the Livingstone High School, New Brunswick, at an annual salary of $800. There were twenty-six applications for the position including Miss Margaret F. Kenney, of this city.

**Equal Suffrage League to Meet.**

The Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield and North Plainfield will meet with Mrs. A. C. Nickerson, 768 Kensington avenue, Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Isaac L. Miller will present a paper on "Rights and Obligations of Citizenship."

**Hurt By a Fall.**

Charles Richter, of Lee place, fell on the icy sidewalk at the corner of Grant avenue and South Second street at 11 o'clock last night and severely injured his knee. Patrolman McDonald assisted Mr. Richter to his home.

**James Engle French.**

James Engle French, aged eleven years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. French, of 934 West Front street, died this morning, following a long illness which began with spinal meningitis. The funeral services will be private.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Kleiner at Dunellen.

## SYNDICATE PURCHASES A FARM FOR $35,000

That Dunellen farm land, situated on the line of trolley railroad, is highly valued, is brought to notice in the recent deal in which a syndicate of New Yorkers purchased the Sanford place which consists of about fifty acres. The property sold for $700 an acre, which price included all of the buildings on the tract, the total amount of the deal involving about $35,000. The deal represented the biggest real estate transaction consumated in that borough in some years.

While the purchasers of the land are reticent regarding their plans the impression prevails that the new owners made the purchase for speculative purposes and that next spring they will erect a dozen, and possibly twice that number of modern dwelling houses to cost between $4,000 and $5,000 each.

Should Dunellen decide to join hands with North Plainfield in the proposed sewerage with a reasonable amount of dispatch the new owners will not hesitate in pushing forward their plans which will mean a big increase in the valuations of that borough.

The same syndicate recently purchased the Shields' farm at Bound Brook park and is also anxious to secure the farm on the River road, between Bound Brook and New Brunswick, which is owned by J. A. Smith, of this city.

## WHERE TO GET TICKETS FOR MERCHANTS' DINNER

Tickets for the annual dinner to be given by the Merchants' Association at Truell Hall, tomorrow night, can be purchased from Theodore J. Shirley, chairman; Morris C. VanArsdale, Herman Schwed, Albert Lohrman, F. A. Duttenhofer and Robert H. Barnard. The dinner will be served promptly at 7 o'clock and the committee has made special arrangements for extra trolley cars to leave the hall between 11:30 and 12 o'clock.

William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, will be the toastmaster, and the speakers of the evening will be Job. E. Hedges, and John W. Beach, of New York. Toasts will be responded to by Mayor Charles Joel Fisk, of this city; Mayor Newton B. Smalley, of North Plainfield, and several others.

## NUGENT FOR WILSON FOR THE PRESIDENCY

James Nugent, chairman of the Democratic State Committee of New Jersey, said yesterday that this State would send a delegation to the next Democratic National Convention pledged to the nomination of Woodrow Wilson, of Princeton, for the Presidency.

"Woodrow Wilson is, without doubt, the most popular Democrat in the East," said Mr. Nugent, "not alone because of his broad political views, but for his high intellectual calibre as well. As the Democratic candidate for President he would sweep the country, for the chaotic condition of the Republicans at Washington means a Democratic victory in 1912."

Mr. Nugent would not discuss the probability of Mr. Wilson being the Democratic candidate for Governor of New Jersey next fall. "Personally," he said, "I am in favor of the nomination of Frank Katzenbach, Jr., of Trenton." The latter was defeated by Governor Fort two years ago.

**Mrs. Chickering Improving.**

Mrs. Virginia Chickering, of Madison avenue, who was severely burned a few days ago while cleaning some articles of clothing with gasolene, continues to improve slowly. Practically all of the hair was burned off her head, and besides her face, arms and hands were burned. At first it was thought that her eyesight would be impaired, but there is now no danger of that and her recovery is only a matter of time.

**Day Nursery Birthday.**

The annual birthday tea and reception of The Day Nursery will be held at the nursery Wednesday afternoon, January 26, and all friends of the work are cordially invited to attend and bring something for the store-house. This work is growing rapidly and there is need for greater support on the part of Plainfielders.

**Alumni Association Dance.**

An entertainment and dance under the auspices of the alumni association of College of Mt. St. Mary, will be held at the Park Club on Thursday night, January 27.

## PUBLIC EDUCATION IDEAS

### Arithmetic Taught Before Pupils Can Grasp the Subject.

SAYS PROFESSOR W. S. MUNROE.

Some Sensible and Timely Advice Given to City and Borough Public School Teachers.

Professor Will S. Munroe, of the faculty of the State Normal School at Montclair, in an address to city and borough school teachers at the high school auditorium yesterday afternoon gave some instructive suggestions on the "Cultivation of Imagination" among school pupils.

In the opinion of Professor Munroe advanced arithmetic is being taught nowadays when the minds of the pupils are not capable of grasping the subject. He suggested that the study be put further on in the curriculum. Fourteen years is the proper age, according to his idea, for children to take up the advanced grades of this study.

"A child can learn more in tw or three weeks in arithmetic at the age of fourteen, than in two or three years, if the start in this study is made too early," declared Professor Munroe.

In citing some of his observations made in his visits to noted schools of Germany and France, Professor Munroe stated that in the study of music, in the German schools especially, there is much stress laid in the cultivation of imagination. "All Americans think about," said Professor Munroe, "is the notes, melody and voice culture, and we don't try to make the pupils imagine what they are singing about."

In another reference to the arithmetic problem, Professor Munroe declared that in German and French schools a course in geometry always precedes advanced arithmetic and algebra. At this point of his address the speaker urged the adoption of a course in geometry by American instructors to take priority over the usual courses of advanced arithmetic.

American teachers, he said, should recognize the existence of the imaginative power. To his mind, children at twelve years of age should be taught no science. It is not the proper time as children at that age, the speaker said, delight in reading history, poetry and literature. At fourteen, he said, their love for stories decrease, and the youthful minds become more adapted to exact science.

"Pupils who can hold before them a clear picture," added Professor Munroe, "can solve it much quicker than pupils who have no imagination."

**ANNUAL REPORT OF CITY JUDGE RUNYON.**

City Judge William N. Runyon believes in tempering justice with mercy as indicated in his annual report to the mayor and Common Council. That the judge is imbued with a soft heart and leans toward leniency is shown that that in the 910 cases which came before him, in 495 cases he suspended sentence.

During the year he fined 130; 86 were committed to the county jail; 88 were placed on probation; 56 were held for the grand jury; 2 were held for the juvenile court; 16 complaints were dismissed; 2 were held under bonds; 24 were transferred to other departments; 11 cases are still pending.

The total amount collected from fines was $745.50 and the disbursements were $138.55.

**Arthur White Talmadge.**

The body of Arthur White Talmadge, who died at Prescott, Ariz., on Monday, January 10, arrived here last night, and the announcement of the funeral arrangements will be made later. Mr. Talmadge was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Talmadge, of Belvidere avenue, and he went to Prescott in June of last year for his health.

**Dr. Paul W. Harrison Coming.**

Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, has received word that Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison, the church missionary to Arabia, was the guest of his mother at Grand Rapids, Mich., last Sunday and he is expected to reach Plainfield today or tomorrow.

**Y. W. C. A. Exhibition.**

The exhibition and basketball game by the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium classes will be held at the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium Monday night, January 31, at 8 o'clock. There will also be folk dances in costume.

**Sesame Club Meeting.**

The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. E. H. Foster, 337 East Seventh street.

## MISS MARY E. BROUWER, OF PISCATAWAY, DEAD

Miss Mary E. Brouwer, daughter of the late Samuel and Sarah Brouwer, died yesterday at her late home in Piscataway township in her fifty-sixth year. The funeral service will be conducted at her late home on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and interment will be made on the following day at Evergreen Cemetery, Brooklyn. Miss Brouwer at the time of her death, was a member of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church and secretary of the Ladies' Aid Society of that congregation. She had been ill since Christmas, heart trouble and complications being the cause of death.

## AUDIENCE SMALL AT ORCHESTRA'S CONCERT

The concert given at the Y. M. C. A. last night was not well attended owing to the storm, but the quality of the music was deserving of a better audience. Mr. Korff's orchestra never played better and the applause was spontaneous and hearty.

Mrs. A. B. Price, of Westfield, sang instead of Miss Laura Gesswein, who was ill, and Mrs. Harry DeMeza and Mrs. Ida Randolph Hilliard alternated at the piano with the orchestra and other accompaniments.

Von Suppe's overture and the Polish National Dance were the instrumental pieces which captivated the audience, the weird, but beautiful melody of the latter being particularly well done. Harold Jacobs rendered several baritone solos in an acceptable manner and received the usual encores.

Because of the small attendance Mr. Korff will repeat the program on next Thursday night. He said that last night's performance was merely a rehearsal, so if the concert of next Thursday equals the rehearsal then all who attend will have a treat.

## FOUNTAIN PENS TABOOED; SPOIL PUPILS' WRITING

Modern methods of writing were given a jolt by the Westfield Board of Education last night, when a resolution was passed placing the use of fountain pens by pupils in any of the schools under a ban. This action was taken upon receiving a report from teachers and principals, who assert that the writing of children using fountain pens is not up to the standard of the other children.

This was found to be the case particularly in the High School, where the use of such pens has been widespread, and but remnants of the style of writing taught in the grammar grades are to be found. The teachers believe this condition due to the haste and consequent carelessness made possible by fountain pens.

The school commissioners also said that if the return to old-fashioned pens does not correct defects in the children's writing, they will introduce a course of penmanship into the curriculum of the High School. They believe, however, that the teachers have located the cause of the poor handwriting of the school children.

**Funeral of Ex-Gov. Werts.**

The funeral of former Governor George T. Werts was held at his home, No. 275 Union street, Jersey City, today, at 9:30 a. m. The services were private. The four ex-governors, the personal staff of Governor Werts, Vice-Chancellor Pitney, Robert S. Foote and State Treasurer Daniel S. Voorhees acted as honorary pallbearers. The body was taken on the train leaving Hoboken at 12:15 o'clock, and was met at Morristown at 1:25 p. m. and taken to the Morristown Evergreen Cemetery.

**Mrs. William H. Yarrow Dead.**

Mrs. Emma G. Yarrow, widow of the late Rev. Dr. William H. Yarrow, of Verona, known as "the father of the Primitive Methodist Church of America," died Monday evening at the home of her son, Dr. George G. Yarrow, in Belleville, her death being attributed to grief over the death of her husband a few weeks ago. Mrs. Yarrow was seventy-two years old. She leaves eleven children.

**Shower for Bride-Elect.**

Miss Marguerite Campbell, of Rockview avenue, gave a handkerchief shower at her home Monday afternoon for Miss Ethel Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr., whose marriage to William Barlow, Jr., of Prospect place, takes place tomorrow night. There were about twenty guests, and the affair was a delightful one.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## SMALL VERDICT FOR HIM

### Robert Dixon Who Sued P. S. C. for $5,000 is Awarded $976 by Jury.

DAMAGES FOR HIS INJURIES.

Hit By Trolley Car, Plaintiff Claimed That He Lost Sight of Eye and Became Deaf.

The $5,000 damage suit brought by Robert Dixon, a pipe fitter of this city, against the Public Service Corporation, which was begun before Judge Vail in the Union County Court, yesterday, was given to the jury at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and in a short time a verdict for $976 was given Dixon.

Yesterday the action developed into simply the question of deciding the damages and Mr. Clark, in order to save time, admitted liability. The suit was brought to recover damages alleged to have been received by Dixon last May, when he was struck by a trolley car at West Front street and Grant avenue and injured.

When hit by the car he was thrown to the street and his face was severely cut and bruised. Since the accident he has been deaf in his left ear, which previous to that time had been affected but had been cured. The plaintiff claims that with his left eye he can see only objects straight ahead of him.

Dixon received his injuries in a peculiar way. He had alighted from a car on which he had ridden from New Brunswick at Grant avenue in Plainfield, and after lighting a cigarette started across the street. He allowed a car going in an opposite direction to the one he left to pass him. The car struck a switch and the front trucks turned into West Front street but the rear trucks shot off at right angles in Grant avenue. When the rear of the car swung around Dixon was still in the street, and was struck on the side of the head and knocked senseless. He was picked up and taken to his home. He did not regain consciousness until the following morning, the accident having happened at 5:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

Craig A. Marsh represented Dixon and Alvah A. Clark the P. S. C.

**HUNTERDON SENATOR MAKES NOVEL RECORD.**

Senator Gebhardt, of Hunterdon, has the distinction of thus far offering the longest and shortest bills offered in the Senate. The shortest one reads in full as follows: "The use of voting machines in this State is hereby abolished." The longest one consists of several thousand words seeking to establish a Public Utility Commission which will have absolute and unlimited control over all kinds of utility corporations operating in the State.

Another bill by Mr. Gebhardt echoed an issue of the last Presidential campaign. If passed it would require local banks to pay into the State treasury a sum to take care of the losses brought about by insolvent banks. It is modeled after the Oklahoma Bank Guarantee Deposit Bill. Senate Bill No. 8, by Mr. Gebhardt, seeks the same object which Assemblyman Moore, of Passaic, proposes to inculcate in a bill which he will introduce next Monday night. It makes the question of negligence and contributory negligence a question of fact to be determined by the jury in trials for damages in railroad or trolley accidents instead of leaving the question to the presiding judge, as now provided.

**Two At 74 Become One.**

James Mulraney, a widower, seventy-four years old, a contractor and former constable, and Mrs. Virginia Longstreet, a widow of the same age, were quietly married yesterday at the First Methodist parsonage, Hackensack, by the Rev. Samuel K. Doolittle.

**Daughter Finds Father Dead.**

When Miss Ella Bastedo went to call her father yesterday at their home, No. 86 Steuben street, East Orange, she found him dead in bed. He had succumbed to a sudden attack of heart disease. Mr. Bastedo was a native of Kingston, N. J. He leaves three sons and two daughters.

**Rev. E. O. Wilson in Charge.**

Rev. E. O. Wilson, of Newark, who preached at the Park Avenue Baptist church, last Sunday, expects to be present at the prayer meeting in the church this evening and conduct the service.

**Miss Kipsey Not Ill.**

A report got in circulation on Monday that Miss Myrtle Kipsey, of Jackson avenue, was confined to her home with diphtheria. Miss Kipsey's father said today that Miss Kipsey is not ill.

## JOHN WHITNEY BAKER BECOMES A BENEDICT

John Whitney Baker, son of Mrs. John T. Baker, of this city, and Miss Theodora Prieth Faber, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Faber, of Riverside drive, New York, were married yesterday afternoon at All Souls' church, New York, by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Thomas Slicer. There was a large number of guests both to witness the ceremony and at the reception held afterwards at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride wore a costume of white satin with point lace and orange blossoms and was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Faber, as maid of honor. The Misses Gertrude Mills, Ruth Miller, Isabel Goodnow, Ethel Hamilton, Helen VanDuzen, Adrienne Fick, of New York, were the bridesmaids.

Howard Peake, of New York, was the best man and the ushers were Willard Wadsworth, R. S. Rowland and Howard Beebe, of this city; Herbert Mills, Marshall Mills, William Bours, Lodolph Conklin and Weld Stevens, of New York.

After a wedding trip the couple will reside in New York, where the groom is engaged in the marine insurance business, having succeeded his father. He is a graduate of Princeton University; prominent as a golfer, a member of the Plainfield Country Club and other social organizations.

## YOUTHFUL RUNAWAYS IN THE POLICE COURT

John Taylor and Robert Turk, two Philadelphia boys, seventeen years old, were taken from a train at the North Avenue depot at 2 o'clock this morning by Patrolman Saunders on complaint of the conductor of the train. The boys were attempting to beat their way to New York.

The boys told a story of having been laid off from their respective places of employment in Philadelphia, and said they were on their way to New York in search of employment. As they had not eaten anything they were furnished with breakfast and Judge Runyon let them go. Both boys had the appearance of being honest and were neat in appearance.

## WILLIAM H. STAHL DIES AFTER A LONG ILLNESS

William R. Stahl, a native of the borough, but who has resided in Philadelphia for the last six years, died early this morning after an illness of twelve weeks. He was thirty-seven years of age and death had been expected for several weeks. Mr. Stahl had been ill for about twenty years with abscesses which finally resulted in tuberculosis. In the borough he followed the vocation of a sign painter and was engaged at the same work in the Quaker City.

Surviving him are a wife and a two year old daughter; a mother, Mrs. Sophia Stahl, of Grove street; three brothers, Councilman Julius J. Stahl, Chris. H. Stahl and Charles F. Stahl, of the borough; two sisters, Mrs. Catharine Coddington, of Westfield, and Mrs. Mary Wilson, of Roselle.

Councilman Stahl went to Philadelphia today to make arrangements for the funeral, notice of which will be made tomorrow.

**MISS OSTROM'S WEDDING TAKES PLACE TONIGHT.**

Miss Marguerite Summerbell Ostrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Ostrom, of Albert street, and Raymond Morrow Smith, son of H. Craig Smith, of Madison avenue, will be married this evening at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents by Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, of the First Baptist church.

Owing to the recent death of the groom's mother, the number of guests will be limited to relatives and intimate friends, about seventy-five being invited.

**Special Musical Service.**

There will be a special musical service at the Salvation Army tomorrow night at 8 o'clock, conducted by Martin A. Korff. The service will be of special interest and will consist of vocal and instrumental music with a ospel talk. Mr. Korff will be assisted by several of his local friends and a profitable time is looked for. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## CODINGTON MAY ESCAPE

### Warren Township Treasurer Takes Advantage of Non Vult Pleas.

ONLY A FINE IS EXPECTED.

Sentence Is Deferred, But It Is Believed the Defendant Will Not Be Sent to Prison.

Joel Codington, treasurer of Warren township and also of the Somerset County Board of Freeholders, appeared before Judge Louis E. Schenck in the Somerset Court at Somerville yesterday, and pleaded non vult to two indictments charging him with unlawfully appropriating the funds of Warren township and of counselling and aiding others unlawfully to obtain the funds of the township. Sentence was deferred, but it is believed that Codington will escape being sent to State prison, and will get off with a fine.

Codington's administration was first investigated by order of Justice Charles W. Parker, of the Supreme Court, on the application of a number of residents of Warren, who charged that he was misappropriating the funds of the township. The investigation adduced overwhelming evidence of Codington's guilt and showed a big shortage in his accounts.

## LAYMEN TO ADVANCE FORWARD MOVEMENT

Thursday night laymen representing all the evangelical churches in this city will meet at the Y. M. C. A. to make arrangements for a meeting in connection with the Laymen's Missionary Movement to take place on Friday, January 28. The place for this meeting will be announced later.

Some of the laymen most prominent in the recent movement in New York and at the convention held there will be secured for this occasion, and it is believed that it will be the greatest men's gathering ever held in this city.

Meetings of a similar character have been held at Paterson, New Brunswick, Passaic, Jersey City and in other cities of the State and in many cities in New England. The purpose is the evangelization of the world and is an outgrowth of the movement started by Rev. Dr. Ford C. Ottman, Rev. Dr. Chapman and the Evangelist Alexander a year ago. Astounding results have attended the work among men everywhere.

**Hearing On This License.**

Judge Atwater has designated Tuesday, February 1, as the date for the hearing in the case of William Curry, of Berkeley Heights, who applied at the January term of court to conduct an inn and tavern at that place. It is understood that Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., counsel for Fanwood township, will oppose the granting of the license in behalf of the residents of the latter community.

**To Help Form Dunellen Board.**

William Jeffery, president of the Board of Trade, has been invited to a meeting at Dunellen Thursday, January 20, to assist in the formation of the contemplated board of trade at that place. Mr. Jeffery stated today that it is the purpose of the officers of the local board to help out all nearby municipalities in movements to secure improvements.

**Judgment Against Danziger.**

Judge Whittemore, of the Elizabeth District Court, gave judgment on Monday to Miron & Lisson, furniture dealers of Elizabeth, for $156.75 against David Danziger, the proprietor of "The Fair," a corporation with stores at Elizabeth, Plainfield and other places. Danziger committed suicide Sunday night at the Occidental Hotel, New York.

**Alexander McKelvey.**

Alexander McKelvey, of Boonton, aged forty-five, died last night after a long illness. He was a brother of Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey and a son of the Rev. Alexander McKelvey, of Boonton. The funeral will take place at Morristown tomorrow morning.

**To Lecture on Panama.**

Charles L. Lewis will give an illustrated lecture on Panama in Y. M. C. A. hall Tuesday night, July 25. Mr. Lewis gathered the material for his lecture while on the Lehinus with the Lotus Glee Club during the summer of 1907.

**K. of P. Euchre Party.**

Crescent Company, No. 13, Uniformed Rank, K. of P., will hold a progressive euchre party on Tuesday night, February 1, in Coward's hall.

Rug and Drapery Department—Visit this department on the 2nd floor. The prices we quote on fine rugs and draperies will prove a revelation.

# A. E. Force & Co

"THE WHITE STORE"

WE GIVE "S.&H." THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY. Premium Parlor on 3rd Floor. GREEN TRADING STAMPS.

In the Millinery Department—Several lines of trimmed and untrimmed Hats that will not be carried over. Cost is not considered during this clearance Sale.

## The Jan. Clearance Sale Continues With Added Enthusiasm

This great crowd-bringing Clearance Sale of 1910 has created quite a stir among thrifty buyers in this community. Never has there been offered such remarkable values in Dress Goods, Silks, and Ladies' Coats and Suits. Tomorrow we start afresh in presenting for your consideration values in these two lines, that are positively beyond the reach of ordinary competition. No goods carried over from one season to another, no matter what the sacrifice. Come early and get the choicest bargains.

## Wonderful Half Price Sale Silks & Dress Goods

We have gathered together almost our entire stock of seasonable, fashionable Dress Fabrics and placed them on our centre aisle bargain tables at

### JUST HALF PRICE.

The lot consists of Broadcloths, Serges, Cheviots, Henriette, Cashmere, Voile, Etamine, Plaids, Checks, Stripes and numerous fancy weaves.

### COME WHILE THEY LAST.

The opportunity is a rare one, for it may not occur again in years; the price values rage from 50c to 2.00. All will go at just **HALF PRICE.**

## Half Price Sale of Silks

The great sale of Silks has created a sensation, values unprecedented. These goods are also placed on centre aisle bargain tables for quick choosing. They consist of all kinds of plain and fancy Silks, and are the greatest bargains the ladies of this community ever saw. Anything on the table just **HALF** the marked price.

**In connection with this sale we advertise today bargains in this great Clearance Sale abound throughout the entire store. Don't miss this event.**

**The Muslin Underwear, White Goods and Shirt Waist Sale is still booming. Stocks are again complete for this week's rush.**

## Remarkable Half Price Sale Ladies' Suits & Coats

This stock represents a line of garments made by one of the foremost manufacturers in New York. They are this season's cleverest styles, made of high-class materials, but the verdict is—none carried over—therefore they must go at **HALF PRICE.**

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| 20.00 Tailored Suits now - - | 10.00 |
| 25.00 " " " - - | 12.50 |
| 30.00 Superior Tailored Suits now | 15.00 |
| 35.00 High-grade Suits now - - | 17.50 |

## Ladies' Black and Colored Coats

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| 10.00 Coats, plain and mixed, for - | 5.00 |
| 15.00 Covert and Black Coats for - | 7.50 |
| 19.00 High-class Coats for - - - | 9.98 |
| 30.00 Superior Grade Coats for - - | 15.00 |

One lot of Misses' and Children's Coats in plain and mixtures will also be offered at **HALF PRICE.**

10 Tailored Suits, odd lot, in black and colors, that sold from 7.50 to 12.00; will be sold tomorrow for - - - - - **2.98**

# The Record for 1909

shows increased business in every department of

# FIDELITY TRUST CO.,

NEWARK, N. J.

**The desirability of this Trust Company in all its various relationships toward the public is continually being demonstrated.**

**Banking Department**
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*Detailed statement will be published later.*

STORE CLOSES DAILY 5:30 P. M.; SATURDAYS 10 P. M.

# L. S. Plaut & Co

"BEE HIVE." New Jersey's Shopping Centre, NEWARK.

## A Special January Sale Feature

VERY DECIDED SAVINGS ON

## NEW LINGERIE & NET DRESSES

A magnificent showing, comprehending the most advanced conceptions of the leading French and American style creators. And as an incentive to early buyers those desiring a new creation in party or threatre frock, or those preparing for Southern trips, **we will quote prices on a number of them materially lower than those that will prevail when the season opens.**

**$10.00 Beautiful Lingerie Dresses**—A dress you would not care to attempt to make for this price to say nothing of the materials, one dress is horizontally trimmed with rows of lace and edging, has round yoke of lace and insertion and edged, entirely new sleeve and skirt; another with waist arranged most pleasingly with lace and insertions, back also trimmed, flounce skirts .... **$7.50**

**$7.50 Semi-Princess Lingerie Dresses**—A dress with panel front, semi-princess, the belt extending each side to the panel, Gibson shoulder effect, edged with lace, neat yoke, sleeve and skirt tastefully trimmed, exceedingly wide skirt, trimmed with tucks in clusters, you'll marvel at the value, at ..... **$5**

**$5.00 and $6.00 Batiste Lingerie Dresses**—You'll say when inspecting these, that they are the biggest $3.98 value you ever saw. Made with same care as those selling at five times the price; fine batiste, elaborately lace trimmed, centre with lace and insertions arranged horizontally and graduating to waistline, front and back lace trimmed and has graduating bretelles from shoulder to waist; special at ..... **$3.98**

**Dainty Silk Princess Slips**—White pink, light blue, lavender, and corn are the prevailing colors to be used with the new lingerie dresses. Here is a model with two full ruffles and a heading, lace edge neck and arm holes, at ..... **$3.98**

**$24.00 to $40.00 Brussels Net Dresses**—All of the finest Brussels net, in models adapted for misses and young girls wear, beautifully combined with liberty satin, ribbons in plain white and delicate colors; dresses suitable for party or mid-winter graduation exercises, not a dress in lot that will not provoke exclamations of delight and approval, delicate and dainty, $15 to.. **$32.50**

**$20.00 Panel Front Lingerie Dresses**—Dresses are shown us every day that could not be sold for less than $20.00 that are not to be compared with these, several models, but one in particular with panel front and three graduating rows of entirely new design embroidery, top of sleeve of same, skirt also trimmed with lace and embroidery, an attractive, catchy model ..... **$15**

**$20.00 Exquisite Lingerie Dresses**—We should like you to compare this value with anything in Newark even at $25.00; models delicate, refined, flakey and fluffy; fine quality filmy batiste, elaborately arranged with fine laces and embroideries, medallion at yoke, must be seen to be appreciated fully, at ..... **$15**

**Lingerie Dresses That Look $15.00**—You are not confined to a single style here at a price, but at each price a variety of styles. At this price we shall describe only one which has a heart pointed yoke of lace of beautiful design, extending down to a row of eyelet of fancy patterns and rows of lace bretelles all of eyelet and edged with lace, skirt is tucked at hips and is trimmed to flounce with lace and inserting, flounce is also trimmed with deep tucks and rows of lace ..... **$10**

**707 TO 721 BROAD ST., NEWARK.**

All Plainfield-Elizabeth Trolley Cars pass our door. Wagon delivery to Plainfield and vicinity daily. No Branch Stores. Mail Orders Filled.

Stoves **Special Sale** Skates

**10% Allowance on Balance of Our Stock of HEATING STOVES**

Including Cylinders, Oak and Double Heating Stoves.

**20% Reduction on Remainder of Skates**

ALL GRADES AND PRICES OF WINSLOW SKATES

Remember Our Regular $1.50, Now $1.20
Our Regular $3.25, Now $2.60
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Skating was never better. OUR STOCK IS LIMITED.

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**10c PER QUART**

OUR SPECIAL MILK IS THE RICHEST AND PUREST OBTAINABLE.

PRODUCED FROM PERFECTLY HEALTHY JERSEY COWS, FED UPON STRICTLY CLEAN AND WHOLESOME FEEDS, ON THE FARM OF A WELL-KNOWN PLAINFIELD GENTLEMAN, LOCATED ON THE VERY EDGE OF PLAINFIELD.

ABSOLUTELY SANITARY CONDITIONS.

DELIVERED (WITH OUR REGULAR MILK AND CREAM) BEFORE BREAKFAST EVERY MORNING.

## Plainfield Milk & Cream Co.

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112 Watchung Ave. Telephone 840.

## THE EVIL OF DIVORCE

can be greatly reduced by buying your COAL, ICE and BUILDING MATERIALS from the PLAINFIELD ICE and SUPPLY CO. A handsome house built from the best material and heated with the Best Coal in winter and cooled with the Best Ice in Summer produces such comfort and good cheer that scarcely anybody would be willing to separate from it.

## Plainfield Ice & Supply Co.

222 MADISON AVENUE Cor. THIRD STREET

# A FEAST FOR THE EAR

which refreshes the tired soul and carries the wearied mind into the laps of soothing song.

Such is the pleasing sensation when listening to the

## Mathushek & Son Piano

TRUE ECONOMY does not require the purchase of a cheap piano. Select one which has passed through all the experimental stages such as will give perfect and lasting satisfaction.

There is no uncertainty about the MATHUSHEK & SON.

**MATHUSHEK & SON PIANO COMPANY**

310 WEST FRONT STREET, PLAINFIELD

We Rent, Tune and Repair. Tel. No. 1365

# JANUARY O'COAT SALE

**Our Annual Sale Starts Off on Monday—**

for Bargains in Ocoats and Ulsters. We reserve nothing. Prices are in reach of everyone's purse. We have those with the Presto collars, also military collars, in fact, all styles and up-to-date models. See our window display for styles and prices.

# Werner's Clothing House

206 West Front Street

THE PLAINFIELD

## SILK STORE COMPANY

Why go to New York for SILKS, when you can get them in your own Town at New York prices? If we have not what you want in stock, we will gladly get it for you.

We have an exclusive line of Japanese drawn work, including scarfs, centre pieces, lunch cloths and all size doilies and handkerchiefs.

Raymond Germain, Manager.

155 EAST FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

# ROYAL GRANITE STEEL WARE

**Best for the kitchen. Guaranteed Absolutely Pure and Safe to Use.**

## Acme Washing Machines

Easy to Use

## Hussler Ash Seives

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# Gayle Hardware Co.,

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'Phone 398 Front Street and Park Avenue

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# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

THE DAILY PRESS may be obtained from the following Newsdealers and Agents. 10c a week.

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| M. Estil | 111 Park Ave. |
| Debele & Stahl | 136 Somerset St. |
| W. H. Olmstead | 331 Watchung Ave. |
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| South Plainfield | Victor Littlee |
| Fanwood | Charles Elliott |
| Netherwood | W. H. Olmstead |

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Hall Printing Press Works will begin operation in the erection of a new pattern storage house to take the place of the building destroyed by fire on Saturday. The new structure will be up-to-date in every particular and fireproof in construction. The total loss involved by the destruction of the pattern and building will reach close to the $10,000 mark, but the company is protected by insurance. The company started yesterday to advertise in the different manufacturing centers of the State for pattern makers.

The meeting to organize a board of trade is carded for tomorrow night in borough hall. Judging by all of the favorable talk heard on the street by merchants and citizens at large the projected association will get a live start. It is Mayor Sanford's idea to have the board act as an advisory agency to the borough Council. The Mayor believes that a consolidation of ideas on public improvements.

Old time residents who had occasion to journey to Bound Brook since the recent snowstorm had the satisfaction of seeing fences covered by snowdrifts near Lincoln. Such a sight is entirely novel in this age of unusually mild winters.

Mrs. J. H. L. Peters and daughter, Miss Elsie Peters, have returned from a short visit to friends at Cranford.

Mrs. Hannah Roantree has returned from Newark, where she has been visiting relatives.

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Robert Walpole, who has been seriously ill for several months, is recovering very nicely, being able now to attend to his duties again as court constable at Elizabeth.

The rain yesterday reduced the snow drifts considerable, however, sleighing is still good and will no doubt be with us for several weeks.

Frank Hunter, who broke his leg two weeks ago, by a fall on the icy sidewalk, is able to be around again with the aid of a crutch.

A number from here attended the Y. M. C. A. orchestra concert given last night in the association hall, Plainfield.

Mrs. James Pope, of Grant avenue, Plainfield, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John Marsh, of Park avenue.

Mrs. Charles Nabedy, of Front street, has been entertaining friends from out of town.

The electric light service on Front street was out of commission again last night.

### BOUND BROOK AND VICINITY.

The following newly elected officers of Pride of Pioneer Council, Daughters of Liberty, will be installed Friday night: Councilor, Miss Katherine Biles; assistant councilor, Miss Jennie Sutton; vice-councilor, Miss Rose Riker; assistant vice-councilor, Miss Nettie Hoagland; guide, Mrs. Adam Zimmerman; treasurer, Miss E. P. Fisher; financial secretary, B. T. Clark; recording secretary, Miss Lillian Smith; assistant recording secretary, Lester Verhoff; inner guard, Miss Fay Smalley; outer guard, Miss Rebecca R. Kerschner; trustee for eighteen months, Mrs. William Zimmerman; representative to State council, Miss Florence Merhoff.

Guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Verghoff, in Clinton street, South Bound Brook, were Miss Anna Vanderbeek, Miss Mary Figgle and Alvin Tunison, of Somerville.

Mr. and Mrs. William Perry, of Somerville, were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Long, in Prospect street, South Bound Brook.

Mrs. Reba Williamson and ward, Harold Butterfield, of Ringoes, were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. Sarah Apgar, in Cedar road, South Bound Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Tingley, of Cherry street, South Bound Brook, are spending some time at the home of Mr. Tingley's mother, in Dunellen.

Miss Katherine Lester and Miss Jennie Sutton, of Main street, South Bound Brook, visited friends in Raritan Sunday.

Oliver P. Vosseller, of East Main street, Bound Brook, spent Sunday with relatives in Plainfield.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

# January Wanes While Clearance Sale

## Bargains Approach Their Climax

This great merchandise movement is at the height of its value giving. Winter goods are going fast, spurred on by the sharp cost cutting that prevails in all departments. The bargain bugle blasts a clarion call that attracts throngs of buyers.

Our aim of clearing decks is being rapidly accomplished. Stocks still show surpluses so sacrifice still send prices downward. Clearance at any cost is the attainment sought. It is your opportunity for obtaining unmatched economies. Goods you need are yours at lower cost than at any other time or place.

Proof is presented in the following items—buy now before this Sale comes to an end.

**7c BEST CALICOS AT 5c.**
The American Printing Company's best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value; sale, a yard ..... .5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, per yard ..... .14

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard ..... .29

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30) .. .59

**7c APRON GINGHAM AT 5c.**
25 pieces good Apron Ginghams, blue and brown checks; a regular 7c value; sale a yard .. .5

**6c FIGURED CHALLIES AT 4c.**
40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c values; a yard ..... .4

**65c COTTON DRAPERY AT 49c.**
Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Drapery, 18 inch; 65c value; a piece ..... .49
Corticelli spool silk, black only; 100 yards spools on sale at ..... .7

**$3.50 SKIRTS AT $1.98.**
Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts made in neat, dark gray mixed Panamas; good $3.50 value at ..... $1.98

**5c TOILET PAPER, 3c.**
Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8-oz. rolls; regular 5c quality; sale ..... .3

**5c MILWARD'S NEEDLES, 3c.**
Milward's best needles, all sizes; regular 5c a paper on sale at ..... .3

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... .15

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... 10c

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale ..... 95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale ..... 39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at ..... 29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... 39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... $3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price ... $6.98

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .. $11.15

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**
We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price ..... $8.50
(Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price ..... $10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at ..... 39c

# M. & A. TEPPER


## Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath, also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

NEWLY papered, newly furnished rooms; improvements; table board; moderate. 48 Craig place. 12 20 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

LADY, being alone in steam-heated flat, will share same with an employed lady. Address 672, Daily Press. 1 13 6

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

LOST—Tuesday, Jan. 11, vicinity Babcock building, gold watch; ten dollars reward. M. F. Nicholl, 822 Second place. 1 18 3

LOST—Brindle bull terrier, white breast, white tip on tail, wearing brass studded collar. Liberal reward and no questions asked if returned to Mrs. Snow, 1342 Watchung avenue. 1 17 3

### For Sale.

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Norwood avenue, 80x179; will sell all or part. Inquire 60 Norwood. 1 17 6

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 12

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—Rooms for two adults; with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

THE ACKROYD Gas Radiator will heat your dining-room in ten minutes these cold mornings. Demonstration at Woodhull & Martin Co 1 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging, 1910 wallpapers; liberal discount. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 18 7

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order Mrs Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 5.**


# HAHNE & CO.

·IMPORTERS· NEWARK'S STORE BEAUTIFUL BROAD, NEW AND HALSEY STREETS ·RETAILERS·

## Any Suit or Overcoat $15

**Garments Market 20.00, 22.50, 30.00, 32.50 and 35.00**

Every Suit and Overcoat in our stock included—no reservations.

This is an all embracing sale of Men's Clothing—one of the most sweeping and far-reaching sales we have ever conducted in our Clothing Store—and it is going to stir hundreds of men to action tomorrow, Friday and Saturday.

Think of being able to pick from this great stock **any business or dress suit, any dress or storm overcoat, any full dress suit, any Tuxedo suit, any Prince Albert suit,** regardless of the marked prices, which run from $20 to $35, for only **$15.**

This sale is based on our sincere desire to have a clean field for Spring operations—a bona fide clearing sale that will include every Suit and Overcoat in the lot.

**Our Clothing,** as is well known, comes from the most representative makers in America, the materials are excellent, the tailoring faultless, the styles pleasing alike to conservative and ultra-fashionable dressers. At our regular selling prices this clothing is not surpassed, if equaled, by any other Newark store, and this opportunity to make any selection from the entire stock is as important to economically inclined men as it is unusual. Come tomorrow, Friday or Saturday and pick the Suit or Overcoat you like best and pay us only ..... $15

## Any Boys' Suit or O'coat $5

**Marked 7.50, 9.00, 10.00, 12.00 and 13.00, for**

**SUPPLEMENTING OUR GREAT OFFER TO MEN.**

Absolutely no overcoat in our big stock for boys will be excepted from this sale. We are going to give you full, free choice of the entire collection tomorrow, Friday and Saturday.

**Here are clothes** that boys will delight to wear, well made, in the snappiest styles of the most up-to-date materials; perfect-fitting garments of worsteds, velours, cassimeres, novelty cheviots and thibets, and overcoats of chinchilla, cassimere, Scotch cloths, and plain kerseys, fairly marked at **$7.50, $9.00, $12.50 and $13.00,** all offered for your choice tomorrow, Friday and Saturday at only .. $5

Clothing Dept., Second Floor.

**ON SALE 9.30 THURSDAY MORNING**

## 300 Taffeta Silk Petticoats

**Ought to Fetch 5.00 and 6.00---Special 2.98**

We've surprised our friends many a time before with fine offerings of taffeta silk petticoats, but this one will open wide the eyes of all who come, for never have we offered finer quality taffetas at such an insignificant price.

**Think of paying only $2.98** for a truly reliable **Taffeta Silk Petticoat** with full flare sectional flounce 14 inches deep, with near-silk underlay.

**They are worth $5.00 and $6.00** if they are worth a penny.

You may choose from white, tan, rose, raisin, wistaria, navy, brown, jasper, solid black and a variety of charming changeable colors; the lengths run from 38 to 43. The sale begins at 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning, at only ..... $2.98

**No mail or 'phone orders accepted.**

Second Floor.

## Hats for Present Wear

**To Go At Ridiculously Little Prices**

If there is a hat left of the lots we want to clear out tomorrow when the store closes we will be very much surprised, because we have not considered cost, we have not considered beauty, we have not considered anything but our desire to clear cases and tables of the trimmed hats that were made for the winter season. Such prices as these should make the cleanest kind of a sweep of everything in sight.

These hats, of course, emanate from our own workrooms and show the good taste and skill of our many expert trimmers. Doubtless many will buy several of these hats for wear the remainder of the winter.

**Trimmed Hats,** regularly sold at prices running to as high as **$7**—a variety of them to choose from, will be sold, while the lot lasts, at **$1** only .....

**Beautiful Fur Turbans** in the most desirable shapes, regularly priced up to **$7.95,** will be sold while the lot lasts, at the little price of ..... **$1.95**

Millinery Dept., Second Floor.

**Untrimmed Hats**—many shapes and colors—only one or two of a kind in this great lot, will be sold at these surprising figures—

**Untrimmed Hats, worth to $1, for only 19c.**
**Untrimmed Hats, worth to $2, for only 43c.**
**Untrimmed Hats, worth to $4, for only 95c.**

**Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear Hats** in various up-to-date styles and colors—hats that are regularly sold at **$1** to **$2**, will go in this sale at ..... .57

**Hahne & Co.** Broad, New & Halsey Sts., **Newark, N. J.**



# FURS FOR ALMOST NOTHING

**Sweeping Sale Going to Leave Town**

**SELLING OUT**

**$3,000** WORTH OF HIGH-CLASS FURS to be sold to the public

**TAKE THEM AWAY**

It will pay you to buy furs for next season's wear.

Thousands of former customers will testify to the good quality of our Furs, and we earnestly request them to tell their friends of this Sacrifice Sale.

Open Evenings for your accommodation.

**MODERN FUR STORE**

178 EAST FRONT STREET PLAINFIELD


**TRY A PRESS WANT AD.**


**G. E. COWLING**
**Wholesale Confectioner**
208 WATCHUNG AVE.
EVERYTHING IN CANDIES


### WESTFIELD.

Mrs. Ida W. Smalley, widow of Ambrose Smalley, who died at her home in Plainfield Monday, was formerly a resident of Westfield. She was a sister of Mrs. Edward Gilby, Ira Lambert and Mrs. W. D. Pierson.

Westfield police notified forty-three delinquents Monday to clear their sidewalks of snow and ice within six hours or legal proceedings would be commenced for violation of the town ordinance.

Councilman John J. Schmitt has taken up the matter of public ownership of a town water plant and will insist that the matter be investigated again by the Council the coming season.

Mrs. Julia A. Benhett, aged seventy-eight years, mother of Mrs. J. B. Wilson and Mrs. Carrie L. Hegeman, died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wilson, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bakker, of Plainfield avenue, will remove to their new home, 301 Grant avenue, early in the spring.

# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

A foreign scribe in discussing the subject of golf supremacy states that not long ago it was the regular order of things for a championship to be won by an Englishman or a Scotchman. Continuing, he says:

America was the first to throw off the British yoke, and the present year has been a remarkable development of strength on the part of the native golfer. Only the other day it was announced that the River Plate open championship at Argentina had been won by a home bred player, Raoul Castillo, described as one of the best caddies at San Andres. So excellent a golfer as Munro Park, who has been inside the prize lists in the open in Great Britain, could only finish sixth, twenty strokes behind the winner, and there were three natives in the first four, P. J. Asae, of London, being the one invader to seriously dispute the right of home rule.

This result does not necessarily mean that the United Kingdom is in imminent danger of being overwhelmed on the links by Argentina, but it is one of several incidents that demonstrate the ever increasing catholicity of the game. During 1909 first time native successes such as that of Castillo have been frequent. M. Francois de Bellet has won the French championship; Mrs. Bevan, a Maori, has gained the New Zealand championship; E. Kelley has become the open champion of Canada and C. Felstead has wrested the Australian championship from the settlers in the Commonwealth. These are signs of the times; who can say that half a century hence the United Kingdom will be still pre-eminent?

From time to time references are made by writers to selected scores of a more or less exceptional nature, but word comes from the other side of a performance on the part of a well known member of the Royal Aberdeen Club that has probably placed all other efforts in the shade. His score for eighteen holes at the Balgowine links was the marvellously low total of 68. This included seven 2s, one 4 and ten 3s. The only 4 in the score was at the second hole, where he missed a chance for a 3. He got within two feet of the hole on his second, only to miss the put and perhaps the chance of a lifetime was lost of doing every hole in 2 or 3.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The prayer-meeting at Hope chapel tomorrow night will be in charge of the ways and means committee.

The Girls' Club of the Congregational church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock and supper will be served at 6 o'clock.

The Young People's Association of the First Baptist church will hold a business meeting tonight after the regular prayer service.

The thirtieth annual convention of the Union County Sunday-school Association will be held in the First M. E. church, this city, in October of this year.

There will be a special meeting of the Ladies' Christian Work Society of Trinity Reformed church tomorrow afternoon, to discuss plans for the annual turkey supper.

Professor Mitchell, of Columbia University, will give an illustrated lecture on astronomy before the Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church, Friday night, February 11.

The Dutch Arms, of Trinity Reformed church, will hold its annual meeting for the election of officers tomorrow night and Rev. Dr. B. Johnson, of New Brunswick, will address the men on a popular topic.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting in the church parlors, Friday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Contributions of money and clothing are requested.

### CLOSED PORTALS.

The Union County Association of the Jr. O. U. A. M., will hold a rally with the Summit Council, tomorrow night. A large delegation will attend from this city.

Court Plainfield, Independent Order Foresters, will hold its annual entertainment and dance at Saengerbund Hall on Friday night. The entertainment will comprise a minstrel show.

Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight, when five candidates will be initiated. The initiatory team will appear for the first time in the handsome new robes purchased recently.

### RARITAN.

Mrs. Alfred Becker and son, Harold, of Bath Beach, Long Island, returned home Monday, after visiting Mrs. Becker's mother, Mrs. John Harding, on Second street.

Rev. S. D. Harris has recovered from his recent illness and occupied the pulpit of the Methodist church on Sunday, both morning and evening.

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### Jan. 19 In American History.

1807—Robert Edward Lee, distinguished Confederate general, born in Stratford, Westmoreland county, Va.; died 1870.

1809—Edgar Allan Poe, author, born in Boston; died 1849. Poe's ancestors came to America from the north of Ireland and descended from one of Cromwell's officers. His grandfather was a soldier in the wars of the Revolution and 1812.

**ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.**

Sun sets 4:58, rises 7:15; moon sets 2:36 a. m.; 8 a. m., planet Venus apparently stationary.

Plainfield, N. J., January 19, 1910.

### THE FORUM.

Editor, The Daily Press:

The regulation of the liquor traffic in New Jersey having utterly failed for more than a century of low license, high license and local option, allow me to suggest the education of our coming voters and coming mothers with respect to all phases of the liquor problem; hygiene, medicinal, moral and economic. With a view to stimulating personal research, the Women's Christian Temperance Union of Plainfield offers a prize of five dollars in gold for the best high school essay upon the general subject: "The alue of Total Abstinence to a Life." Special themes: "Alcohol and the Laborer," "Alcohol and Crime," "Alcohol and Tobacco."

Essays shall be graded three-fourths on subject matter and one-fourth on style and grammatical excellence. The maximum number of words shall be fifteen hundred and the minimum one thousand. The prize winner is eligible to the county prize of five dollars in gold, to the State prize of five dollars and to the national prize of fifty dollars. Seventh and eighth grade pupils will receive three dollars for the best essay from each grade upon the general subject: "What is the Harm in a Glass of Beer, Wine or Cider?" Special themes: "Alcohol and the Nervous System," "Why Business Men Demand Abstinence on the Part of Their Employes," "The Effects of Tobacco."

The essays shall be graded one-half on subject matter, one fourth on style and grammatical excellence and one-fourth on appearance of paper, including spelling and penmanship. We ask every parent, teacher and clergyman to encourage the work.

EMILY P. COARD.
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January 18, 1910.

**Girl Not Missing, Only Wed.**

"My daughter has come back home, and she has brought a husband with her. You need not search for her any longer,' was the message Mrs. Julia Van Loan, of No. 74 West 48th street, Bayonne, sent to the police of that city yesterday. For a week the police of Bayonne and adjacent cities had been searching for the missing girl, who is eighteen and named Elizabeth. She got back home yesterday as Mrs. Henry Hazel, having been married in Jersey City. The paternal blessing was bestowed.

**Woman Kills Self With Gas.**

Mrs. Ellen Early, forty-four years old, living at No. 288 East Paterson street, East Rutherford, committed suicide during the night by inhaling illuminating gas. She was found dead in bed this morning by one of her children, who went to see why her mother did not get up for breakfast. The gas jet was turned on full. She leaves six children.

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## FOR MODIFICATION OF AUTOMOBILE STATUTE

Backed by what he claimed was the indorsement of every automobile club in the State, as well as by the approval of a big majority of individual New Jersey motorists, Majority Leader Walter E. Edge, of Atlantic County, stands sponsor in the House at Trenton for the introduction of an amendment to the Frelinghuysen automobile law to permit non-resident autoists to come into the State for three ten-day periods each year without extra registration and without the payment of a license fee. The measure was first submitted to Commissioner of Motor Vehicles J. B. R. Smith who, while not giving it his official sanction, said he personally thought the proposed act a good one. That it will be opposed by President Frelinghuysen, of the Senate, Mr. Edge expects, however, although he is quite confident of getting it through the lower branch.

Last year the Frelinghuysen law was amended by the Colgate bill, which requires non-resident motorists to pay a $1 license fee when entering New Jersey, and after such payment they are allowed the use of the State roads for an eight-day period each year. Mr. Colgate favored the no-license law, however, but consented to the $1 proposition after the farmer members of the Legislature had raised a kick.

### LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

Johnny and Emma Ray will appear at the Plainfield theatre January 20 in a new edition of their most successful musical comedy, "King Casey." The piece is aptly described as a riotous hodge podge of mirth, frivolty and music. It is in two acts—the first laid in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, New York city, and the second on the island of Lala Pa Zaza.

Doc Quigley has been associated with the Al G. Field Minstrels for almost a lifetime, but in all the years gone before, never has he been seen to such advantage as this season—In the Frogs Wedding, and in the Evolution of Minstrlsy; in the restaurant scene when he depicts true to life the pompous head waiter, with the dances that have made him famous. As America's greatest eccentric dancer, he shines forth as he never did before; the dancing head waiter, the policy playing parson, and many other character characterizations that he has made his own, makes him justly entitled to the distinction he has long enjoyed. Doc Quigley, he with the comedy legs. At the Plainfield theatre matinee and night January 22.

Mr. Charles B. Dillingham announces for the Plainfield theatre January 24, the youngest star, Miss Elsie Janis, in a new musical comedy "The Fair Co-Ed," which has recently concluded a long and prosperous season in New York. "The Fair Co-Ed" played twelve weeks at the Knickerbocker Theatre, and then was obliged to move up to the Criterion to extend its run for the rest of the season.

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### JERSEY EDITORS TO HEAR ARTHUR BRISBANE TALK.

Arthur Brisbane, the editor of the New York Journal, will be the principal speaker at the annual banquet of the New Jersey Editorial Association which will be given in the Hotel Windsor, Trenton, February 14. Besides Mr. Brisbane, Governor Fort will be one of the guests of honor and will also made an address.

George C. Gunn, of Burlington, the president of the association, will be the toastmaster and the members of both houses of the Legislature will be guests of the organization. The committee in charge of the dinner is composed of J. L. Kinmouth, Asbury Park, chairman; W. B. R. Mason, Bound Brook, and J. A. Clift, Summit.

**Funeral Isaac S. Randolph.**

The funeral service of Isaac S. Randolph was held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the late home on West Front street, and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Rev. Charles S. Kemble, pastor of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, conducted the service. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The burial was in Hillside cemetery.

**Dr. Dager Teaches Lesson.**

Rev. Dr. Forest E. Dager, of Philadelphia, addressed about twenty Sunday-school teachers at the First Baptist church, last night, teaching the lesson for next Sunday and giving practical suggestions.


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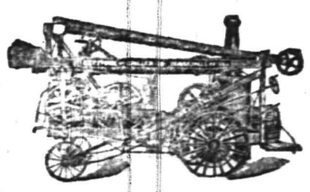

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# THE CASE OF GUERRE

## One of the Queerest Stories of Doubles in History.

## AUDACITY OF THE IMPOSTOR.

### He Deceived Not Only the Sisters, but Even the Wife, of the Man Whose Place He Usurped—The Return of the Real Guerre and the Exposure.

Perhaps the most remarkable case of doubles in all history is that of Martin Guerre, a Frenchman, who was born near Bayonne in the first half of the sixteenth century. Martin Guerre was the son of a well to do farmer and brickmaker, and, as was the custom of the country at the time, he married at the age of eleven Bertrande de Rols, who had then reached the age of ten. For eight years they lived together.

Unfortunately Martin stole a bushel of corn from his father. Frightened by the heinousness of his crime, he deserted his wife and fled to Spain. There he entered the service of Emperor Charles V. and after several years of campaigning seems to have forgotten his wife, Bertrande, and his baby boy, Sancho. At any rate, he ceased to write home, and his family lost all trace of him. His absence stretched on to eight years.

Then one evening a stranger arrived at the inn of the village where the deserted wife was still living. He at once told his host that he was Martin Guerre and recounted the adventures and hardships that had kept him from home so long. The rumor of Martin Guerre's return soon spread, and his four sisters hastened to the hostelry to welcome him home. They found him much changed. He had gone eight years before, scarcely more than a boy. Now he was a mature man, bronzed and bearded. Nevertheless they welcomed him, embraced him and carried the news to his wife. Bertrande hastened to him at once. When she saw him first she started back with misgiving. But he addressed her tenderly, repeated word for word their parting conversation and mentioned details that only a husband could have known. He even spoke of the clothing he had left behind and where it could be found. Bertrande was convinced. She begged forgiveness for her doubts and threw herself into his arms. An uncle arrived. He, too, hesitated, but the newcomer detailed to him all the minutiae of their business transactions eight years before, and he also was convinced.

The upshot of the matter was that this newly arrived Martin Guerre returned home with his wife and lived happily and without suspicion with her for four years. During this time they had two children, and Martin's father at his death bequeathed him a farm.

However, a soldier passing through the village declared that he had seen Martin at the siege of St. Quentin, that he had lost a leg there, but that he was still alive, and the soldier left a written deposition to that effect. The rumor spread that the man living as Martin Guerre was an impostor.

Bertrande at this filed a criminal information against the man to whom for four years she had granted the rights of a husband. He was described in the accusation as Arnault du Tilh and was committed to prison. The prisoner said that the uncle had influenced his wife and that the whole charge was a conspiracy to deprive him of his fortune of 8,000 livres. He submitted to a searching interrogatory, after the French fashion, and answered all questions satisfactorily. He told of his campaigns and revealed the most intimate details of the family history. He relied for his defense, too, on the four sisters who still called him brother, on his four years' life with Bertrande with her consent, and pressed her in the presence of the judges to swear that he was not her real husband, declaring that if she so swore he was ready to forfeit his head. Bertrande refused to take this oath. She was confused by his confident manner.

In the trial 150 witnesses were examined. Of this number forty deposed that the man was the real Martin Guerre, fifty deposed that he was Arnault du Tilh, and sixty declined to pronounce any opinion, owing to the extraordinary resemblance. In spite of the conflicting evidence the judge pronounced him guilty. He at once appealed to the parliament of Toulouse.

On this appeal thirty witnesses were re-examined. Ten deposed that he was Martin Guerre, eight that he was an impostor, and the remainder confessed that they were too bewildered to have any opinion. The judges were sorely perplexed and leaned to the side of the prisoner.

By a curious coincidence just at this juncture the real Martin Guerre made his appearance on the scene. He showed the same marks on his face as those borne by the prisoner. The men were confronted with each other in court. Even the four sisters, who till now had clung to their belief in the prisoner, confessed their mistake. The prisoner lost his nerve, confessed his crime and begged forgiveness. He was condemned to death and executed. The real Martin was restored to his rights.—Conrad Oak in New York Tribune.

### Originality.

"Why did you accept George?"

"He was so much more original than the other fellows."

"In what way?"

"He was the one that asked me to be his wife."—Puck.

# THE CAT AND THE BABY.

### A Medical Opinion as to the Tradition of a Feline Danger.

Several physicians have investigated the ancient story that cats suck the breath of babies, and Dr. J. Rice Gibbs declares that the theory is ridiculous. Cats occasionally kill children, he declares, but they do it in a different fashion.

"It has been stated that a cat's nostrils are so formed as to make a perfect juncture with the nose of a baby," said Dr. Gibbs, "and that a little pressure would push them upward and make them a perfect fit. Then the cat's chin would rest over and below the baby's mouth, preventing it from opening to relieve the strangulation while the cat sucked its breath. That is all rot. The manner in which little children are killed by cats is this: A cat looking for a warm place to curl up and sleep lies down upon the chest of a little child, and, being quite heavy—many cats are as heavy as little babies—simply crushes the breath out of the child's lungs, and strangulation takes place, but not through sucking of the child's breath.

"The idea that only black cats kill little babies is equally ridiculous. It is simply because black cats are considered unlucky. In former times the black cat was considered the very genius of witchcraft. In those days when a baby died the blame was often fixed upon some hag who, the judges said, had sent a black cat to suck the baby's breath. And often hag and cat suffered death at the stake.

"Evil omen is still the cry in many parts of the world whenever a black cat approaches a cradle. Many persons are so superstitious that the appearance of a black cat in a sick room is considered equivalent to an announcement of approaching death. What could be more absurd?

"Mothers need not be afraid of cats, black, white or green, sucking their babies' breath and murdering them. It is time that this popular fallacy should be exploded."—New York World.

# THE BASEBALL UMPIRE.

### Very Different From the Fight Referee or the Race Judge.

Good umpires are rare. In the whole country there are not more than ten first rate ones. The combination of the keen eye, nimble brain and cold nerve is not a common one.

The umpire is the chain lightning of baseball. His decisions are rendered in the fifth part of a second. He renders them knowing that he must stand by them afterward, no matter what happens. Every man inside the fence, whether blinded by prejudice or loyalty to the home team, sees the same things and therefore feels that he has a right to his own opinion, but the umpire is the one man who is paid to know what he sees.

The prizefight referee sometimes has to decide which boxer won a hard battle. He has had time in which to review the situation. The whole moving picture of the fight stretches backward in his memory. Should the choice prove a difficult one there is always the comfortable middle ground—the draw decision, in which neither man wins or loses. The baseball umpire can render no draw decisions. The man is safe or he is out.

When two race horses come nodding down to the wire and two noses flash by the post so close together that a finger breadth means thousands of dollars to the backers, the race track judge may fall back on the dead heat. The baseball umpire has no dead heats. Watching foot and ball, he must know which one was first. He can confer with no one. Right or wrong, the judgment must be made in the twinkling of an eye.—C. E. Van Loan in Munsey's Magazine.

### The Piano Virtuoso's Hands.

Contrary to popular belief, the piano virtuoso as a rule has extremely unattractive hands. "The artistic hand" is a phrase peculiar to the hysterical young woman who haunts musical recitals, but in reality the hand of the pianist is not at all artistic or beautiful when judged by the usual standards of the artist, the painter or the sculptor.

Constant, vigorous practicing overdevelops the hand and makes it actually ill shaped. The fingers do not taper, but are blunt and round, ending often in what appears to be a cushion of hard flesh.—New York World.

### Aggravating.

When the late General Edward M. McCook lived in Pike's Peak he once presided at a dinner in honor of a famous Indian fighter.

Mr. McCook, as he then was, concluded his introduction of the Indian fighter with the words:

"I can find but one fault with the colonel's methods. I allude to his well known custom of enlisting in his regiment only baldheaded men. To aggravate the Indians' feelings so cruelly as that is carrying war too far."

### Cheerful.

A certain philosopher used to thank God when he had the gout that it was not the toothache, and when he had the toothache he gave thanks because he had not both complaints at once.

### Error of the Types.

The editor wrote that the speaker's address was "notable," but the printer spaced it wrong and it read "not able."—Kansas City Star.

### Cool.

Diner (disgustedly)—See here! Everything on this table is stone cold. Waiter—Try the pepper and tabasco, sir.—Boston Transcript.

# COST OF HANDLING MISSIONARY FUNDS

Semi-official figures showing the cost of collection and the administration of foreign missionary funds, have been compiled and announced and will be of especial interest to many Plainfielders who are connected with foreign mission work. The figures follow:

United Presbyterian, 4½ per cent; Methodist, North, 5 2-5 per cent; Methodist, South, 5 7-10 per cent; Baptist, North, 11½ per cent; Baptist, South, 6 1-10 per cent; Presbyterian, North, 6 2-10 per cent; Presbyterian, South, 7 1-10 per cent; Reformed church in America, 8 7-10 per cent; Congregational church, 10 3-5 per cent; Protestant Episcopal, 11 1-10 per cent.

## INJUNCTION IS CONTINUED.

The injunction restraining Sheriff Kirkland and detectives employed by Leavitt & Atwater from selling the effects of Herman O. O. Schmidt, former proprietor of the Kenilworth Inn, under an execution issued on a judgment secured by Valentine Vonderlin, was continued yesterday by an order granted Attorney Robert L. Eaton, in the Court of Chancery. Mr. Eaton represents Paul Schmidt, the former hotelkeeper's brother, who holds a chattel mortgage on Schmidt's effects. When the detectives employed to levy on the goods at the hotel advertised for a sale, Mr. Eaton went to the Court of Chancery and secured an injunction. Yesterday he appeared in the Chancery Chambers, Newark, and secured a continuation of the injunction.

### Fudge Delight.

Mix together in a porcelain saucepan one cup of white sugar and one cup of dark-brown sugar and add to it a quarter of a cup of molasses and half a cup of rich cream. In another little pan melt about a quarter of a cup of butter, and when melted add it to the other mixture. Bring it all to a boil and keep it boiling for two or three minutes, while you stir it rapidly. Then add two squares of grated chocolate. Boil hard for five minutes more, stirring rapidly at first, and gradually more slowly. Remove from the fire and add a teaspoon and a half of vanilla. Stir until it becomes thick, pour into buttered pans and set away to cool, marking out in squares before it hardens.

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## DIED

BAGLIN—On Monday evening, Jan. 17, 1910, Margaret J., wife of James Baglin.

Funeral from her late residence, 4 Stone street, North Plainfield, Thursday morning, Jan. 20, at 8:30 and from St. Joseph's R. C. church at 9 o'clock, where a requiem mass will be said for the repose of her soul. 1 18 2

BROUWER—At Piscataway Township, on Tuesday, January 18, 1910, Mary E., the daughter of the late Samuel and Sarah Brouwer, in her 56th year.

Funeral service at her late residence, Piscataway Township, on Friday, January 21, 1910, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Evergreen, Brooklyn. 1 19 2

SMALLEY—On Sunday, January 16, 1910, Ada M., the wife of Ambrose Smalley, in her 39th year.

Funeral services from her late residence, 35 Coddington avenue, North Plainfield, on Thursday, January 20, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m. Interment at Bound Brook.

McKELVEY—On Tuesday, January 18, 1910, Alexander B., brother of Rev. Joseph O. McKelvey.

Funeral services at the First Presbyterian church, Morristown, N. J., on Thursday, January 20, at 11:30 a. m. Please omit flowers.

FRENCH—On Wednesday, January 19, 1910, James Engle, son of Edward V. and Ernestine Negus French, aged 11 years, and 4 months.

Funeral private. 1 19 2

## Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

## Situations Wanted—Male.

YOUNG man wishes office position, capable of taking entire charge, thorough knowledge of office work; also experienced business correspondence with own typewriter, good add writer; low salary to start; Plainfield or vicinity. Address Energetic, care Press. 1 14 8

## Miscellaneous.

ORDERS taken for children's dresses, also ladies' kimonas and house-gowns. 430 Watchung avenue. 'Phone 1347-L. 1 19 3

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## Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Young girl for housework and errands; no washing or cooking; sleep home; wages $10. Apply 141 East Fifth St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—Young lady stenographer and office assistant; salary small to start; state age and qualifications. Address in own handwriting, A. M. C., care Daily Press office. 1 18 2

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call 615 East Second St. 1 19 2

WANTED—A competent white girl as chambermaid and waitress; Plainfield reference. Mrs. Stillman, 426 West Seventh St. 1 19 2

WANTED—White girl as cook and laundress. Call evenings, 1216 Watchung avenue. 1 19 6

COMPETENT woman for general housework in small family; small house; laundry is sent out; man cleans one day a week; $25 a month Address Box 94, care Press. 1 13 12

WHITE girl for general housework. Crane, 15 New Madison. 1 19 3

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at 91 Mercer avenue after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

WANTED — Reliable general houseworker in family of three. 96 Mercer avenue. 1 19 3

WANTED—At Murray's Registry, several good laundresses, also cooks, chambermaids, waitresses and good general houseworkers, white and colored; first-class positions. Apply 226 East Front St. Tel. 666. 1 19 3

WANTED—Good cook and laundress, also chambermaid and waitress or general houseworker; white, reference required. Call 441 West Eighth St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—Experienced laundress on Tuesdays to iron; references. 1126 Martine avenue. 1 17 3

GIRL wanted for general housework. Call 433 East Seventh street. 1 17 3

WANTED—Cook and laundress; white preferred. Call 42 Washington avenue. 1 18 2

WANTED—White girl for general housework. 331 East Seventh St. 1 18 5

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 414 West Eighth St. 1 18 2

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

FIRST-CLASS operater wanted for dressmaking. 431 West Sixth St. 1 18 3

WANTED—A white girl for general housework. Apply 835 Kensington avenue. 1 18 3

WANTED — Experienced colored chambermaid and laundress. Apply evenings, 1019 Hillside Ave. 1 19 2

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

## Situations Wanted—Female.

HOUSEKEEPER—Refined young lady would like position as housekeeper where maid is kept, willing to assist; no objection to children; would take entire charge or would take charge of bachelor apartments. For full particulars and references address Princeton, care Daily Press. 1 17 3

AT MURRAY'S Registry, 226 East Front street, wanted, position for experienced girl as children's nurse or useful companion to elderly lady. Tel. 666. 1 19 3

POLISH girl wants position at general housework; good reference. 552 West Second St. 1 19 3

WANTED—Positions for several nurses, men and women, with first-class references. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 1347-L. 1 19 2

FIRST-CLASS laundress wants work to do out by the day. Address Laundress, care Press. 1 18 3

WANTED—A refined young lady living at home, compelled to seek position, would like care of one or two children over two years; very best personal references; salary $20 and $22. Address M. M. C., Plainfield Press office. 1 17 3

## Help Wanted—Male.

PATTERN makers wanted; good wages, steady work. Hall Printing Press Co., Dunellen. 1 18 3

WANTED—Young man to do tracing and drafting room clerical work, and state experience. Address Quincy, Manchester, Sargent Co. 1 17 3

## For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 31 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. Fiano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

APARTMENT to let in the Bristol. Inquire Manning Granite Works. 1 18 tf

FOR RENT — Eight room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

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LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes, centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

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## Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

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MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 17 6

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

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FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 352 North avenue. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—Two small houses near Grant avenue. Inquire 13 Westervelt avenue. 1 19 4

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FOR SALE—Brown mare, 4 years old. Address C. T. L., care Daily Press. 1 17 3

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

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TO LET—Furnished rooms in private family. For particulars address East Fifth Street, care Daily Press. 1 19 3 eod

## Lost and Found.

LOST—Saturday, belt with silver buckle. Return to 142 DeLacy avenue; reward. 1 18 3

## Situations Wanted Male and Female.

MAN and wife, colored, want positions as butler and cook or to do the entire work in small family. Call at present employer's, 930 Central avenue. 1 18 2

## Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 19 6

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# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

For a consignment of fifty chickens, Farmer W. D. Cowperthwait received $98, at Medford.

A sanitary inspection for school buildings was urged at the meeting of the Gloucester City Board of Health Monday evening.

Breaking all records in glass, Jacob King, Howard Brooks and Gabriel Glaun blew 795 dozen quarter-ounce bottles in a day at the Wheaton factory, Millville.

Charles Reynolds, a Simmons and Slocum endman thirty years ago and at one time with Haverly's Minstrels, is in the Physicians' Hospital, Vineland, with gangrene.

The third drinking place in Mt. Holly Monday fell a victim to the Law and Order Society's remonstrance crusade, when Patrick Dolan withdrew his license application under fire.

Atlantic City theatres were given a guarantee of safety by Chairman William S. Cuthbert, of the Fire Board of City Council, who made a tour of amusement places Monday with Fire Chief Black.

Farmers are scattering considerable grain in the fields and scrubs in South Jersey, where coveys of quail have been starving. Some of the quail are coming into the barnyards to feed with chickens. Many have been discovered frozen to death since the heavy snow three weeks ago.

Coming home on a visit to Beverly relatives after a year West in the service of the Santa Fe Railroad, A. H. George Osmond, of Topeka, Kan., will go back a benedict. The secret leaked out Sunday that he had married Anna Marshall on the evening of his arrival home, Wednesday last.

A six months term in the county jail was given Beadle Jennison and Harry S. Hand by Judge Tuller, at Millville, Monday, after they had admitted burglarizing the cottages of the summer colony at Forescue, the Delaware Bay resort. Counsel for Jennison had pleaded for leniency, stating that, according to physicians, the young man could not live through a term in State prison.

Strenuous braking as he fell from a shunted car enabled a companion brakeman to save the life of Fred Lofland at Vineland. Lofland fell on the terra cotta cattle guards between the rails, broke his arm and, the physicians think, he may have a fracture at the base of the brain. His companion stopped the car just as the wheels reached the unconscious man, and Lofland is now in the Vineland Hospital, unconscious.

Finding his two little daughters aflame when their screams brought him on a run into the parlor Sunday evening, Harry Metcalf, of Beverly, saved them from death by wrapping rugs around them and smothering the flames. Then with several buckets of water Metcalf extinguished the blaze among the curtains and other inflammable furnishings and saved the house. He was painfully burned about the face and hands.

Children of Samuel Rotholz, who live on South Stenton place, Atlantic City, were given a big scare Sunday night, when a big owl flew out of the kitchen stove shortly after a fire had been started. It is supposed that the owl had taken refuge in the Rotholz chimney, and wormed its way through the pipe to the stove door when it felt the heat of the new fire. Its wings were scorched, but the bird was otherwise unharmed.

Harman Yerkes, of Bordentown, who recently gave $5,000 to the Prohibition fund of New York, the money to be used in carrying on the work of the National Prohibition party, and who also gave $5,000 to the Intercollegiate Prohibition Association for the work in colleges, is in receipt of numerous letters coming from New York, Pennsylvania and other States, lauding him for what he has done in the cause in giving the money while he lived.

On application of William C. French, representing Lemuel H. Porker, Vice-Chancellor Walker, in Camden Monday, allowed a rule to show cause why a receiver should not be appointed for the chicken-raising business and chickens of Forker and Harry F. Gardner, and Gardner must also file an accounting. Forker, who furnished the capital in the chicken-raising business, and Gardner the experience, declares that he received nothing in return for his money.

Missing for several weeks, relatives and friends of Mrs. Louisa Schada, who owns considerable real estate in the vicinity of Holly Beach, are anxious to know something of her whereabouts. The property is somewhat involved owing to the woman's disappearance, and for that reason renewed efforts are being made to trace Mrs. Schada, who was last living with her nephew, William F. Diedrich, 963 Springfield avenue, Darby, Pa. Mrs. Schada is a widow about sixty years old. She had been despondent for some time, due, it is believed, to worriment over a son who is now in California.

## SOMERVILLE.

The Sunday-school of the First Baptist church has elected the following officers: Superintendent, James Q. Ten Eyck; assistant superintendent, John C. Conover; secretary, C. Harry Ten Eyck; treasurer, H. Luther Mason; librarian, R. T. Messler; assistant librarian, Claremont Masker; superintendent primary department, Mrs. J. H. Masker; assistant superintendent primary department, Miss Eva Opie; superintendent home department, Mrs. S. W. Sailing; superintendent cradle roll, Mrs. W. D. Brady; pianist, Miss Minnie E. Coddington; chorister, Mrs. W. D. Brady.

Rev. A. A. Pfansteihl, pastor of the Second Reformed church, left yesterday morning by steamship for Jacksonville, Fla. Dr. Pfansteihl will visit Mr. and Mrs. Lewis A. Thompson, of West Cliff street, who are spending the winter on their Florida plantation, and later he will go to Avon Park, as the guest of Chicago friends who are in Florida.

Mrs. William Plumb and son have returned from Morristown, where they spent a month.

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For Newark—5.36, 6.27, 6.57, 7.36, 7.25, 7.46, 8.11, 8.36, 8.43, 9.29, 9.59, 10.55 a. m., 12.42, 1.27, 2.33, 3.09, 4.12, 4.45, 5.53, 6.29, 7.33, 8.27, 9.40 p. m. Sunday—7.23, 8.52, 9.34, 9.45, 10.32 a. m., 12.40, 1.24, 2.01, 2.41, 3.24, 4.29, 5.41, 6.48, 8.13, 9.42, 10.41 p. m.

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For Wilkesbarre and Scranton—5.18, 9.55 a. m., 5.46 p. m. Sundays—5.45 a. m., 5.46 p. m.

For Long Branch and Asbury Park, etc., 2.37, 8.11, 10.55 a. m., (12.42 Saturday only), 4.45, 6.29, 7.33, 11.28 p. m. Sundays—3.37, 8.52 a. m., 3.24, 8.13 p. m.

For Lakewood and Atlantic City—2.37, 9.29 a. m., (12.42 Saturdays only), 1.27, 3.09 a. m. Sundays—(7.53 Lakewood only), 9.45 a. m., 2.01 p. m.

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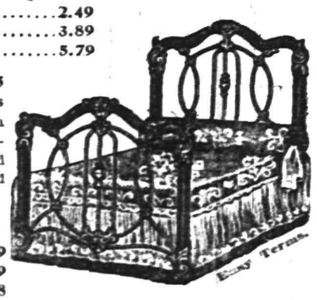

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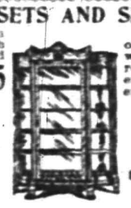

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# THE GUEST OF QUESNAY

By Booth Tarkington

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"I haven't had my life. It's gone." It was almost as if I heard his voice close at hand with all the passion of regret and protest that rang in the words when they broke from him in the forest. And by some miraculous conjecture within the moment I seemed not only to hear his voice, but actually to see him, a figure dressed in white, far below us and small with the distance, standing out in the moonlight in the middle of the tree bordered avenue leading to the chateau gates.

I rose and leaned over the railing. There was no doubt about the reality of the figure in white, though it was too far away to be identified with certainty, and as I rubbed my eyes for

*"And, oh, doesn't he make one sorry for him."*

clearer sight it turned and disappeared into the shadows of the orderly grove where I had stood one day to watch Louise Harman ascend the slopes of Quesnay.

But I told myself sensibly that more than one man on the coast of Normandy might be wearing white flannels that evening and, turning to my companion, found that she had moved some steps away from me and was gazing eastward to the sea. I concluded that she had not seen the figure.

The round moon was white and at its smallest, high overhead, when at midnight I stepped out of the phaeton in which Miss Elizabeth sent me back to Mme. Brossard's.

When my lamp was extinguished I set my door ajar, moved my bed out from the wall to catch whatever breeze might stir, "composed myself for the night," as it used to be written, and lay looking out upon the quiet garden, where a thin white haze was rising. Just as I had begun to drowse the gallery steps creaked and the noble form of Keredec emerged upon my field of vision. From the absence of the sound of footsteps I supposed him to be either barefooted or in his stockings. His visible costume consisted of a sleeping jacket tucked into a pair of trousers, while his tousled hair and beard and generally tossed and rumpled look were those of a man who had been lying down temporarily

I heard him sigh—like one sighing for sleep—as he went noiselessly across the garden and out through the archway to the road. At that I sat straight up in bed to stare, and well I might, for here was a miracle! He had lifted his arms above his head to stretch himself comfortably, and he walked upright and at ease, whereas when I had last seen him the night before he had been able to do little more than crawl, bent far over and leaning painfully upon his friend. Never man beheld a more astonishing recovery from a bad case of rheumatism.

After a long look down the road he retraced his steps, and the moonlight, striking across his great forehead as he came, revealed the furrows plowed there by an anxiety of which I guessed the cause. The creaking of the wooden stairs and gallery and the whine of an old door announced that he had returned to his vigil.

I had perhaps a quarter of an hour to consider this performance, when it was repeated; now, however, he only glanced out into the road, retreating hastily, and I saw that he was smiling, while the speed he maintained in returning to his quarters was remarkable for one so newly convalescent.

The next moment Saffren came through the archway, ascended the steps in turn—but slowly and carefully, as if fearful of waking his guardian—and I heard his door closing very gently. Long before his arrival, however, I had been certain of his identity with the figure I had seen gazing up at the terraces of Quesnay from the borders of the grove. Other questions remained to bother me: Why had Keredec not prevented this night roving, and why, since he did permit it, should he conceal his knowledge of it from Oliver? And what, oh, what wondrous specific had the mighty man found for his disease?

A note lay beside my plate next morning addressed in a writing strange to me, one of dashing and vigorous character. It read:

In the pursuit of thrilling scientific research, what with the tumult which possessed me, I forgot to mention the beast that links us. I, too, am a painter, though as yet unhonored and unsung. It might be only because I lack a gentle hand to guide me. If I might sit beside you as you paint! The hours pass on leaden wings at Quesnay. I could shriek. Do not refuse me a few words of instruction, either in the wildwood, whither I could support your shrinking steps, or from time to time as you work in your studio, which I glean from the instructive Mr. Ferrett is at Les Trois Pigeons. At any hour, at any moment, I will speed to you. I ask, sir, yours, if you will but breathe a "yes."

ANNE ELLIOTT.

To this I returned a reply, as much in her own key as I could write it, putting my refusal on the ground that I was not at present painting in the studio. I added that I hoped her suit might prosper, regretting that I could not be of greater assistance to that end, and concluded with the suggestion that Mme. Brossard might entertain an offer for lessons in cooking.

The result of my attempt to echo her vivacity was discomfiting, and I was allowed to perceive that epistolary jocularity was not thought to be my line. It was Miss Elizabeth who gave me this instruction three days later, on the way to Quesnay for "second breakfast." Exercising fairly shamefaced diplomacy I had avoided dining at the chateau again, but by arrangement she had driven over for me that morning in the phaeton.

"Why are you writing silly notes to that child?" she demanded as soon as we were away from the inn.

"Was it silly?"

"You should know. Do you think that style of humor suitable for a young girl?"

This bewildered me a little. "But there wasn't anything offensive"—

"No?" Miss Elizabeth lifted her eyebrows to a height of bland inquiry. "She mightn't think it rather—well, rough? Your suggesting that she should take cooking lessons?"

"But she suggested she might take painting lessons," was my feeble protest. "I only meant to show her I understood that she wanted to get to the inn."

"And why should she care to get to the inn?"

"She seemed interested in a young man who is staying there. 'Interested' is the mildest word for it, I can think of."

At the chateau, having a mind to offer some sort of apology, I looked anxiously about for the subject of our rather disquieting conversation, but she was not to be seen until the party assembled at the table, set under an awning on the terrace.

Mrs. Harman had not appeared at all, having gone to call upon some one at Dives, I was told, and a servant informing me, on inquiry, that Miss Elliott had retired to her room, I was thrust upon my own devices indeed.

CHAPTER VIII.

I WENT home. Outside the inn I saw Miss Elizabeth's phaeton.

But it was not Miss Elizabeth who had come in the phaeton, though a lady from Quesnay did prove to be the occupant. At sight of her I halted stockstill under the archway.

There she sat, a sketchbook on a green table beside her and a board in her lap, brazenly painting, and a more blushless piece of assurance than Miss Anne Elliott thus engaged these eyes have never beheld.

She was not so hardened that she did not affect a little timidity at sight of me, looking away even more quickly than she looked up, while I walked slowly over to her and took the garden chair beside her. That gave me a view of her sketch, which was a violent little "lay-in" of shrubbery, trees and the sky line of the inn. To my prodigious surprise and, naturally enough, with a degree of pleasure I perceived that it was not very bad—not bad at all, indeed. It displayed a sense of values, of placing and even in a young and frantic way of color. Here was a young woman of more than "accomplishments!"

"You see," she said, squeezing one of the tiny tubes almost dry and continuing to paint with a fine effect of absorption, "I had to show you that I was in the most abysmal earnest. Will you take me painting with you?"

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"How can I say? You haven't told me whether or no I may follow you to the wildwood."

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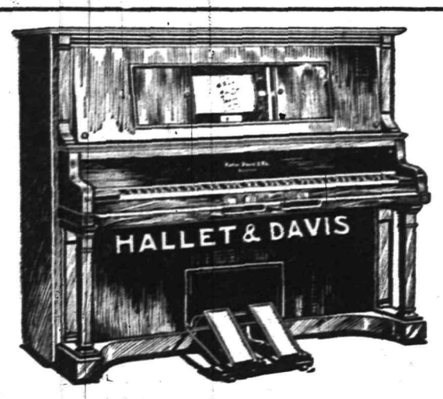


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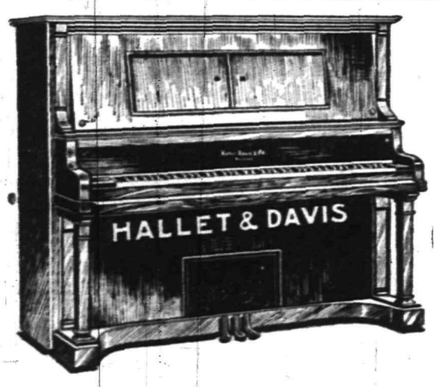


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| Elks. | | | |
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| Kiely | 173 | 164 | 192 |
| Cose | 117 | 189 | 137 |
| Boos | 149 | 147 | 162 |
| Stout | 232 | 239 | 182 |
| Laing | 175 | 213 | 158 |
| | 846 | 952 | 831 |
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| | 865 | 805 | 838 |

# SINGLE MEN OUTROLL BENEDICTS' QUINTET

Two teams composed of employes of Neuman Brothers' grocery store rolled a match series at Campbell's alleys last night.

The single men captured two of the three games and as a result were the guests of the married men at a supper after the games. The scores:

| Single Men. | | | |
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| Hope | 152 | 123 | 112 |
| Clarkson | 124 | 171 | 102 |
| A. Waldron | 102 | 87 | 89 |
| Wilson | 89 | 87 | 71 |
| Kennedy | 141 | 139 | 109 |
| | 608 | 607 | 473 |
| **Married Men.** | | | |
| Neumap | 133 | 193 | 107 |
| Judson | 118 | 119 | 93 |
| Opdyke | 74 | 86 | 102 |
| J. Waldron | 123 | 95 | 128 |
| Mattis | 144 | 85 | 133 |
| | 592 | 578 | 563 |

## BASKETBALL.

The girls' basketball five of the borough school defeated the Cranford High School's five by the score of 52 to 18. The boys' team of the borough school will journey to Bound Brook this afternoon to engage with the team of that place.

# BLUEBEARD VICTIMS' DELUGE OF LETTERS

Chief of Police Hayes, of Hoboken, is receiving letters from women all over the country, who say they are victims of Amiel Carl von Mueller, now under arrest at Los Angeles on a charge of bigamy. Four letters arrived in yesterday morning's mail. One was from a woman in Philadelphia, who said that she was married to von Mueller in Camden, N. J., in 1902, and that he deserted her after getting possession of her money and ewelry. Chief Hayes said he would respect the wishes of his correspondent and not reveal her name at present.

Another letter was from Mrs. L. Schoppe, of No. 1721 Bank street, Baltimore. She told a similar story of marriage and desertion on the part of Von Mueller, and said that when he left her he took her money with him, but she did not say how much. A third writer was Mrs. Susan Smith, of Dubuque, Iowa. She says that Von Mueller married her four months ago and soon deserted her, taking with him $2,300 and all of her jewelry.

The fourth letter was from Mrs. Fannie Wagner, of Rockwell, Ill., who recognized pictures of Von Mueller in the Chicago newspapers as those of the man to whom she was married last year, and who deserted her after he had got from her $1,000 in cash and all of her jewelry. She begged the Chief to have the man kept under arrest until she could prosecute him.

Detective Sergeant Louis Weinthal, of the Hoboken police, and Detective William McDonald, of Prosecutor Garven's office, are now on their way to California with requisition papers signed by Governor Fort.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

—Frank Krewson had a narrow escape from being snowed under last night when a huge lump of partly melted stuff fell from the roof of the Iroquois Hotel, part of it landing on his hat. Mr. Krewson didn't even wind an eyelash when the deluge came and passed along as though it was an ordinary occurrence for him.

# W. C. HOPE LECTURES ON RAILROAD HISTORY

An address on "The Development, Methods and Characteristics of the Passenger Business," was given by W. C. Hope, general passenger agent of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, in Roselle Monday night.

Mr. Hope said that he would endeavor to give a brief insight in his address into a large subject. He told how a century ago the stagecoach and water furnished the only means of transportation, how it took a week to go from Boston to New York, and three weeks to go from New York to Charleston.

The B. and O. road, said Mr. Hope, is the pioneer of all, having been chartered in 1827. Its first fifteen miles of track were completed in 1830. Its trains were run with horse and sail power. Steam, Mr. Hope said, was introduced into the railroad business in 1831.

Regarding the passenger traffic of today, Mr. Hope said it was only profitable in thickly settled sections. In 1851 the Erie built its through line from New York to Buffalo, and in 1853 the New York Central had a like line. In 1853 there were 9,000 miles of tracks in the country, while today there are over 225,000 miles of railroads. A 100-mile journey, which required a day in the early fifties, is now accomplished in two hours. While as late as the '80s it required thirty-six hours to go to Chicago, now the distance is traveled in half that time. Mr. Hope said that distance was now measured by minutes instead of miles, and the short-distance traveler did much to contribute to the success of the railroads.

Mr. Hope gave a history of the Central, and told how the road had but six passenger cars in 1848, with three trains a day, and how it required one hour and twenty minutes to go from Cranford to Elizabethport, where a ferry carried the passengers to New York.

# NATURALIZATION COURT TO CONVENE TOMORROW

Judge Atwater will hold the January session of the Naturalization Court at Elizabeth tomorrow. According to the records at the County Clerk's office there will be seventy aliens appearing before the court anxious to take the necessary examination which will entitle them, if they pass to the satisfaction of the Judge, to their second citizenship papers and make them after swearing allegiance to the Stars and Stripes, full-fledged citizens of the United States.

Of those who will apply for the naturalization papers forty-six have been in the court before and for some reason or other failed to pass the required examination. The remainder of the applicants make their first appearance. It is probable that the examining of applicants tomorrow will be done by United States District Attorney Reilly, who has been at Elizabeth before. The Government is becoming more strict at each examination regarding the qualifications which the applicants must show before being made citizens. Each naturalization day large number of aliens who apply are unsuccessful in their examinations and are ordered to appear again.

In preparing for tomorrow, County Clerk Calvert has sent out notices to all the men who are to appear before the court. They are informed that if they are not present their cases will be dismissed. Each applicant must bring two witnesses and special instructions are given the applicant that if their witnesses are naturalized citizens they must bring their citizenship papers.

### Finds Children Destitute.

The three small children of Antonio Cachario, who was committed last Thursday to the Essex County jail, were found in a destitute condition at their home, in Orchard street, East Summit, yesterday, by Overseer of the Poor Thomas Baird. They have been alone since the day their father went to jail, without food or fuel, and their condition is described as pitable. The overseer of the poor has placed the little ones in the care of a neighbor pending efforts to get their parent out of confinement. The mother, it is said, died some years ago.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

—Charles B. Morse and E. Maxwell Honeyman, who are in partnership in the printing advertising business, are now located at 120 Liberty street, New York, having removed from 30 Church street.

# WHAT THE CENSUS ENUMERATOR WILL ASK YOU WHEN HE IS MAKING HIS ROUNDS IN THIS CITY

Census Supervisor L. V. Hoagland, of this district, has received from the Census Bureau a supply of blank applications for persons applying for positions as census enumerators. These will be forwarded to his list of applicants as soon as possible.

The applications, properly filled out, must be returned to the Supervisor not later than January 31, the Census Director having extended the time for filing from January 25, which was the date first set for closing the consideration of applications. The "test" will occur February 5, as previously announced.

The instructions printed on the application form state that a definite answer is required to each of the questions, which are:

"Are you a citizen of the United States? If naturalized citizen, when and where were you naturalized.?

"Of what State or Territory are you a legal resident? How long have you been a legal resident thereof? Of what county and of what town or city and ward are you a resident? How long have you been a resident thereof?

"What is your sex and color? What was your age at last birthday? Where were you born?

"What is your education? (Give the principal facts).

"What is your present occupation?

"What is your professional or business experience? (Give the principal facts, and, if at present an officeholder, name the office you hold.)

"Have you ever been employed on census work, either National or State? If so, in what capacity and for how long a period? If an enumerator, for what territory or district? (Describe as accurately as possible).

"Are you physically capable of a full discharge of the duties of a census enumerator? Have you any defect of either sight, hearing, speech or limb? If so, state nature of defect.

"Do you speak English? Do you understand and speak any language other than English? If so, what language? ((Specify languages spoken, as Bohemian, Chinese, Danish, French, German, Greek, Hungarian, Italian Japanese Lithuanian Magyar, Norwegian, Polish, Portuguese, Russian, Slavic, Spanish, Yiddish, etc.)

"Are you a member of a political committee of any party? (Answer 'Yes' or 'No,' but do not indicate what party.)

"In view of the fact that you may be required to take a test before a postmaster, state what postoffice would be most convenient to you for this purpose. (This test is of a practical character, consisting chiefly or wholly of the filling out of a sample schedule of population from information furnished regarding typical families, and, in the case of enumerators whose work will be in rural districts, the filling out of a sample schedule of agriculture).

"Are the answers to each of the foregoing questions true to the best of your knowledge and belief? Are they in your own handwriting?

Endorsements of each applicant must be secured from two representative citizens of the community in which the applicant resides. They must be at least 21 years of age and acquainted with the applicant not less than one year. Endorsements will not be accepted from any person who is in any way related to an applicant. The endorsement certifies that the applicant "is a thoroughly trustworthy and honest person, of good habits, and, in my opinion, is fully capable of discharging the duties of a census enumerator, if appointed."

### Detective Found Dead in Bed.

Herman Petersen, State detective of the New Jersey Bottlers' Association and a former member of the Newark Police Department, was found dead in bed at his home, No. 58 Crawford street, Newark, yesterday morning. When his wife made the discovery their thirteen-year-old son was asleep beside the body of his father. The boy stated that he had heard his father cry "Help!" during the night, but thought he was dreaming. County Physician McKenzie decided death was due to heart disease. Petersen was sixty-one years old. He leaves a wife, three sons and a daughter.

Mrs. Case, mother of J. Herbert Case, of the Plainfield Trust Company, has been quite ill at her home on Madison avenue, with bronchitis.

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Entire Change Monday & Thursday.
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SATURDAY Mat. & Night January 22 — In all the world no show like this. — Al. G. FIELD GREATER MINSTRELS
PRICES: Matinee 75c, 50c, 35c, 25c — Night $1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c

MONDAY, JAN. 24---ELSIE JANIS in "THE FAIR CO-ED"
PRICES: $2.00, $1.50, $1.00, 75c, 50c, 25c
Seat Reservations for "THE FAIR CO-ED" will not be held later than 7:00 P. M. Saturday, January 22.

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Scheuer's Bargains
For Thursday, Friday and Saturday

Scheuer's Best XXXX Minnesota Patent Flour, 24½ Bag 85c; per Barrel - - - $6.75

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| Havemeyer & Elders' Crystal Domino Sugar, 5-lb carton 41c | Atmore's Mince Meat, 5-lb pail 57c | Crosse & Blackwell's Chow-Chow, 30c size, a bottle 26c | Large Queen Olives, per quart 30c | Fat Norway Herring, in Boullion, 2 cans 25c | Holland Edam Cheese, $1.10 size, each 98c |
| Fresh Milled Rolled Oats, 6-lb bag 21c | Cocoanut Macaroons, 20c kind, a lb 14c | Luncheon Tongues, Emery brand, 25c size, a can 15c | California Asparagus, Alto brand, 22c kind, a can 19c | White Wax Cherries, 15c size, a can 10c | Sweet Wrinkled Peas, 3 cans 25c |
| Mott's Sweet Cider, a gallon 20c | Home-made Pure Fruit Jellies, a tumbler 15c | Hartley's Orange Marmalade, 7-lb tin 88c | Fluffy Ruffle Starch, 10c size, a package 7c | Campbell's x Pork and Beans, 10c size, 3 cans 25c | Tomatoes, Reliance Brand, 10c kind, 3 cans 25c |
| H. O. Presto, 10c kind, a package 8c | French Mushrooms, Hotels', 22c kind, a can 18c | Pure Imported Italian Olive Oil, 1 quart tin 74c | Crosse & Blackwell's Orange Marmalade, 25c kind, a jar 19c | Svea Wafers, 25c size, a can 19c | Marshmallows, regular 10c box, 3 boxes 10c |
| 10 S. & H. Stamps with 1 bottle Maple Syrup, 10c | 20 S. & H. Stamps with 1 25c bottle Crescent Olives, 20c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 2-lb pkg. Scheuer's Rolled Oats, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 1 can California Egg Plums, 17c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with large pkg. Scheuer's Washing Powder, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with three 5c Rolls Toilet Paper, |
| Black Walnuts, a quart 5c | Yellow Turnips, pony basket 18c | Choice Michigan Potatoes, pony basket 45c | New Florida Beets, a bunch 7c | Sweet Florida Pineapple Oranges, a dozen 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c | Juicy Florida Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c, 4 for 25c, 6 for 25c |

Crosse & Blackwell's Pure Fruit Jams, Raspberry, Strawberry, Plum, Blackberry, Green Gage, Red Currant, Raspberry and Currant Damson, Apricot and Gooseberry, 25c kind, a jar 19c, per dozen $2.20.

10 S&H Stamps with

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| 3-lb. box Starch | 20c |
| Large Bottle Blue | 10c |
| 1 box Ball Blue | 10c |
| 1 box Allen's Talc Powder | 10c |
| 1 box Allen's Tooth Powder | 10c |
| 1 package Macaronni | 10c |
| 1 package Spaghetti | 10c |
| 1 bottle Vanilla | 15c |
| 1 bottle Lemon Extract | 15c |
| 1 can Black Jack Stove Polish | 10c |
| 1 can Liquid Enameline | 10c |
| 7-lb. bag Salt | 10c |
| 1 package Parlor Matches | 12c |
| 1 bottle Ammonia | 10c |

Extra S&H Stamps

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| 100 S. & H. Stamps with 1-lb can Scheuer's Baking Powder | 45c |
| 100 Stamps with 1 lb 60c Tea. | |
| 70 Stamps with 1 lb 50c Tea. | |
| 30 Stamps with 1 lb 35c Tea. | |
| 30 Stamps with 1 lb 32c Coffee. | |
| 30 Stamps with 1 lb 29c Coffee. | |
| 20 Stamps with 1 lb 27c Coffee. | |
| 20 Stamps with 1 lb 23c Coffee. | |
| 10 Stamps with 1 lb 18c Coffee. | |
| 10 Stamps with ¼ lb 50c Tea. | |

Crackers

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| Fig Bars, a lb. 10c; 3 lbs. | 25c |
| Lemon Cakes, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs. | 25c |
| Ginger Snaps, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs. | 25c |
| Oakdale Pretzels, a lb | 12c |
| Oakdale Twigs, a lb | 14c |
| Grand Ma's Cookies, a lb | 10c |
| 5 O'clock Teas, a lb | 12c |
| Moss Wafers, a lb | 12c |
| Spiced Wafers, a lb | 12c |
| Dinner Biscuits, a pkg | 15c |
| Toasted T Biscuits, a pkg | 10c |
| Breakfast Biscuits, a pkg | 12c |
| Sugar Wafers, lb | 30c |

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| Salt Mackerel, each 7c, 8c and 10c | |
| Kippered Herring, a can | 15c |
| Deviled Crab Meat, a can | 22c |
| Mince Meat, a lb | 10c |
| Fine Hominy, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. | 25c |
| Yellow Meal, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. | 25c |
| Best Farina, a lb. 6c; 4 lbs. | 25c |
| Pearl Tapioca, lb. 7c; 4 lbs. | 25c |
| Granulated Tapioca, 8c; 3 lbs. | 25c |
| Graham Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs. | 25c |
| Rye Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs. | 25c |

JANUARY TWENTIETH.

1732—Richard Henry Lee, Virginia stateman, born; died 1794.
1806—Nathaniel Parker Willis, disinguished poet, born; died 1867.

# THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; warmer tonight; moderate southwest winds, becoming west Friday. Maximum, 43; minimum, 11.

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## TO HELP THE HOSPITAL

### The Patrolmen's Association Plans for a "Week of Self-Denial."

THROUGH THE LOCAL SCHOOL.

Mayors Fisk and Smalley and City Judge Runyon to Be Judges—Prizes Are Offered.

The Patrolmen's Benevolent Association has decided on a plan whereby it will be able to render substantial aid to Muhlenberg Hospital. It will inaugurate what will be known as a "self-denial week," March 13-18, and the plan is of such a scope that every family in the city and borough will be reached and given an opportunity to contribute to the hospital. It has the approval of Mayor Charles J. Fisk, of this city; Mayor Newton B. Smalley, of the borough, as well as the heads of the public schools and Boards of Education.

The scheme is this. On Friday, March 13, a box will be placed in every school room in the city and borough schools, to be returned on the following Friday, March 18. The children in any school room returning the largest amount of money will receive a handsome silver loving cup, and the school returning the largest amount of money will be presented with a pennant bearing the inscription, "Muhlenberg Hospital, 1910." Both the loving cup and pennant will be presented by the patrolmen's association as an incentive to the children to swell the receipts.

The association has secured the consent of the Boards of Education of Plainfield and North Plainfield and in addition to the work to be done in the public schools of the city and borough, other schools to be included in the contest will be the Parochial School, Hartridge School, Plainfield Seminary, the Plainfield Business College, the Drake Business College, Leal's School and the educational classes of the Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. A.

The various boxes will be collected from the schools on Friday afternoon, March 18, and taken to the Common Council chambers, opened and the contents counted and the prizes awarded.

Ralph Willis will be present to represent the people; William C. Kinney will represent the hospital and Patrolman Charles A. Flynn the patrolmen's association, as a board of auditors, while Mayors Fisk and Smalley and City Judge William N. Runyon will act as judges.

The committee from the patrolmen's association, which planned the "self-denial" week, comprises Charles A. Flynn, Daniel MacDonald, Dennis O'Keefe, of this city, and Marshals Charles Keller and Lemuel B. Pope, of the borough police department.

It is hoped that in this way every family in the city and borough will contribute something no matter how small, toward the hospital. The contest will cost the patrolmen's association a considerable sum, but it is believed that its efforts will be appreciated and a large sum will be received for the hospital.

**Murray-Barlow Nuptials.**

Miss Ethel Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr., of West Fourth street, and William Barlow, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Barlow, of Prospect place, the borough, will be married this evening at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Sr., at 8 o'clock. Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, will perform the ceremony.

**Entertained the Thimble Club.**

Mrs. James E. Jack acted a hostess to the Thimble Club, of which she is a member, yesterday afternoon, at her home on Liberty street. Her daughter, Miss Laura Jack, rendered several selections on the piano. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Arthur McVoy, of West Fourth street.

**William Stahl's Funeral.**

The body of William R. Stahl, who died in Philadelphia yesterday, was brought to this city today. The funeral service will be conducted at the home of his mother, Mrs. Sophia Stahl, 220 Grove street, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock by the Rev. George A. Warner, rector of Holy Cross church.

**Returned Missionary to Speak.**

Miss Josephine Harris, a returned missionary from the Congo, will speak at the W. C. T. U. rooms tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. She tells a very interesting story of the fifteen years she spent in Africa. All persons interested are invited to attend.

—Next Y. M. C. A. orchestra concert Thursday, January 27. ***

## ELSIE JANIS COMING IN "THE FAIR CO-ED"

Miss Elsie Janis is coming to the Plainfield theatre Monday night presenting for the first time here a new musical comedy entitled "The Fair Co-Ed." To say that the new piece is by George Ade, author of "The College Widow," brings up at once memories of that brilliant young author's other tremendously successful college comedy, "The College Widow."

The scenes of "The Fair Co-Ed" are located in an anonymous "fresh-water college" town, whose institution of learning has just adopted the policy of the co-education of the sexes. Cynthia Bright, created by Miss Janis, is the only damsel who has matriculated under the new order of affairs and her fair presence has agitated the entire undergraduate body and a section of the sedate faculty to a degree when the action of the play begins. "The Fair Co-Ed" had a tremendous run in New York and is just finishing a second big season in Chicago.

## LEHIGH MAY ESTABLISH CAR SHOPS NEAR HERE

Residents of New Market and South Plainfield are interested in the report going the rounds in railroad circles in those places that it is the intention of the Lehigh Railroad Company to establish a large car shop at either one of those points during the coming year. The company, it is understood, is desirous of locating a repair headquarters, as well as a machine manufacturing plant, within easy acess to New York, and that a site at one of the above named places will be selected.

The company owns considerable land along its road in this section. The location of the different shops are mostly in Pennsylvania, and the company's intentions to get nearer to New York may mean the establishment of a big industry in this section which is bound to be a benefit to this city, as well as New Market or South Plainfield.

## DESERVED PROMOTION FOR CHARLES B. BROWN

Charles B. Brown, formerly of this city, and later special financial secretary for the Masachusetts State Y. M. C. A., where he has been doing a splendid work, has been extended a call by the Board of Directors of the New Bedford, Mass., association, to assist General Secretary Edward G. Caster in the work of soliciting funds for that association. Mr. Brown will assume his duties within a short time.

Mr. Brown has been doing special financial work under the direction of the Massachusetts State Association, and has been very successful in raising funds for different associations. He is also well-known in the west as well as the east. He was born in New York city, attended the public schools there and the College of the City of New York. After a business career, Mr. Brown entered church work and for two years was a lay assistant at the First Baptist church, this city, under Rev. Dr. D. J. Yerkes.

From there he entered Y. M. C. A. work in Minneapolis and became assistant superintendent of the Union City Mission, the largest institution of its kind in the west. He was also acting pastor of one of the smaller churches of Minneapolis.

After a brief work of the Y. M. C. A. of Duluth, Minn., he returned east and for three years was general secretary of the Jersey City Y. M. C. A., after which he became associate State secretary of New Jersey, which position he held for nearly seven years. Mr. Brown, for the past three years, has been doing special financial work for the Massachusetts State Y. M. C. A. committee and meeting with considerable success. Among the places visited, and in which he has helped through different financial propositions, are Attleboro, Middleboro, Malden, Somerville, North Adams (which had been closed and was reopened within two weeks after Mr. Brown reached there), Cambridge, Gloucester, and more recently Beverly, where all records were broken by the raising of $83,000 in six days.

New Bedford has a fine plant, a good work under way, and the opportunities for extension in this rapidly growing city are very many. Mr. Brown has been engaged to help the association in meeting this growth and to secure, if possible, more general contribution to the association work.

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## AGREED ON THE DAMAGES

### P. S. C.'s Offer of $1,000 Accepted by Counsel for Injured Boy.

HURT BY A LIVE WIRE.

Clarence Mundy, Jr., Aged Six, Sues Through His Father—The Verdict is Directed by the Court.

In the damage suit instituted by Clarence Mundy, of this city, on behalf of his six-year-old boy, Clarence Mundy, Jr., against the Public Service Corporation for $10,000, for injuries received as a result of picking up a live electric light wire, the company today in the county court, offered to pay $1,000 damages to the boy in addition to his father's expenses and the jury returned a verdict accordingly.

The case was called before Judge Vail in the Circuit Court, yesterday, and among the witnesses examined was Dr. Graham Thomas, of New York, an expert in nervous troubles.

After a conference between Craig A. Marsh, counsel for the plaintiff and Alvah A. Clark, representing the company, the latter offered a compromise of $1,000 in addition to expenses. Mr. Marsh so stated to the court and added that the boy's father accepted the offer which he thought was creditable to the defendant. He asked the court to direct the jury to return a verdict accordingly.

Mr. Clark confirmed Mr. Marsh's statement and said that a verdict was necessary because the plaintiff was an infant. The court commended counsel for the course taken and declared that the settlement was just and fair to both sides.

The boy took hold of a live electric light wire in July last and was badly burned in the thumb and palm of one hand and was not able to continue his studies at the fall term of school. The amount recovered is the exact amount for which the father offered to settle before the trial was begun.

## FREIGHT TRAIN WRECK ON JERSEY CENTRAL

A train wreck in which fifteen loaded freight cars were derailed occurred at Fisher's Corner, near Bound Brook Junction at 11 o'clock last night. The train was traveling eastward, when several of the cars "buckled," and jumped the track.

As a result of the wreck traffic was delayed to a great degree last night and considerably this morning. New York trains were about fifteen minutes behind scheduled time this morning. By reason of the wreck all trains bound for Easton and points west obliged to switch over to the Lehigh Valley road at Bound Brook this morning and take that route.

The wrecked cars were filled with merchandise and it is reported that the accident will result in a heavy loss to the Jersey Central.

**All-Day Missionary Meeting.**

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church will hold an all-day meeting at the church tomorrow and luncheon will be served at noon. In the afternoon there will be a program at 2:30 o'clock, the topic being, "Transforming the Desert." Mrs. Charles Van Winkle and Mrs. Jasper Simms will be the leaders. Mrs. B. F. Hadley will lead the devotional service.

**Choir Boys Enjoy Outing.**

The choir of Grace church enjoyed a strawride to Westfield last night, the outing being given by the church under the direction of choirmaster and organist, S. Frederick Smith. The boys upon their arrival at Westfield had refreshments at a lunch wagon and a treat at the candy kitchen. They reached home in seasonable time.

**Trolley Bumped Ambulance.**

While the hospital ambulance was standing in front of the home of Patrick Harrington, 674 West Fourth street, to take Peter Kelly to the hospital, a passing trolley car crashed into the ambulance, and damaged the hospital vehicle considerably.

**Funeral of Arthur W. Tallmadge.**

The funeral services of Arthur White Talmadge, who died at Prescott, Arizona, on Monday, January 10, will be held tomorrow morning at 11:30 o'clock from his late residence, 714 Belvidere avenue.

**Missioon Classes Meet Tonight.**

The Mission Study Classes of the Young People's Society of the Crescent Avenue church will meet tonight. The meeting was scheduled for last week but it was postponed owing to the storm.

## MISS MAHLISEN BRIDE OF ALBERT L. HAINES

Miss Bergette Marie Mahlisen was united in marriage last night at the home of her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Diehl, of No. 4 Union street, to Albert L. Haines, of 204 Somerset street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. O. J. Shoop, pastor of the Grace M. E. church in the presence of about fifty guests, relatives and friends of the couple.

The bridal couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. William H. Diehl. A reception followed the ceremony at which Mr. and Mrs. Haines were showered with congratulations before departing on a short wedding tour.

## BISHOP SCARBOROUGH AT MISSIONARY CONVOCATION

The winter session of the New Brunswick Missionary Convocation, Diocese of New Jersey, was held in St. Luke's church, Metuchen, on Tuesday, and despite the severe storm Bishop Scarborough and about twenty-five clergymen attended.

The session began in the morning with the celebration of the Holy Communion, followed by a business meeting in which the mission work of the past three months was reviewed. Encouraging reports were received from the various parishes and mission stations. Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock, after which the afternoon session was held. Archdeacon Henry B. Bryan made an interesting address on the work of the church in the Panama Canal zone, which was of an encouraging nature.

An interesting statement was that the work of building the canal is half completed, that through approved plans of sanitation the zone has been rid of all mosquitoes and other troublesome insects and the possibilities of infectious and contagious diseases reduced to a minimum.

In the evening Rev. Mr. Cuthbert, of Kyota, Japan, delivered a missionary sermon, telling of the work of the church in Japan and making an earnest appeal for more funds. Dean Baker, of Princeton, presided at the sessions and Dean Perkins, of Burlington, was present and made an address. Rev. Courtlandt Mallery, of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, attended the convocation and enjoyed its deliberations.

## LAYMEN WILL HEAR CHURCHMAN'S EDITOR

As a part of the great campaign among laymen, a men's mass meeting will be held in the First M. E. church on Friday night, January 28. The speakers will be Silas H. McBee, editor of "The Churchman," and one of the founders of the laymen's missionary movement, and E. T. Colton, secretary of the foreign department of the international committee of Young Men's Christian Association.

Both speakers are recognized as leaders in the laymen's movement and both are among the most forceful and attractive speakers. Mr Colton is associated with John R. Mott in the leadership of the foreign department of the Y. M. C. A. and has been heard here in the Crescent Avenue church. Mr. McBee is one of the leading laymen of the Episcopal church.

Tonight laymen and pastors will meet at the Y. M. C. A. to complete arrangements for this meeting. All men who attended the dinner of last Friday night at Hotel Astor are especially urged to attend.

**Obsequies of Mrs. Baglin.**

The funeral service over Mrs. James M. Baglin, of 4 Stone street, were conducted at her late home at 8:30 this morning and was followed by the celebration of a requiem mass at St. Joseph's church, by the rector, Rev. William H. Miller. Interment was made at St. Mary's cemetery.

**New Market Man on Rampage.**

Edward Dennis, of New Market, was arrested while driving through Front street, in a drunken condition yesterday. In court this morning Judge Runyon let Dennis off with a suspended sentence.

**At West End Tabernacle.**

Adjutant Jackson and wife, of the Industrial Home, will be in charge of the services at the West End Tabernacle tonight. Miss Jackson, their daughter, will sing.

**Engagement Announced.**

Mrs. Lillian Wilkins, of East Fifth street, announces the engagement of her daughter, Miss Eva Estelle Wilkins, to Howard B. Tapscott, of Willow avenue.

## TELLS WOMEN THEIR DUTY

### Rev. G. A. Warner Advises Them to Righly Concentrate Their Efforts.

WASTE THEIR TIME ON FADS.

Clergyman Urges Club Members to Devote Efforts on Employment of Young Problems.

Members of the women's clubs of this State were scored yesterday for their lack of interest in the subject of child labor by the Rev. George A. Warner, rector of the Church of the Holy Cross, who spoke at the annual meeting of the New Jersey child labor committee in the Free Public Library building at Newark.

Mr. Warner declared that the women's clubs of the State should interest themselves more in the problem of the employment of young persons, instead of spending their energy, money and powerful influence in fads of no importance.

It was explained by Mrs. G. W. B. Cushing, of East Orange, that the Federation of Woman's Clubs had a standing committee on child labor which had been doing good work, but Mr. Warner believed that the federation itself could be interested more in the work instead of having only a committee to take care of it.

The committee finally decided to have the secretary, Charles A. MacCall, ask charitable organizations and other societies throughout the State interested in child labor to send delegates to represent their societies on the child labor committee.

The Olwell bill, which prohibits night work for children, and which was presented to the Legislature last week, was indorsed by the committee. Chairman Orlando P. Lewis, of Elizabeth, who presided at the meeting, declined a re-election, as he has now taken a position with the Prison Association of the United States, which will take up all his time. Mrs. G. W. B. Cushing was elected in his place, and the secretary, Charles A. MacCall, and William F. Morgan, treasurer, were reelected.

It was decided to continue the committees on legislation and publicity of last year. Mrs. G. H. Perry, of Hackensack, is chairman of the publicity committee, and Mrs. Cushing of the legislative committee. The next meeting of the committee will be called by the chairman.

## REINHART PROPERTY SALE IS POSTPONED

The foreclosure proceedings of the Prudential Insurance Company against Joseph W. Reinhart's valuable estate on Belvidere avenue were postponed at the office of Sheriff Kirkland, at Elizabeth, yesterday, until Wednesday, February 2, at the request of Attorney Edward Duffield for the insurance company.

The residential property of Mr. Reinhart, which is located on Belvidere avenue, is considered one of the finest in the city, there being two houses on the tract which takes in a whole block. The property is approximately valued at $75,000. The main residence has been vacant for several years, Mr. and Mrs. Reinhart having resided elsewhere since the marriage of their daughters.

**MRS. BEULAH RALEIGH IS GRANTED A DIVORCE.**

Mrs. Beulah Raleigh has been granted a decree of divorce from her husband, John Raleigh, in the Court of Chancery. Desertion was the ground on which the decree was granted.

Mrs. Raleigh, before her marriage, was Miss Beulah Waters, and is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Waters, formerly of this city. The couple were married by the Rev. J. O. McKelvey in 1901, and parted two years later. There is one child by the union, Mary Adelaide, six years old, who the court placed in the custody of Mrs. Raleigh. Robert Newton Crane was counsel for Mrs. Raleigh.

**Honors for Plainfield Boys.**

In the elections for editorial positions on The Daily Princetonian, Princeton's University's newspaper yesterday, Lawrence Meyers Mead, '11, of this city, was elected managing editor and Joseph Neff Van Deventer, '11, also of this city, was chosen assignment editor.

**Pure Lard Made on the Premises.**

Smalley Brothers, the North avenue butchers, are making a specialty of pure lard, made on the premises. There is none better made and the price is no higher than you pay for inferior grade elsewhere.

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## PLEADS NOT GUILTY TO WIFE MURDER CHARGE

Walter Jacobson, the young militiaman, who shot and killed his wife in their home at Elizabeth, was before Supreme Court Justice James J. Bergen in Elizabeth yesterday. He entered a plea of not guilty to the indictment of having murdered his wife. The trial of Jacobson will begin Monday, January 31.

The ordeal through which he has gone is showing its effects on Jacobson. He was pale and nervous when before Justice Bergen. The indictment was read by Prosecutor C. Addison Swift, which charged the prisoner with maliciously murdering his wife. Jacobson was mute while the prosecutor was reading. Several times he nodded his head.

At the conclusion of the reading of the indictment City Attorney James C. Connolly, retained by members of Company C to defend Jacobson, said:

"We plead not guilty to the indictment."

The shooting took place while Jacobson and wife were celebrating Christmas around a tree.

## BASKETBALL PLAYER DISLOCATES HIS ARM

While engaged in basketball practise at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium last night, Walter Cahoone, a member of the Association's five, met with an accident in a scrimmage in which an arm was dislocated. Dr. Albert Pittis was summoned by telephone and succeeded in setting the dislodged bone back in its place.

While no serious results are entertained it is possible that the Y. M. C. A. team will lose Cahonne's services for the remainder of the season. Despite a slight soreness in the effected arm this morning Mr. Cahoone was all right and able to go to New York and attend to business.

The accident occurred while several players were on a run trying to shoot a goal. Cahoone slipped and his teammates fell on top of him.

## TWO MARRIAGES OF INTEREST TO SOCIETY

Plainfield society will be interested in the announcement of two approaching weddings, one of which will take place tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, when Everett Johnson Peck, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Peck, of Myrtle avenue, will be married to Miss Cornelia Kahle, daughter of Mrs. Marcell Kahle, of New Brighton, S. I.

The ceremony will take place at St. Mary's Episcopal church, West New Brighton, S. I., and the rector, Rev. Dr. Frost, will officiate. Owing to the recent death of the bride's father, the guests will be limited to a few intimate friends. The couple will sail on Saturday for Bermuda, where they will enjoy their honeymoon.

An interesting fact is that Arthur Peck, who will be his brother's best man tomorrow, will himself be married early in February to Miss Jean Burnham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Burnham, of Philadelphia. The wedding will take place at the summer home of the bride's parents at Berwyn. Mr. Burnham, father of the bride, is manager of the Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia, the largest concern of its kind in the world, and the family is one of the oldest and best known in the Quaker City.

Clarence Peck, the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Peck, a few years ago married the eldest daughter of Mrs. Marcell Kahle, of New Brighton, and they are now living at Charleston, S. C., where Mr. Peck is engaged in business.

Everett Peck is engaged in business in New York, being a patent lawyer associated with the firm of Duell, Warfield & Duell, of New York city.

**Sleighride and Dance.**

Fifteen young people from this city enjoyed a sleighride to Westfield last night. On the return to this city the festivities of the evening was concluded by an informal dance at the home of Miss Edelia French, of West Fourth street, who with Miss Helen Pearce arranged the event.

**Stork Is Busy.**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bogart, of Bradford avenue, was made happy last night by the advent of a son.

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## MISS OSTROM A BRIDE

### Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Ostrom Becomes Mrs. R. M. Smith.

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Miss Marguerite Summerbell Ostrom, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Ostrom, of Albert street, and Raymond Morrow Smith, son of H. Craig Smith, of Madison avenue, were married at 8 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's parents, in the presence of about seventy-five relatives and friends from New York, Brooklyn and this city. Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony.

The bride was attended by Miss Florence B. Hutchinson, of Brooklyn, as maid of honor, and Miss Marion Pierson, of this city, and Miss Dorothy Hoar, of Fanwood, as bridesmaids. Dorothy Johnson, of Brooklyn, was flower girl. The best man was David Manger, of this city, and the ushers were George L. Bentley and Homer B. Smith, the latter a brother of the groom.

The bride's gown was of white satin with tunic of chiffon cloth bugle trimmings and point lace. She carried a sheath bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley and marguerites. The maid-of-honor's gown was of white chiffon cloth, embroidered with pink roses, while the gowns of the bridesmaids were pink satin with tunics of pink silk net. The maid-of-honor and bridesmaids carried bouquets of pink roses. The flower girl was dressed in white silk mull over pink and she carried a hat of marguerites. The bride's mother wore a handsome gown of faille Francaise trimmed with rose point lace.

The wedding march, as well as the music for the reception which followed the ceremony was played by Charles Suhr's Imperial Orchestra. The bride was given in marriage by her father. After the ceremony congratulations were offered and supper was served.

The house was lavishly decorated for the affair, pink being the prevailing color. There was an attractive arrangement of palms, greens and pink roses throughout the parlor, hall and dining room.

The bride and groom left during the evening for a six weeks' trip to Southern Florida, Cuba and the Bahama Islands, and upon their return will reside at Truell Hall until Spring. Mrs. Smith was the recipient of a large collection of handsome and costly gifts from relatives and friends with whom she is very popular. In the exchange of gifts in the bridal party, the groom gave the bride a diamond crescent, the best man and ushers received gold stick pins with pearls, while the maid of honor and bridesmaids received gold pins with pearls from the bride.

The groom is employed by the bond house of Charles W. Place in Wall street, New York, where he holds a responsible position. Both he and his wife have a large circle of friends and acquaintances. Owing to the recent death of Mr. Smith's mother a large number of invitations to the wedding were recalled and only the relatives and intimate friends were present to witness the marriage.

**REV. E. O. WILSON MAKES FAVORABLE IMPRESSION.**

Rev. E. O. Wilson, pastor of Immanuel Baptist church, Newark, who preached at the Park Avenue Baptist church, last Sunday as a candidate to succeed Rev. A. E. Finn, was in charge of the prayer meeting at the church last night. He has made a favorable impression on the people, and the prayer service last night was largely attended and full of interest.

Mr. Wilson is now serving his first pastorate and has been successful. He is about thirty-five years of age.

**Improved Business Conditons.**

The increased enrollment at the Plainfield Business College is considered an evidence of a steady resumption of business in all trades. During the past two weeks the following young persons have enrolled at the college: Miss Edna Haynes, Miss Lillian Titus, Miss Gertrude Bowlby, Leo Logan and Charles Wahl, of Dunellen; Mrs. J. Rutledge and Arthur McConnell, of Somerville; Raymond Hoagland and Otto Olson, of Belle Mead; Grover Carlin, Miss Ethel Campbell and Miss Ernstine McKee, of this city. Since the first of the year there has been a steady demand for office help.

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## The Jan. Clearance Sale Continues With Added Enthusiasm

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**In connection with this sale we advertise today bargains in this great Clearance Sale abound throughout the entire store. Don't miss this event.**

**The Muslin Underwear, White Goods and Shirt Waist Sale is still booming. Stocks are again complete for this week's rush.**

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### SOMERVILLE.

Charles Dumas, son-in-law of the late Benjamin K. Hoppock, has purchased the confectionery business of the deceased from the heirs and is now in charge. He will give up the store, which he opened about a month ago, on the corner of Main and Davenport streets.

The women of the Second Reformed church are arranging to serve their annual supper in the chapel this evening. Mrs. Naylor and Mrs. Bellis are to take charge of a booth of home-made candy.

Rev. C. L. Jones, a returned missionary from China, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, on Summit street. Mr. Jones occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church both morning and evening.

The Try Again Society of the First Reformed church held its monthly meeting Wednesday, in the chapel. After a religious service a social hour was spent by the members.

A social tea will be held by the ladies of the Baptist church at the home of Mrs. Jeremiah Lant, in Grove street, tomorrow afternoon.

Clarence Sturgeon, of Bloomfield, returned home on Monday, after spending several days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Carey.

The Tuesday Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of the Misses Loomis, on West Main street.

Teams have been working on Main street for two days, clearing away the snow.

Elmer Brogley has moved his family to the Kraft house, on West Main street.

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### TELLS GRAND JURY TO PROBE ASYLUM DEATH.

Trenton, Jan. 20.—Charging the January grand jury in Mercer Court Tuesday, Supreme Court Justice Reed called its attention to the recent death of Henry D. Cruson, at the State Hospital for the Insane, in this city. Crusen was formerly a letter carrier in this city. He became mentally unbalanced and was sent to the hospital. He died after he had been in the hospital a few weeks, and it was found that he had sustained a number of fractured ribs and was otherwise injured.

Justice Reed told the jury that it is the policy of the State to keep a close watch on attendants in institutions of this character, and charged that if it can fix the responsibility for the injuries sustained by Crusen it is its duty to indict.

The court also called attention to the death of Michael Murphy, who died some time ago from injuries sustained while being ejected from a local restaurant.

### CHILD SUCCUMBS TO BULLET IN BRAIN.

Trenton, Jan. 20.—Riccardo Sandirocco, the five-year-old Italian boy from Stockton, who has been in St. Francis' Hospital for several days with a bullet in his brain, received as a result of the accidental discharge of a rifle with which he was playing, died yesterday morning, between 1 and 2 o'clock.

The boy was operated on during the afternoon, and the bullet removed from his head. He improved following the operation, and it was thought that he would recover. Toward midnight, however, he suddenly took a change for the worse, and died about two hours later.


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Bids will be advertised for within a few days, and if the contract prices are within reach of the appropriation the work will be given out at once. It is the intention of the board to have the work finished by spring. It is estimated that the installation of electric motors would be cheaper and more durable than replacing the old engines.

### PEARY TALKS ABOUT COOK.

Worcester, Mass., Jan. 20.—Commander Robert E. Peary, discoverer of the North Pole, lectured here Tuesday night. Previous to the lecture he broke his long reserve concerning Dr. F. A. Cook, and, in answer to a question as to how he accounted for the fact that his story and that of Dr. Cook agreed accurately concerning conditions at the Pole, said:

"What I have always advocated, and what practically all scientists were satisfied about, was that there was no land at the Pole, but rather distinctively smooth ice, the ice growing smoother the nearer you got to the Pole. This is a matter that I had published in some of my books, and a guess that the condition became better as one neared the Pole was ninety-nine chances to one in favor of such a condition.

"The farther away you get from land the more smooth the ice becomes. When I was 123 miles away from the Pole I figured out the conditions just as I found them when I reached the Pole. I printed them, and they were known to Dr. Cook and every one else interested in the matter. It was with the assistance of my data and his own imagination that Dr. Cook was enabled to write a description of his alleged discovery of the North Pole."

### WOMAN SUFFRAGE ARGUMENT.

Burlington, Jan. 20.—"Give the women a chance to vote and then we'll clean our pavements," was the ultimatum handed to Patrolman Fitzpatrick by a prominent society matron when the officer, in pursuance of orders from Mayor Farner, requested her to have the snow removed from the sidewalk in front of her property. "American women are tired of taxation without representation. We want the right to vote for the men who make the laws women must obey. We're worse than salves," she continued, with a vim that nearly dislodged the officer from the top step.

Then, before the astonished Fitzpatrick could recover his breath, she followed with another suffragette battery. "It's proper enough to have the pavements cleaned. But you tell the Mayor to get after the 'big bugs' and politicians who can do as they please about this town against women who own property and pay taxes, but can't vote!"

The policeman informed the woman that the new Mayor had made it a point to go after the "big bugs and politicians" first and had told them they should set an example for the city. "That's as good doctrine as woman suffrage; I'll clean my sidewalks!" the woman said.

# January Wanes While Clearance Sale

## Bargains Approach Their Climax

This great merchandise movement is at the height of its value giving. Winter goods are going fast, spurred on by the sharp cost cutting that prevails in all departments. The bargain bugle blasts a clarion call that attracts throngs of buyers.

Our aim of clearing decks is being rapidly accomplished. Stocks still show surpluses so sacrifice still send prices downward. Clearance at any cost is the attainment sought. It is your opportunity for obtaining unmatched economies. Goods you need are yours at lower cost than at any other time or place.

Proof is presented in the following items—buy now before this Sale comes to an end.

**7c BEST CALICOS AT 5c.**
The American Printing Company's best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value; sale, a yard ..... 5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, per yard ..... 14

54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard ..... 29

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30) .. 59

**7c APRON GINGHAM AT 5c.**
25 pieces good Apron Ginghams, blue and brown checks; a regular 7c value; sale a yard .. 5

**6c FIGURED CHALLIES AT 4c.**
40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c values; a yard ..... 4

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... 10c

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale ..... 95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale ..... 39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at ..... 29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... 39c

**65c COTTON DRAPERY AT 49c.**
Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Drapery, 18 inch; 65c value; a piece ..... 49
Corticelli spool silk, black only; 100 yards spools on sale at ..... 7

**$3.50 SKIRTS AT $1.98.**
Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts made in neat, dark gray mixed Panamas; good $3.50 value at ..... $1.98

**5c TOILET PAPER, 3c.**
Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8-oz. rolls; regular 5c quality; sale ..... 3

**5c MILWARD'S NEEDLES, 3c.**
Milward's best needles, all sizes; regular 5c a paper on sale at ..... 3
Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... 15

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... $3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $3.85
Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price ... $6.98

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:
Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85
Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ... $9.75
Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .. $11.15

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**
We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price ..... $8.50
(Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price ..... $10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at ..... 39c

# M. & A. TEPPER


## Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132-134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms light and airy in nice neighborhood, near centre of town 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Commonson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

LOST—Tuesday, Jan. 11, vicinity Babcock building, gold watch; ten dollars reward. M. F. Nicholl, 822 Second place. 1 18 3

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texler. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Norwood avenue, 80x179; will sell all or part. Inquire 60 Norwood. 1 17 6

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 12

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

NEW seven-room house for sale good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Wanted to Rent.

WANTED—Rooms for two adults; with private family preferred. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 11 tf

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### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

THE ACKROYD Gas Radiator will heat your dining-room in ten minutes these cold mornings. Demonstration at Woodhull & Martin Co 1 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging. 1910 wallpapers; liberal discount. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 18 7

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale all prices: also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P H LATOURETTE, auctioneer, sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

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# HAHNE & CO.

IMPORTERS · NEWARK'S STORE BEAUTIFUL BROAD, NEW AND HALSEY STREETS · RETAILERS

STILL FURTHER DOWN THE SCALE GO PRICES ON

## WOMEN'S COATS AND CAPES

Can we dispose of every coat and cape now on hand before inventory?—That is the question. We are going to try, anyhow—try hard as we know how, and we've made another cut in prices to speed the selling.

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| 10 50 Coats and Capes are now | 4 98 |
| 15.00 " " " " " | 7.50 |
| 18.50 " " " " " | 9.00 |
| 25.00 " " " " " | 12.00 |
| 29.50 " " " " " | 15.00 |

In our collection will be found beautiful tailored coats—36, 45, 50 and 52 inches long; and Evening Capes in rich pastel shades.

## FUR AND FUR-LINED COATS

ALL ARE GENEROUSLY REDUCED IN PRICE.

You can't match these Fur Coat values in any Newark store—sure of it, because no other store bought this season's fur garments to such advantage as we did.

We are retailing at less than wholesale prices.

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| 55.00 Russian Pony Coats reduced to | 38.50 |
| 69.50 " " " " " | 48.25 |
| 79.50 " " " " " | 55.00 |
| 75.00 Baltic Seal Coats reduced to | 54.25 |
| 110.00 Australian Seal Coats reduced to | 79.95 |
| 135.00 Hudson Seal Coats reduced to | 94.95 |
| 150.00 " " " " " | 109.75 |
| Women's French Lynx Sets reduced to | 9.75 |
| Women's Blended Squirrel Sets reduced to | 7.98 |
| Women's Caracul Sets reduced to | 2.75 and 3.98 |
| Odd Scarfs in Caracul, Coney and Squirrel reduced to | 1.98 |
| Women's Fur Lined Coats reduced to | 15.00, 25.00, 29.50, 32.50, 35.00 and 39.50 |

We Have Doubled Our Last Big Purchase of

## Sterling Aluminum Enamel Ware

For This Tremendous 2-Day Sale

Which Begins Tomorrow, Friday, Morning at 8:30

### Thousands of Perfect Pieces Worth 39c to $1.50 to Be Sold At Only 29c

We don't want to turn away a single customer disappointed with this sale, and to that end we have bought enormons quantities of everything that enters into the sale—big and little pieces—hundreds of each size, and we will have plenty of salespeople and an augmented delivery service—all planned that you may get just what you want with the least possible trouble.

There is practically every utensil used in the kitchen and about the house that anyone could wish for—all in the well-known and immensely popular Sterling Aluminum Enamel Ware.

Every piece is guaranteed perfect—we would not think of selling you any other kind, and the actual selling prices run from 39c to $1.50 yet you can come tomorrow or Saturday and pick any number of these utensils and pay us only 29C each.

The sale begins at 8:30 Friday morning.

No goods sent C. O. D. No mail or 'phone orders filled.

Chamber Pails, 10 qts.
Foot Tubs, 15 qts.
Stove Pans, 15 in. x 10 in.
Dish Pans, 14-17 qts.
Rinsing Pans, 17 qts.
Oval Trays, 18 in.
Muffin Pans, 12-hole.
Berlin Sauce Pans, 4-6-8 qts.
Berlin Sauce Pots, 4-6-8 qts.
Berlin Sauce Kettles, 4-6-8 qts.
Milk Boilers, 2 qts.
Chambers, 9¾ in.

**29c**

Gotham Straight Saucepan, 6-8 qts.
Gotham Straight Saucepot, 6-8 qts.
Covered Buckets, 6-8 qts.
Vienna Covered Saucepot, 8 qt.
Lipped Saucepan, 5-6-8 qts.
Bread Raisers, 8 qts.
Fry Pans, 11-12 inch.
Tea Pots, 3-4-5 qts.
Coffee Biggins, 2-3-4 qts.
Coffee Boilers, 6-8 qts.
Tea Kettles, 4-5-7 qts.
Water Pails, 10 qts.

NO 'PHONE OR MAIL ORDERS. NONE SENT C. O. D.

Hahne & Co. Broad, New & Halsey Sts., Newark, N. J.



# JANUARY O'COAT SALE

Our Annual Sale Starts Off on Monday—

for Bargains in Ocoats and Ulsters. We reserve nothing. Prices are in reach of everyone's purse. We have those with the Presto collars, also military collars, in fact, all styles and up-to-date models. See our window display for styles and prices.

## Werner's Clothing House

206 West Front Street



THE PLAINFIELD

## SILK STORE COMPANY

Why go to New York for SILKS, when you can get them in your own Town at New York prices? If we have not what you want in stock, we will gladly get it for you.

We have an exclusive line of Japanese drawn work, including scarfs, centre pieces, lunch cloths and all size doilies and handkerchiefs.

Raymond Germain. Manager.

155 EAST FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.


### COMMISSION OF PRESBYTERY.

Morristown, Jan. 20.—Under the new standing rules as adopted by the Morris and Orange Presbytery Tuesday afternoon, which provides for an executive commission, the following were chosen as members of the commission: Ministers, Rev. Dr. W. W. Halloway, Dover; Rev. Dr. John F. Patterson, Orange; Rev. Minot C. Morgan, Summit; Rev. E. R. Murgatroyd, New Vernon; Rev. D. O. Irving, East Orange. Elders, Holloway W. Hunt, Schooley's Mountain; Frank W. Mulford, Morristown; George H. Kirkpatrick, Chatham, and George R. Howe, East Orange.

These names were presented to the presbytery by a nominating committee composed of Rev. W. P. Keeler, Rev. William R. Bennett and Rev. Thomas B. Ironsides. The presbytery adjourned to meet in Boonton, April 12.

The Junior Epworth League of the First M. E. church will meet in Vincent chapel tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick, will address the members of the Dutch Arms of Trinity church tomorrow night, following the annual meeting and election of officers.

# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

That the sentiment of golfers in the West is not unanimous for secession from the United States Golf Association is indicated by the following extract from "The Chicago Record-Herald."

The Chicago golf clubs which are members of the United States Golf Association as well as the Western Golf Association are not wholly in sympathy with the proposed expansion movement of the Western body, according to statements made by prominent members of the United States Golf Association clubs of the city. There are six clubs in Chicago—the Chicago Golf Club, the Midlothian Country Club, the Glen View Golf Club, the Onwentsia Golf Club, the Homewood Country Club and the Exmoor Country Club—and, with the exception of the Glen View club, all seem to favor the United States Golf Association in case it should become necessary to make a choice.

Although no official action has been taken by any one of the clubs, it appears that each prefers a compromise of some sort, one which would still leave the United States Golf Assbciation in control of national golf play, but at the same time one which would furnish a rearrangement of governing power so as to give the West better representation than it has had in past years. Each club hopes to avoid any kind of a golf war, and also hopes that the elements which now appear about to be plunged into war will devise some means whereby trouble can be avoided and friendly conditions established between all parts of the country.

There is a growing belief among members of the Women's Metropolitan Golf Association that it would be a wise move to hold their annual championship tournament at some other time of the year than the spring. It has long been customary to run this affair off the latter part of May, incidentally causing a conflict of dates with the men's metropolitan tournament. One reason for holding the women's so early has been to get the competition out of the way for the Eastern championship meeting, which follows early in June. An official of the metropolitan body stated last night that she was in favor of holding the tournament in the fall, or shortly before the national championship, when all the players would be in better practice. These and other questions will be seriously discussed at an executive committee meeting to be held shortly.

### LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"King Casey," monarch of the Isle and of Lala Pa Zaza, a dream of a grotesque king in a fantastic realm born of the fertile imagination of Aaron Hoffman, playwright, will be the attraction at Plainfield theatre tonight. Johnny and Emma Ray, farceurs to the universe, and more especially prime favorites with local theatregoers, will be the central figures in this latest and most pretentious musical farce comedy. Mr. Ray will, of course, be Casey, the same as he has apparently always been, and Mrs. Ray still remains the pleasingly resonant and statuesque Goldie Mine.

David, with his harp of a thousand strings was a minstrel, and the singers of all ages were minstrels. The minstrel's songs are the popular music of the day. Surrounded with natural and appropriate environments that harmonize with the compositions, the dances, the unctuous humor, the minstrel brings amusement to all people. The people want it. You can make it better, but those that have tried to force the latter-day hot-house emanations of sensations on the public under the guise of minstrelsy have invariably failed, while those who have endeavored to present minstrelsy in a manner up to the demands of an ever discriminating public reap their reward. Al G. Field's Minstrels will be at the Plainfield theatre, matinee and night, January 22.

Elsie Janis, who charmed everybody by her impersonation of a young American girl just escaped from a French convent in "The Hoyden," is to be seen at the Plainfield theatre, January 24, in her newest vehicle, "The Fair Co-Ed." Again the ebullient Miss Janis is a sprightly school-girl, but in this instance she is the one lone victim of a new co-educational experiment at a "fresh water college" in the middle West. George Ade, whose "College Widow" proved his accurate knowledge of student life, is the author of "The Faid Co-Ed" and Gustav Luders, composer of the music of "The Prince of Pilsen" and numerous other musical comedies, has contributed the score. "The Fair Co-Ed" has had a wonderful success in New York and Chicago, and comes under the aegis of Charles Dillingham with the original cast and production intact.

### Presbytery Passes Resolutions.

The Presbytery of Elizabeth at its session in Roselle, Tuesday, passed resolutions on the death of Rev. Dr. William R. Richards, who was a member of that body for eighteen years. A copy will be sent to the family of Dr. Richards.

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### Jan. 20 In American History.

1732—Richard Henry Lee, Virginia statesman, born; died 1794.

1734—Robert Morris, financier of the Revolution and "signer" of the Declaration of Independence, born in Liverpool; died 1806.

1806—Nathaniel Parker Willis, distinguished poet, born; died 1867.

1814—David Wilmot, congressman and author of the "Wilmot proviso," born; died 1868.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:59, rises 7:15; moon sets 3:49 a. m.

Plainfield, N. J., January 20, 1910.

# QUASHES BILL AGAINST F. B. HAM FOR FORGERY

The motion to quash the indictment found against Frank B. Ham, civil engineer, licensed preacher and prominent Westfield citizen, charged with the forgery of a deed, made by his counsel, former Governor Foster M. Voorhees, on July 7 last year, was granted yesterday by Judge Atwater in the Court of Quarter Sessions at Elizabeth. When the motion was made last summer, it was opposed by Prosecutor C. Addison Swift, and as a result of an argument between counsel, Judge Atwater reserved decision in order to consider the points raised.

In the indictment which was found against Ham during the May term, while he was acting at a petit juryman, he was charged with forgery in four counts. The first count charges that he inserted the words "bargain and sell" in the deed, changing it from a quit claim deed.

He was charged in another count with publishing the deed, and in another with forging the certificate of acknowledgment. Harriet and Chas. Griffith, with others who are unknown, were the grantors named in the alleged forged deed, and are those claimed to have been injured by the alleged overt act.

Mr. Voorhees' argument on motion to quash was that if the changes were made in the deed as charged, no crime was committed, as the records proved that the persons alleged to have been injured were not in possession of the title to the lands purported to be conveyed by the alleged forged deed.

### A PROFESSION COMPANY IS THE LATEST FORMED.

Trenton, Jan. 20.—Secretary of State Dickinson granted a charter yesterday to one of the most novel companies that ever applied in this State for incorporation. It is the Professional Service Corporation, with headquarters in Camden, and its object is to act as a medical director, osteopath, dentist, oculist, druggist and lawyer for clients.

It will contract with physicians, osteopaths, oculists, druggists or lawyers to carry on their professional work, and will also manufacture articles used in such work. It has a capital stock of $125,000, and the incorporators are Charles B. Winters, Harry B. Plumb, Fred G. Winters and Frank A. Kuntz.

### $20,000 Fire in Edison Plant.

The greater portion of the plant of the Edison Manufacturing Company was destroyed by fire early yesterday, causing a loss of about $20,000. Primary batteries were made at the plant.

—Daily Press want ads. pay


Headquarters for
**Gibson's**
RYE.
E. C. Westcott, Agent.
115 East Front Street.



BUTTERICK PATTERNS and THE DELINEATOR

**Woodhull & Martin Co**

Plainfield's Largest and Best Store.

# Jan'y Furniture Sale

We extend every convenience to responsible persons. Our "Club Plan" system enables you to buy Furniture at January Prices and pay for it on the very easiest terms.

**Bedroom Outfit**

Our outfit consists of a Birds-eye Maple Dresser, with Chiffonier to match, with large bevel plate mirrors; solid brass bed, full size; good woven wire spring; cotton felt mattress and bolster roll. This set usually sells for $90.50; the Sale Price is ..... $69

**Another Outfit**

Consists of a handsomely polished Quartered Oak Sideboard, a China Closet, with full mirror back, a pedestal claw-foot round top table and six genuine leather slip seat chairs. Ordinarily this set sells for $116.75. The Sale Price is..... $95

**Bed Outfit No. 1---6.98**

Includes a White Enameled Brass Trimmed Bed, with an all iron woven wire spring and soft top mattress, worth $9.00, for ..... $6.98

**Bed Outfit No. 3---10.98**

Includes a White Enameled Bed, with heavy brass top and bottom rail; an all iron woven wire spring, and a combination mattress, soft on top and bottom, worth $14. $10.98

**Dining-Room Outfits**

A beautifully finished early English Outfit, consisting of Buffet, China Closet, Round Top Pedestal Table, and six saddle seat chairs. This outfit would cost to buy, regular, $101. The Sale Price is ..... $89

**Here's An Outfit**

That can't be duplicated at the regular price of $105.00. It consists of a beautiful Genuine Birds-eye Maple Dresser, with Chiffonier to match, with large bevel plate mirrors, full size heavy brass bed, best quality woven wire spring, Purity Cotton felt mattress and bolster roll. The Sale Price is..... $89

**Bed Outfit No. 2---8.50**

Includes an all White Enameled Bed, with continuous posts, and all iron woven wire spring, and best soft top mattress, worth $10.50 for..... $8.50

**Bed Outfit No. 4---13.50**

Includes a splendid White Enameled Brass Trimmed Bed with an iron woven spring and elastic felt mattress in two parts, worth $19, for..... $13.50

**THREE BIG MATTRESS BARGAINS**

**Combination Mattresses**

Full size, excelsior in the middle and cotton top, bottom and sides, covered with good quality ticking and made in two parts; regular $5 mattress, $3.98

**Purity Felt Mattresses**

Best elastic felt, in two parts, weigh 45 lbs., moth, dust and vermin proof, won't mat nor pack, satin finished, heavy linen color ticking, regular $12.50 mattresses for ..... $9

**Special Felt Mattresses**

Made of good grade felt, full 45 lbs., in two parts, excellent grade of ticking, made with round corners, the sanitary inseam, no binding kind; regular $9.50 mattresses for ..... $6.98



# Furniture Bargains

Odd pieces, including fancy Rockers of all kinds, Morris Chairs, Reed Rockers, in green and natural finishes, also Tables, Dressers, Side Boards, Desks, Dining Chairs, Pictures, all at very low prices to clear stock.

Beds Mattresses Couches Springs

**Shirley & Johnston**

BABCOCK BUILDING



**DON'T**

send your cleaning to the city, as it will be done just as well here at less expense and trouble. We claim to have one of the best up-to-date DRY CLEANING PLANTS, and prove it by delivering the goods clean, in your own time and WITHOUT ANY SICKLY ODOR.

**KELLER'S**

125 PARK AVENUE.

26 YEARS EXPERIENCE. 'PHONE 857-J.
ESTABLISHED 1894. Work called for and delivered



**FURS FOR ALMOST NOTHING**

Sweeping Sale Going to Leave Town

SELLING OUT

$3,000 WORTH OF HIGH-CLASS FURS to be sold to the public

TAKE THEM AWAY

It will pay you to buy furs for next season's wear.

Thousands of former customers will testify to the good quality of our Furs, and we earnestly request them to tell their friends of this Sacrifice Sale.

Open Evenings for your accommodation.

**MODERN FUR STORE**

178 EAST FRONT STREET PLAINFIELD


# KUSER GIVES $60,000 FOR PHEASANT STUDY

Announcement has been made by the board of managers of the New York Zoological Society to the effect that Colonel Anthony R. Kuser, of Trenton, vice-president of the Fidelity Trust Company, and a director of the Public Service Corporation, was the donor of the special fund of $60,000, which the organization recently received, to defray the expenses of an expedition around the world for the study of pheasants in their native environments.

C. William Beebe, curator of birds, has been sent on the expedition. He is accompanied by his wife and an assistant.

Colonel Kuser has at his country home in Bernardsville one of the finest, if not the best, private collection of pheasants in this country.

Another gift that was announced by the organization was one of $5,000 from Andrew Carnegie. In varying amounts, Mr. Carnegie has given about $50,000 to the society, and other benefactors have also contributed largely to the organization's treasury. Those who have given $25,000 or more are, in addition of Mr. Carnegie and Colonel Kuser, William Rockefeller, Samuel Thorn and Jacob Schiff. Those names were announced Tuesday, and at the same time plans were discussed for raising during the present year one-fourth of the proposed endowment of $1,000,000.

### H. C. PITNEY WAS 83 YEARS OLD YESTERDAY.

Morristown, Jan. 20.—Former Vice-Chancellor Henry C. Pitney yesterday celebrated his eighty-third birthday. He had no birthday cake with eighty-three candles, or anything like that.

Mr. Pitney was at his desk in the Iron Bank building when the reporter went there, and was hard at work with his stenographer. He still goes to his office every day, sometimes walks and other times rides and spends many hours over legal papers.

### FEARS FOR OLD SOLDIER.

Toms River, Jan. 20.—The whole countryside is wondering over the mysterious disappearance of Jacob Disbrow, a Civil War veteran, who lived alone in a cabin or shanty south of this village. Disbrow has not been seen since Christmas night, and his old war comrades fear that he perished in the big storm either in a neighboring pond or in the woods.

Disbrow's shanty stood by itself south of the Pennsylvania Railroad tracks, which is three-quarters of a mile from the village proper, and on the bank of a millpond. The road from the village to the railroad station, which Disbrow traveled to reach his lonely cabin, is across a causeway with ponds on one side and the river on the other. Disbrow was of convivial habits, and when last seen in the storm he had been drinking. He had recently come from the hospital at Long Branch, where he had a cancer cut from his face, and was not very strong.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

# NEW BRUNSWICK'S BALL TEAM COST $14,000

New Brunswick's crack baseball team cost the New Brunswick Amusement Company $13,468.89 last season. The annual report which was presented at the meeting of the association Tuesday night showed that $4,958.20 was paid out for salaries of players, $4,503.39 as guarantees to visiting teams, and $4,007.39 was expended for the erection of grandstand, bleachers and putting the diamond in shape.

It is probable that Dave Driscoll will pilot the Middlesex aggregation again. The annual meeting of the association, according to reports, was a scrappy affair between the Driscollites and those who opposed Driscoll's re-engagement as manager for the 1910 season. The former won out by a small majority, which make it almost certain that the former Plainfield favorite will land the plum again.

### SAYS MILLER IS INSANE.

**Relatives Wrangle Over Condition of Man's Mind.**

Robert Miller, a resident of Union, was adjudged insane by a jury in the County Court yesterday afternoon. The case was tried before a lunacy commission, of which Foster M. Voorhees was chairman. Some of Miller's relatives testified that he was sane and that there is no good reason why other relatives should want him declared insane.

On the other hand, these latter testified that they were taking the step for his own good and as a measure of safety for his family. Miller is wealthy. He took the stand in his own behalf. Theodore C. English represents him.

### LOVE AND GENIUS.

Love stories of even the most humble order are always interesting, but the love affairs of greatness and genius have a fascination that never ceases. The great men of passing centuries have been charmed by all kinds of women—old women of wonderful minds, young women of no minds at all, ladies of the hipless figure, ladies of tublike lines, beautiful women, plain women, good women, and those who are not so good. But genuine, true, unaltering affection has been claimed only by those who merited it through goodness, character and mental brilliancy.

As a general rule the man of splendid intellect who indulges in great hopes and great deeds, who gives his heart and mind and soul to splendid endeavor and high art seeks for his loved one that type of woman who best understands and who most deeply appreciate his ambitions and his work, who encourages always, dispels his fears, doubles his hopes, and who gives the strength and power of her woman's sweetness and companionship to help him along the rough way of life. The tremendous influence of the woman of cleverness and wit is typified by the love affairs of George Sand, who for many years was surrounded by a circle of the greatest and most wonderful men of her day.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

Elsie Janis in "The Fair Co-Ed" at Plainfield Theatre Monday, Jan. 24.

### MENDING FOR BACHELORS.

The taste and skill which is required for high-class dressmaking and millinery is often lacking in a girl who is otherwise a good needlewoman, and who would be only too willing to turn her knowledge of plain needlework—mending, darning, etc.—to a useful account as a means of earning a little money if some occupation in this line could be found for her.

To such a girl mending for bachelors would provide the means of making a small income, which, by steady perseverance and the recommendation of clients, would increase year by year.

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A practical knowledge of needlework, darning, sewing on buttons firmly and neatly, marking handkerchiefs, which should always be done extremely carefully, and of carrying out the minor repairs of a man's wardrobe is all that will be required. Sometimes the mender can recuff shirts, and this is an advantage but as a good sewing machine is necessary to carry out the work successfully it is not always practicable.

No very important repairs will be expected of the mender for bachelors, as the relining of coats, new velvet collars, etc., are invariably sent to a tailor, but she might be required to doctor the frayed edges of trousers, and small repairs such as enlarging a waistcoat, etc., would be considered within her scope.

To renovate trousers which are frayed at the edges the most satisfactory plan is to undo the hem, stitch (preferably with a sewing machine) the frayed edges together on the wrong side, hem up afresh and press most carefully with a damp cloth laid over the material.

Thorough pressing with a heavy iron is the secret of successful mending, as it is for the successful making of clothes, and is one of the things which the mender should never omit.

To obtain work the mender must canvass in the neighborhood in which she resides, and further afield if necessary.

A call should be made and cards left with the heads of large boarding houses, the housekeepers of bachelor flats, and cards might be left at flats of houses known to be inhabited by bachelors.

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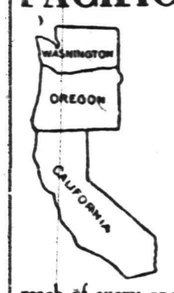


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# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

## PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

A dance was held last night in the borough fire house by a number of young people from Fanwood and Plainfield. The affair was well attended and a good time was enjoyed by all. Guests were present from Westfield, Plainfield and Dunellen.

The basketball team of the Baptist A. C. is holding its own with the other teams of the Sunday School League. The team is handicapped by having no place to practice. However, they have won all games played so far.

A Dime Sociable will be held tomorrow night at the home of the Misses Moffitt, Mountain avenue. Proceeds are for the benefit of the Methodist church. All are invited to attend.

A number of young people from here and Plainfield will have a straw ride tonight, the destination being Mt. Bethel, when a collation and dance will be enjoyed.

Captain H. B. Sounders, of Washington Valley, is in the South for several weeks on business connected with the Lyods Marine Insurance Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Meyer, of Park avenue, have been entertaining relatives from out of town.

The B. and E. Co. are arranging to hold a dance in Excelsior Hall the latter part of the month.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., holds a regular meeting tonight in the Library rooms.

## DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The funeral service of Mrs. Mary Ann Letson, of Stelton, who died on Tuesday, in her ninety-third year, will be conducted by the Rev. Dr. William T. Dorward, pastor of the First Baptist church at Stelton, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock at the deceased's late home in that village. Mrs. Letson was one of the oldest residents of Piscataway township. She died on the same farm on which she was born. A stroke of paralysis nine years ago rendered her an invalid for that period. Mrs. Letson is survived by four children: Benjamin F. Letson, Peter R. Letson, Mrs. Mary A. Letson, of Stelton, and William Letson, of New York.

The old Craig Chair Factory is undergoing changes and machinery is being installed. J. Harrington, of Newark, has rented the building and will engage in the leather refining business. One of his specialties of manufacture will be shoe-soles.

The men of the First Presbyterian church are planning to hold a supper and entertainment at the conclusion of the present series of union envangelical services.

Mrs. Jacob Kleiner entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the German Reformed church at her home yesterday afternoon.

Henry Case, who injured his wrist by falling on the ice a couple of weeks ago, is recovering the use of his hand slowly.

## SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The failure of the Plainfield Auto Bus Company to operate any cars since the blizzard makes it hard to get back and forth. The cars could be run easily as the roads are entirely open and free from drifts.

Persons working in Plainfield found it difficult to get to their work yesterday as Plainfield avenue was flooded from the city limits to Randolph road from the effects of the recent rain and thaw.

All members are requested to be present at the meeting of the Middlesex Volunteer Fire Company tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Harry Teeple, of Newark, a former resident of South Plainfield, is renewing old acquaintances here.

## BERKELEY HEIGHTS.

There are 146 children attending the schools of the township of New Providence, most of whom are saving their pennies. William Jeffery, who is doing so much for the children, serves as president of the fund and the principal, William Woodruff, as treasurer. Each child has a pass book and the funds are deposited in a trust company. Some of the little tots have as low a credit balance as 1 cent, the larger ones having several dollars. The fund is growing fast and bids to assume large proportions in the near future. Provision s have been made for the payment of the money in the event of the death of either or both of the officers. The principal is about to organize a fife and drum corps of the larger boys and Mr. Jeffrey will present them with suitable drums and fifes.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

## FOOD COST COMMERCE.

To ascertain if possible the real cause for the high prices of food products, a conference of all the commercial bodies of New York State is to be held in Syracuse in March.

Representatives from the fruit sections of Oregon, California and Washington, together with men from the middle West, far West and South representing producers of food products, will be invited to attend.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Epworth League of the Grace M. E. church will hold its monthly sociable in the church tomorrow night.

The January Calumet Club, of Bethel chapel, will hold its first supper and entertainment in the chapel tonight.

Fred E. Smith will lead the meeting at the Plainfield Rescue Mission tonight at 8 o'clock and Mrs. John Manley will sing.

The Fourth Quarterly Conference meet of Grace M. E. church will be held tomorrow night at the parsonage, 20 Park place.

## WANT MINISTERS TO WORK AGAINST LIQUOR.

It was urged at the eighty-eighth meeting of the Presbyterq of Elizabeth, held in the First Presbyterian church at Roselle Park, that the clergymen take a more active and personal part in fighting the liquor interest. Delegates suggested that they, as clergymen, should be seen oftner before excise boards and courts opposing liquor licenses. Rev. J. G. Mason, of Metuchen, opened a discussion among the delegates on the liquor question when he made his report as chairman of the temperance committee. Mr. Mason, in his report, said that the friends of the saloon are working to deceive the people. He scored the people of Atlantic City by declaring that, when they stood for the open saloon and the saloon interest, they were as much in rebellion against good government as were the people of the South in 1865. He referred to the recent situation in Atlantic City as the "Rum Rebellion."

"New Jersey," he said, "is in bondage, because of its archaic liquor laws." Mr. Mason asked for a larger appropriation for temperance work and approval of the work of the State Anti-Saloon League. He favored local option and also favored petitioning the State to enact laws that would prevent other States from sending liquor into the State.

## CHANGES IN COURTHOUSE OFFICES ARE TO BE MADE.

The Public Grounds and Buildings Committee and the Committee on Jail Inspection of the Union County Board of Freeholders met Tuesday afternoon in the Courthouse in Elizabeth. The Jail Committee made its usual inspection.

The other committee, accompanied by contractors, spent considerable time in the offices of County Clerk Calvert, Sheriff Kirkland and County Registrar Smith. The freeholders expect to make several important changes in the equipment and arrangement of the offices. In the county clerk's and registrar's office partitions will be erected so that the clerks can do business from behind an enclosure as in banks and other business houses.

At the present time there are only railings and tables in the offices separating the business force from the main part of the office rooms. The sheriff's office will be enlarged by the cutting down of a partition separating at the present time the constables room and that used by the sheriff as a main office.

## CLEVELAND'S BOYCOTT CUTS PRICES ON MEAT.

The anti-meat-eating movement started in Cleveland some days ago, which has given impetus to such a move throughout the country, already has had its effect in that city. A straight cut of two cents a pound on certain meats has been announced, and other cuts are to follow. Meat dealers said that sales had fallen off one-half in two days and they were alarmed.

Already over 10,000 persons have pledged themselves to abstain from meat for at least thirty days, and the vegetarian plan has met with such favor that thousands over the State are getting in line following the suggestion of State Senator Williams that a meat boycott be inaugurated till Easter Sunday.

The Butchers' Protective Association held a meeting last night in an effort to devise plans for combating the movement.

### New Show at Proctor's.

The new show offered at Proctor's theatre today will surely please the patrons of this popular house. Ethel Carpenter & Co. will present a sketch, "The Show Girl's Husband," full of comedy and pathos; Ryno, Emerson & Meehan, a comedy trio, are featuring Miss Emerson, who has a phenomenal baritone double voice. The Carleton Sisters are rapid fire dancers and singers, while Ward & Lansgar give a line of comedy talk that is a scream and the bill will be completed with the best films d'art.

### Mrs. Smalley's Funeral.

A large gathering of friends attended the funeral service of Mrs. Ambrose Smalley which was held at her late home on Coddington avenue at 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, conducted the service and interment was made in the family plot at Bound Brook.

—Special sale of flour by the barrel at Neuman Bros. Pillsbury, Hecker's and Gold Medal.

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## A MERCHANT OF FEZ.

### Description of His Rise and His Ignominious Fall.

The merchants of Fez are to be found all over Morocco. In due course Ali Mahmoud launches out into business on a large scale. He prospers exceedingly and presently purchases a black female slave to assist his wife in her duties. Ali Mahmoud takes a house in the Medina quarter of Fez, overlooking the pleasant olive groves. In course of time he buys two more slaves and is fairly set up as a householder.

When his first daughter is born there is great rejoicing. The baby is immediately stained all over its little body with henna and then smeared liberally with butter and wrapped in woolen cloths. On the seventh day these are removed, and the child is washed for the first time. When the girl has reached her first year her head is shaved, leaving a little tuft by which Mohammed could catch her up to heaven if he were so disposed. In her seventh year her hair has grown long again. She is then veiled, and her proud father sets about looking for a husband for her. It is still the custom to betroth children from infancy.

Ali Mahmoud prospers, and, save for a few domestic troubles, his life runs smoothly. In the evenings Ali will sit and smoke in the bosom of his family. On Thursdays and Saturdays he visits his friends. They pass the time in simple games of cards or in listening to the weird efforts of itinerant musicians. Our merchant gets stout as he approaches middle age. One day his world tumbles about him. Such is the uncertainty of fate in Morocco.

He was serving in his shop when the customer suddenly raised his voice and cried out that he was getting false weight. The accusation was terrible, and Ali vehemently protested his innocence. It was an arranged charge by an enemy of the merchant, who philosophically bowed his head with the saying: "Kismet! Mine enemy has found me, and the serpent requires milk." The arbitrators are called, and, having been bribed previously, they find Mahmoud guilty and sentence him to the usual punishment meted out to givers of false weights. He is dragged to the southern wall of the city, to a place where a tall gibbet is erected. By the irony of fate it is within sight of his own house. A rope is made fast to his right wrist and hoisted up until his toes can just touch the ground. Here he is left till sunset. The idlers jeer at him, and the gamins of the quarter pelt him with stones and refuse. At sundown his friends carry him home, a poor, bruised and senseless body. Broken and disgraced, thus ended his career as a respectable merchant.—Morocco Cor. London Graphic.

### Oil Bathing.

Oil bathing is a regular institution among the Hindoos. An experienced masseur rubs the oil on his patrons, friends or relatives generally once a week. And it is a fact that moles, warts and such faults of the surface of the skin are very rare among them. The newborn infant gets the oil bath daily for forty days. The intervals are then gradually lengthened, but he will be considered a very naughty boy who during his school days tries to shirk the oil bath at least once a week. As a youngster he yells all the time he is being bathed. Perhaps it is good for his lungs. Anyhow, nobody thinks of finding fault with the nurse for the hallooing of her charge, and generally speaking it may be said that Indians have better lungs and better pectorals as compared to the body weight than the Europeans, and the feminine bust is decidedly fuller and more perfect.—C. N. Saldanha in Lancet.

### How to Carry Books.

The Philadelphia free library permits patrons to take out six books at a time during certain months.

"If you are not going to wrap those books up let me show you how to carry them," said one of the assistants at the library recently.

Then the young woman slipped a cover of one book inside of a cover of one she placed on the top of it, building up a pile of six books in this fashion, and the man addressed, who was carrying the volumes home to please his wife, the reader of the family, found his difficulties were much lessened.—Philadelphia Press.

### Too Much Like Work.

The happy mother of a seven-months-old baby, whose chief business seems to be making a noise in the world, was paying her sister a visit, and the other evening young Master Harry, aged seven years, was delegated to care for the baby while his elders were at dinner. So he wheeled it back and forth, forth and back, the length of the library, giving vent to his sentiments by singing, much to the amusement of the family:

"Gee whiz, I'm glad I'm free!
No wedding bells for me!"

—Ladies' Home Journal.

### An Expensive Production.

"You were very lavish with the snowstorm in the third act."

"Yes," explained the manager. "I bought that snow when white paper was not so high as it is now."—Kansas City Journal.

### Domestic Note.

"Give the devil his due," he said.

"I'm willing to," she snapped, "but you're in pretty good health, and he'll have to wait."—Atlanta Constitution.

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Funeral service at her late residence, Piscataway Township, on Friday, January 21, 1910, at 2:30 p. m. Interment Evergreen, Brooklyn. 1 19 2

TALMADGE—At Prescott, Arizona, on January 10, 1910, Arthur White Talmadge, son of Henry Pearl and Lucy White Talmadge.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence, Netherwood, on Friday morning, January 21, at half-past eleven. It is kindly requested that no flowers be sent.

STAHL—At Philadelphia, on Wednesday, January 19, 1910, William R., son of Sophia and the late Christopher Stahl, aged 37 years.

Services at the residence of his mother, 202 Grove street, North Plainfield, on Friday, January 21, at 2:30 p. m.

FRENCH—On Wednesday, January 19, 1910, James Engle, son of Edward V. and Ernestine Negus French, aged 11 years, and 4 months.

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WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

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WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call 615 East Second St. 1 19 2

WANTED—A competent white girl as chambermaid and waitress; Plainfield reference. Mrs. Stillman, 426 West Seventh St. 1 19 2

WANTED—White girl as cook and laundress. Call evenings, 1216 Watchung avenue. 1 19 6

WHITE girl for general housework. Crane, 15 New Madison. 1 19 3

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. 45 Sandford Ave. 1 20 3

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WANTED—White girl for general housework. 331 East Seventh St. 1 18 5

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WANTED—Positions for several nurses, men and women, with first-class references. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue. 'Phone 1347-L. 1 19 2

COLORED woman wants place at day's work or laundress; good reference. 313 Plainfield Ave. 1 20 3

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TWO large connecting rooms and adjoining small room, fully furnished. Mrs. Lena Hellstrom, 312 East Seventh St. 1 19 6

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TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

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MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

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MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 17 6

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LOANS negotiated

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Colt's acetylene gas generator, 35 light machine. C., Daily Press. 1 20 3

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## OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS.

Adjourned meeting of the Union County Board of Freeholders held on Friday, December 31, 1909, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call showed the following members present: Director King, Freeholders Adams, Cady, Cladek, Crane, Darby, Doane, Garrison, Haviland, Jensen, Jones, Martin, Meisel, Perry, Robison, Smith, Stephan and Wilbur—18.

Absent—Freeholders Krouse and Swain—2.

On motion of Freeholder Cady the minutes of the meeting of December 29 were approved as read.

**Communications.**

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union

Gentlemen—I hereby tender my resignation as a member of this board, to take effect immediately.

Very respectfully,
BENJAMIN KING.

On motion of Freeholder Darby the resignation of Freeholder King was accepted.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur Freeholder Cady was elected Director pro tem.

Freeholder Doane nominated Benjamin King for clerk to fill the unexpired term of S. R. Runyon, resigned, which was seconded by Freeholder Cladek.

It was ordered that the Director cast a ballot and upon ballot being cast the Director declared that Benjamin King was duly elected clerk for the balance of the legal term.

The clerk briefly returned his thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

The oath of office was then administered to him by the Director.

**Reports of Committees.**

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—During the year of 1909 I have investigated 380 cases. There were 120 deaths from railroads, trolley cars, automobiles, electric shocks, falls and drowning, and 260 deaths from natural causes. Six cases were referred to the Coroner.

FRANK WESCOTT,
County Physician.

On motion of Freeholder Cladek received and placed on file.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Soldiers' Monuments makes the following as its report for the year ending December 29, 1909:

We have approved on the recommendation of General J. Madison Drake, county supervisor, the payment of $35 in each case for the funeral expenses of (13) thirteen soldiers and sailors as follows: Elizabeth, 5; Rahway, 5; Plainfield, 1; Westfield, 1; Springfield, 1.

The supervisor, whose duty it is to investigate cases of this character, has disapprpoved five applications for this relief, having ascertained that the parties named by the undertaker, who presented bills, left sufficient means to pay for burial.

Fourteen granite monuments were erected at Hillside Cemetery, Plainfield, during the year, and the board has ordered the marking of sixty-seven (67) other graves in various cemeteries, applications for the same having been made by next of kin in each case. The new monuments, to cost $14.75 each, are to be of the best Quincy granite, eight inches thick, twenty inches wide, and set in the ground to a depth of two feet, exposing stone nine inches above the surface at lowest point, showing a polished beveled top, on which will be plainly inscribed the name, rank, command, and dates of birth and death of the dead soldier. Your committee hopes to award the contract of these stones at an early day, so that they may be erected before the coming Memorial Day.

Your committee accompanied the supervisor on his visits to most of the cemeteries in the county, in his search for unmarked graves and were pained to find many in a sadly neglected condition; we also found numerous stones erected by the county incorrectly marked, and in one instance two county stones on one grave, and on several others both a count ystone and a Government stone.

The supervisor, who is working assiduously on the task he has in hand, to which he is devoting intelligent attention, will shortly be able to present to the board a voluminous report, containing the correct name, rank and command, with the dates of birth and death of all soldiers and sailors sleeping their long sleep in the cemeteries of Union county, designating graves that are marked and unmarked. The document will be historical as well as valuable for reference.

Your committe recently addressed each board of freeholders in the State a typewritten circular calling attention to the law making it the imperative duty of all counties to erect monuments, marking the graves of al honorably discharged soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the army or navy of the United States during the late rebellion or in later wars, the supervisor having reported that in certain counties—notably Essex, Middlesex, Somerset and Morris, the graves of the Union county soldiers have not been marked as the law commands. While Union county has already marked many graves of soldiers from abroad, brought within its jurisdiction for interment, and will continue the sacred task until complete, other counties have failed to comply with provisions of the law in paying this tribute to our dead heroes. Particularly is this the case in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, near Elizabeth, and the Catholic cemetery, near Millburn, in Essex county; in Hazelwood Cemetery, near Rahway, Middlesex county; and a cemetery in North Plainfield, Somerset county, in which rest nearly two hundred Union county braves.

Respectfully submitted,
J. HERVEY DOANE,
JOHN N. CADY,
JOSEPH PERRY,
JOHN H. STEPHAN,
CHARLES JENSEN,
Committee on Soldiers' Monuments.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and placed on file.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union:

Gentlemen — The undersigned would respectfully submit to your honorable body the following report of repairs to county and State roads for the year of 1909.

10 miles 522 feet of 1½ inch work
16⅞ miles repaired with ¾ inch stone and screening.
55¾ miles of gutters cleaned.

Liquid asphalt was used as a binder on the work on the Seven Bridge road, also a light application of liquid asphalt was used on the work on Morris avenue in Springfield; also all the county and State Aid roads have been sprayed with road oil, St. George avenue and North and South avenues and a part of Mountain avenue having had the second application of oil.

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES W. FINK,
Inspector.

On motion of Freeholder Smith received and placed on file.

By the Committee on County Roads.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen — Your Committee on County Roads would respectfully report that they have carefully looked after the repairs on the county roads during the period from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, and that they have kept the same in as good condition as the funds at their disposal permitted, and have expended thereon, out of the appropriations allowed, the sum of $30,060.89.

E. K. ADAMS,
S. P. T. WILBUR,
G. B. CLADEK,
P. F. MEISEL,
Committee.

On motion of Freholder Darby received and placed on file.

By Committee to Settle with County Clerk:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee to Settle with the County Clerk respectfully report that the receipts of the office from November 15, 1909, to December 31, 1909, were $337.15, and the expenses of said office from November 15, 1909, to December 31, 1909, were $1,463.

Respectfully submitted,
S. P. T. WILBUR,
AARON D. CRANE,
WILLIAM H. GARRISON,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Adams received and placed on file.

By Committee to Settle with the Registrar.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee to settle with the Registrar would respectfully report that the receipts of the office from November 15, 1909, to December 31, 1909, were $2,168.10, and the expenses from November 15, 1909, to December 31, 1909, were $1,733.12.

Respectfully submitted,
J. HERVEY DOANE,
PETER MEISEL,
GEORGE B. CLADEK,

Onmotion of Freeholder Robison received and placed on file.

By the Committee on Lunacy.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Lunacy would respectfully report that there has been expended during the year for the maintenance of the patients of Union county at the New Jersey State Hospital and Village for Epileptics and other necessary expenses the sum of $41,189.74.

Your committee would further report that they have visited the asylum at different intervals and found the patients well cared for.

Respectfully submitted.
PETER H. MEISEL,
CHARLES A. SMITH,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Darby received and placed on file.

By the Committee on Surrogate's Account.

Gentlemen—Your committee on Surrogate's Account respectfully report:

We have examined the books and vouchers of the Surrogate for the month of December, 1909, and find them correct, and the net receipts are $974.59, which amount has been turned over to the County Collector.

Dated December 31, 1909.

The net total amounts received for the year are $10,158.43, less total amount expenses, salaries and clerk hire, $9,880.04; net profit, $278.39.

CHARLES A. SMITH,
BRADFORD JONES,
WILLIAM H. GARRISON,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Smith received and placed on file.

By Committee on Legal Questions.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Legal Questions would respectfully report that nothing of any importance was referred to the committee for its consideration during the past year, and what little business came before the committee received due attention.

CHARLES J. JENSEN,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Darby received and placed on file.

By Committee on Elizabeth Drawbridges.

To the Chosen Board of Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your committee on Elizabeth Drawbridges would respectfully report that the drawbridges in the city of Elizabeth have received due and proper consideration at the hands of your committee during the period from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, that repairs have been made whenever found necessary, supplies furnished and the bridges kept in safe and proper condition for public use and travel.

CHARLES J. PENSEN,
E. K. ADAMS,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Smith received and placed on file.

By Committee on Stationery.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Stationery would respectfully report that the amount expended during the period from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, which was for stationery, books of records and account books, and for such other purposes as were necessary for the proper conduct of the different offices of the court and county officials who are entitled to secure their stationery from this board was $3,462.55.

ELSTON DARBY,
PETER H. MEISEL,
AARON D. CRANE,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Haviland received and placed on file.

By Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Public Grounds and Buildings would respectfully report that they have expended during the year from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, the sum of $25,748.40. This amount has been expended for the purchase of coal for the heating of the public buildings, the salary of the custodian of the Courthouse building and the help necessary for maintaining the same for the proper conduct of the public business, for gas and electric lighting and for all such other purposes as were necessary for the preservation of the county grounds and buildings for the public good.

JOHN N. CADY,
CHARLES A. SMITH,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Jensen received and placed on file.

By the Committee on Discharge of Prisoners.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Discharge of Prisoners beg leave to report that they held regular meetings during the period from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, for the purpose of granting a deduction in the sentence of prisoners for good conduct while under confinement in the jail upon the recommendation of the warden, and approved by the presiding judge of the Court of Common Pleas, as approved by law and in each case when legal allowance was asked for it was granted.

CHARLES A. SMITH,
JOHN ROBISON,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Cladek received and placed on file.

By the Committee on Rahway Drawbridges.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County ow Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee of Rahway Drawbridge would respectfully report that they have looked after the bridge during the period from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, and have had necessary repairs made and kept the same in condition for public use.

GEORGE B. CLADEK,
JACOB MARTIN,
JOSEPH PERRY,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and placed on file.

By Committee on Jail Inspection.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—At a meeting on Jail Inspection held on December 31, 1909, we appointed Dr. Horace R. Livengood as jail physician for the ensuing year at the usual compensation of $300 per year, such amount to cover all medical services needed to the prisoners of the county jail during the year.

JOSEPH PERRY,
J. HERVEY DOANE,
JOHN H. STEPHAN,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Stephan received and placed on file.

By Committee on Publication.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Publication would respectfully report that they have expended during the period from January 1, 1909, to December 31, 1909, for publishing the minutes of this board and for such other work as authorized by the committee, the sum of $1,813.73.

JOHN ROBISON,
JACOB MARTIN,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Jones received and placed on file.

By Committee to Settle with Collector.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee to Settle with the County Collector respectfully report that they have examined his books showing with his vouchers, bonds and coupons paid and bank books, and we find the same agree and are correct in every particuar.

His total receipts from the beginning of the fiscal year to December 31, 1909, are $2,021,614.81; total disbursements are $1,597,833.51, leaving a balance in bank of $423,781.30.

S. P. T. WILBUR,
JOHN CADY,
Committee.

On motion of Freeholder Cladek received and placed on file.

Freeholder Smith then on behalf of the members of the board presented Freeholder Cladek, one of the retiring members, with a handsome traveling bag.

Freeholder Cladek expressed his regret that his term of office was about expiring, thanking the members for the courtesy with which he had been treated, and expressing his desire that the board have a successful year.

Freeholder Doane then, on behalf of the members, presented to Freeholder Stephan, the other retiring member, a handsome scarf pin, which was duly acknowledged by the recipient.

Freeholder Darby moved to adjourn sine die, which was so ordered, and the Director pro tem thereupon declared the board so adjourned.

BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

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# THE GUEST OF QUESNAY

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"I mean, have you caught another glimpse of Mr. Saffren?"

At that she showed a prettier color in her cheeks than any in her sketch-

*"I think she must be in love."*

book, but gave no other sign of shame nor even of being flustered, cheerfully replying:

"That is far from the point. Do you grant my burning plea?"

"I understood I had offended you."

"You did," she said. "Viciously!"

"I am sorry," I continued. "I wanted to ask you to forgive me"—

"What made you think I was offended?"

"Your look of reproach when you left the table"—

"I was only playing offended. I thought your note was fetching!" she said.

"Will you take me painting with you?" she added. "If it will convince you that I mean it I'll give up my hopes of seeing that sumptuous Mr. Saffren and go back to Quesnay now, before he comes home. You can't know how enervating it is up there at the chateau—all except Mrs. Harman, and even she"—

"What about Mrs. Harman?" I asked as she paused.

"I think she must be in love."

"What!"

"I do think so," said the girl. "She's like it, at least. I'm afraid she's my rival!"

"Not with"— I began.

"Yes, with your beautiful and mad young friend."

"But—oh, it's preposterous!" I cried, profoundly disturbed. "She couldn't be! If you knew a great deal about her"—

"I may know more than you think. My simplicity of appearance is deceptive," she mocked, beginning to set her sketch box in order. "You don't realize that Mrs. Harman and I are quite hurled upon each other at Quesnay, being two ravishingly intelligent women entirely surrounded by large bodies of elementals. She has told me a great deal of herself since that first evening, and I know—well, I know why she did not come back from Dives this afternoon, for instance."

"Why?" I fairly shouted.

She slid her sketch into a groove in the box, which she closed, and rose to her feet before answering.

"I might tell you some day," she said indifferently, "if I gained enough confidence in you through association in daily pursuits."

"My dear young lady," I cried with real exasperation, "I am a workingman, and this is a working summer for me!"

"Do you think I'd spoil it?" she urged gently.

"But I get up with the first daylight to paint," I protested, "and I paint all day"—

Oliver Saffren had come in from the road and was crossing to the gallery steps. He lifted his hat and gave me a quick word of greeting as he passed, and at the sight of his flushed and happy face my riddle was solved for me. Amazing as the thing was, I had no doubt of the revelation.

"Ah," I said to Miss Elliott when he had gone, "I won't have to take pupils to get the answer to my question now!"

It was evening when I heard Saffren's voice calling my name.

"Here," I answered from my veranda, where I had just lighted my second cigar.

"No more work tonight! All finished!" he cried jubilantly, springing down the steps. "I'm coming to have a talk with you."

"I won't sit down," he said. "I'll walk up and down in front of the veranda if it doesn't make you nervous."

For answer I merely laughed, and he laughed, too, in genial response, continuing gaily:

"Oh, it's all so different with me. Everything is. That blind feeling I told you of—it's all gone. I must have been very babyish the other day. I don't think I could feel like that again. It used to seem to me that I lived penned up in a circle of blank stone walls. I couldn't see over the top for myself at all, though now and then Keredec would boost me up and let me get a little glimmer of the country roundabout, but never long enough to see what it was really like. But it's not so now. Ah"—he drew a long breath—"I'd like to run. I think I could run all the way to the top of a pretty fair sized mountain tonight and then"—he laughed—"jump off and ride on the clouds."

He paused in his sentry go, facing me, and said in a low voice:

"I've seen her again."

"Yes; I know."

"But that's not all," he said, his voice rising a little. "I saw her again the day after she told you"—

"You did!" I murmured.

"Oh, I tell myself that it's a dream," he cried, "that it can't be true, for it has been every day since then! That's why I haven't joined you in the woods. I have been with her, walking with her, listening to her, looking at her, always feeling that it must be unreal and that I must try not to wake up. She has been so kind—so wonderfully, beautifully kind to me!"

"She has met you?" I asked, thinking ruefully of George Ward, now on the high seas in the pleasant company of old hopes renewed.

"She has let me meet her. And today we lunched at the inn at Dives and then walked by the sea all afternoon. She gave me the whole day—the whole day. You see"—he began to pace again—"you see, I was right, and you were wrong. She wasn't offended—she was glad—that I couldn't help speaking to her. She has said so."

"Do you think," I interrupted, "that she would wish you to tell me this?"

"Ah, she likes you!" he said so heartily and appearing meanwhile so satisfied with the completeness of his reply that I was fain to take some satisfaction in it myself. "What I wanted most to say to you," he went on, "is this: You remember you promised to tell me whatever you could learn about her and about her husband."

"I remember."

"It's different now; I don't want you to," he said. "I want only to know what she tells me herself. She has told me very little, but I know when the times comes she will tell me everything. But I wouldn't hasten it. I wouldn't have anything changed from just this!"

"You mean"—

"I mean the way it is. If I could hope to see her every day, to be in the woods with her or down by the shore—oh, I don't want to know anything but that!"

"No doubt you have told her," I ventured, "a good deal about yourself," and was instantly ashamed of myself. I suppose I spoke out of a sense of protest against Mrs. Harman's strange lack of conventionality.

"I've told her all I know," he said readily, and the unconscious pathos of the answer smote me. "And all that Keredec has let me know. You see I haven't"—

"But do you think," I interrupted quickly, anxious, in my remorse, to divert him from that channel—"do you think Professor Keredec would approve, if he knew?"

"I think he would," he responded slowly, pausing in his walk again. "I have a feeling that perhaps he does know, and yet I have been afraid to tell him. I think he knows everything in the world! I have felt tonight that he knows this, and—it's very strange, but I—well, what was it that made him so glad?"

"The light is still burning in his room," I said quietly.

"You're right. I'll tell him tonight." This came with sudden decision, but with less than marked what followed. "But he can't stop me now. No one on earth shall do that, except Mme. d'Armand herself—no one!"

I saw his hand groping toward me in the darkness, and, rising, I gave him mine.

"Good night," he said. "I'm glad to tell him. I'm glad to have told you. Ah, but isn't this," he cried, "a happy world!"

Turning, he ran to the gallery steps. "At last I'm glad," he called back over his shoulder—"I'm glad that I was born"—

I heard his voice indistinctly, but I thought, though I might have been mistaken, that I caught a final word and that it was "again."

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It was one of those days when nature throws herself straight in your face and you are at a loss to know whether she has kissed you or slapped you, though you are conscious of the tingle—a day, in brief, more for laughing than for painting, and the truth is that I suited its mood only too well and laughed more than I painted, though I sat with my easel before me and a picture ready upon my palette to be painted.

No one could have understood better than I that this was setting a bad example to the acolyte who sat, likewise facing an easel, ten paces to my left; a very sportsmanlike figure of a painter, indeed, in her short skirt and long coat of woodland brown, the fine brown of dead oak leaves; a "devastating" selection of color that, being much the same shade as her hair, with brown for her hat, too, and the veil encircling the small crown thereof, and brown again for the stout, high, laced boots which protected her from the wet tangle underfoot. Who could have expected so dashing a young person as Anne Elliott to do any real work at painting? Yet she did, narrowing her eyes to the finest point of concentration and applying herself to the task in hand with a persistence which I found on that particular morning far beyond my own powers.

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# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

The horse of Max Taylor took fright Tuesday on the Bridgeton turnpike and ran four miles before it was stopped by W. S. Bethel, a Pine Grove farmer.

For uttering an oath at the dogcatchers, who handled his hound roughly in their net, William Myers, of South Millville, was fined $7.25 by Mayor Smith.

Joseph Moore, alias "Wilson," of Mullica Hill, has gained just twenty-five pounds in six months in the Gloucester county jail, although the allowance for prisoners' food has been cut down by the freeholders.

The parents of seventeen-year-old William Morgan, who left his home in Millville, after a quarrel with his father last Sunday, are very anxious to locate the boy. A post card mailed from Philadelphia states that he is on his way to Atlanta, Ga.

Cologeic Bulfamante and family of six children, who live at Vineland, were saved from death by gas through the heroic efforts of the Misses Rose and Nancy Tusco. The girls awoke half dazed at 4 o'clock Tuesday morning and dragged the victims to the windows, although they said they were so dizzy themselves that they occasionally fell down. A gas pipe had burst in the cellar.

Upsetting an oil stove as she was carrying a Christmas tree out of the house yesterday, Mrs. Christina Rockefeller, forty years old, of 2826 Concord avenue, Camden, set fire to her dress and was burned in a horrible manner about the body, neck and arms. Her condition was reported as being very serious at Cooper Hospital. The rear of the house was gutted by the flames, entailing a loss of about $1,000.

Mr. and Mrs. George Callahan, of Gloucester City, claim to have the smallest baby in South Jersey. The baby was born four weeks ago, and at that time weighed one and one-half pounds, and now weighs but one pound heavier. The child is healthy and doing well, and has been named Walter Elliott Callahan.

First Assistant Chief Bernard C. Lyon, of Gloucester City, was suspended by the Board of Fire Commissioners Tuesday night until the next meeting of Council, which will be asked to dismiss him for disobedience. The board also dismissed eleven members of the department, nine for disobedience and two for dereliction of duty. The vacancies were filled by the election of new members.

William Hinman, of Woodbury, heard a noise on his roof as he and his wife were about to retire Monday night. Thinking it was made by a cat, he procured a revolver and threw up the window. He was confronted by a man lying on the roof, who wore a heavy veil, which disguised his features. Hinman ordered him to throw up his hands, but he merely rolled over and off the roof into a snow bank, out of range of Hinman's revolver shots. Several other residents report having heard similar noises.

The West Jersey Presbytery held its midwinter session in the Grace Presbyterian church, Camden, Tuesday, about forty members being in attendance. The pastoral relations of Rev. William C. Knight, of the Deerfield church, and Rev. John W. Lowden, of the Cold Springs church, were severed, both having gone to other fields, the former to Nottingham, Pa., and the latter to New Castle.

Miss Evelyn Gifford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Livingston Gifford, of Jersey City, gave a luncheon Tuesday, when her engagement was announced to Henry A. Gardner, of Chicago. Miss Gifford was a debutante two seasons ago and has been popular in the younger set ever since.

Declaring that her father, William A. Jordan, caused her to invest about $4,000 in property from money she secured from the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in a suit for damages, and that she has not been able to bring about a settlement, Mrs. Nellie R. J. Stiles began suit in the Camden Court of Chancery yesterday for an accounting and to set aside the deeds of several properties. Jordan admitted receiving $3,300 and not $3,900, as testified to by Mrs. Stiles, but declares that the money was a gift, and not given as a trust. He claims that it was his money that purchased the lots and erected buildings on Haddon avenue referred to by his daughter. The case was not concluded.

Misfortune has relentlessly pursued the family of Andrew Snyder, of Millville, in his time one of the most noted deer hunters in South Jersey, who died last July. Just prior to his death his home at Newcomtown was destroyed by fire, two of his horses died, his trained deer hounds were poisoned by an unidentified enemy and he was arrested and fined $100 for an infraction of the deer-hunting law. Now the family of the dead deer hunter is suffering ravages of diphtheria. Two of the children died, the eldest is in a critical condition and three are just convalescing from the disease. All these within the space of less than a year.

Miss Elsie Jones, of Jersey City, has returned home after a visit with friends here.

# STOCK EXCHANGE HOUSES ARE CARRIED DOWN

The failure of the important house of Lathrop, Haskins & Co. has been announced on the New York Stock Exchange. At the principal offices of the firm yesterday, it was announced that the failure was due to customers who had refused to make good their impaired margins. No announcement was made as to the assets and liabilities of the firm.

Lathrop, Haskins & Co. had for a long time been intimately associated with the interests of the Columbus and Hocking Coal and Iron Company.

The firm of Lathrop, Haskins & Co. was recognized as the board member, Henry S. Leverich as general partner, and Fannie Graves Lathrop, widow of the former senior partner of the old firm, as special partner.

Formerly the house was prominent in the bond business, but recently has been actively engaged in a general brokerage business.

The failure of J. M. Fiske & Co. was also announced on the Stock Exchange. The Fiske firm was organized in April, 1900. The members of the first are J. M. Fiske, Arthur C. Sherwood, Dudley T. Humphrey and Clifford M. Washburn.

**AGAINST BILL FOR SINGLE HEAD BOARDS.**

Jersey City, Jan. 20.—It was reported here Tuesday that Hudson County's twelve Democratic Assemblymen will oppose Mayor Wittpenn's bill providing for single-headed commissions in this city, the commissioners to be appointed by the Mayor. The bill will seek to give the Mayor the power of removing the commissioners who serve in his administration.

The Hudson County Assemblymen, in their platform pledges, are on record as favoring the election of more public officers.

At the Democratic caucus, held in Jersey City two weeks before the Legislature convened, the caucus voted to support bills favoring the extension of the elective system to all municipal and State administrative officers. Under this caucus rule the Hudson Assemblymen cannot vote for Mayor Wittpenn's single commission bill.

Were the bill to become a law the Street and Water Board would consist of but one commissioner, and, instead of being elected, he would be appointed by the Mayor. A single commissioner would then do the work of the Police Board, and a single commissioner would also serve for the Fire Board. Same story for the Excise Board.

**KIRKPATRICK-MATTISON WEDDING IS ANNOUNCED.**

New Brunswick, Jan. 20.—Announcement was made yesterday of the marriage of Andrew Kirkpatrick, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bayard Kirkpatrick, to Miss Ethel Mattison, daughter of Edgar H. Mattison, of French street. The wedding took place on December 18, 1909, at the parsonage of the Fourth Reformed church, Rev. Alan D. Campbell, officiating.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick was formerly employed as telephone operator at the Michelin Tire Works at Milltown. Mr. Kirkpatrick is a great-grandson of one of the early Mayors of New Brunswick, and a nephew of the late Judge Andrew Kirkpatrick, of the United States District Court for New Jersey. His father was city treasurer of New Brunswick for a number of years.

**BRAKES DIDN'T WORK AND TRAIN RUNS AWAY.**

Califon, Jan. 20.—The wrecking of an ore train on the High Bridge Branch Railroad Tuesday night blocked traffic on the main line of the Central road until 3 o'clock yesterday morning. Several cars and an engine were badly broken in front of the local station.

The fireman sustained injuries by jumping. Dr. William C. Alpaugh dressed the injuries and later he was taken to his home at Phillipsburg.

The engineer left his train on the east bound track and ran to the local station to get orders to run northbound on the barnch. Failure of the brakes to act, it is said, caused the train to run away and collide with the engine. A similar accident occurred here ten years ago, when one man was killed and several persons injured.

**HONORS FOR JERSEY STUDENTS.**

Princeton, Jan. 20.—In the elections for editorial positions on The Daily Princetonian, the college newspaper, two New Jersey boys were honored. Lawrence Myers Mead, 1911, of Plainfield, was elected managing editor, and Joseph Jeff Van Deventer, 1911, of Netherwood, was chosen assignment editor. In college circles these appointments carry with them a good deal of prestige. J. T. Woodhull, 1911, of San Antonio, Tex., was chosen editor-in-chief, the highest position on the paper, and Simeon R. Winch, 1911, of Portland, Ore., business manager. These men will take charge of the paper March 1.

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The star work in the contest was executed by Campbell, Shannon and Blatz. Johnny Campbell, the "anchor" of the Knights, led the process with a 246 mark. Shannon took second honors with a score of 222, while Blatz hit the pins at a 207 clip.

The Knights made a fine start in the series by winning the initial combat 887 to 815. The Woodmen finished on top in the second game after a hard battle by a margin of four pins, the score being 847 to 843. The scores:

**Knights of Columbus.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Blatz | 179 | 197 | 207 |
| O'Keefe | 190 | 151 | 181 |
| Taylor | 182 | 162 | ... |
| Higgins | ... | ... | 144 |
| Shannon | 145 | 156 | 222 |
| Campbell | 191 | 177 | 246 |
| | 887 | 843 | 1,000 |

**Woodmen.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Miller | 175 | 171 | 169 |
| C. Ortlieb | 161 | 172 | 199 |
| Koons | 184 | 210 | 166 |
| G. Ortlieb | 137 | 157 | 181 |
| Menzenbach | 158 | 137 | 223 |
| | 815 | 847 | 938 |

### N. P. H. S. BASKETBALL TEAM VICTORIOUS AGAIN.

The N. P. H. S. basketball team added another victory to its string at Bound Brok yesterday, where it humbled the Bound Brok High five by the score of 42 to 20. Becker, Smith and Dunning played star games at guard for the borough team while Gillespie starred for Bound Brook. The lineup:

N. P. H. S.: Forwards—Conroy, Stine, Taylor; centre C. Smith; guards, Becker, Smith, Dunning. Bound Brook: Forwards—Teston, Osnato; centre, Gillespie; guards, Trezza, Scheuer, Rose.

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# LEAL'S TRIUMPHANT OVER SOMERVILLE TEAM

Leal's basketball team outgeneraled the Somerville High's quintet on the Y. M. C. A. court yesterday afternoon the locals winning by the score of 46 to 14. Plainfield outclassed the Somerset County schoolboys in team work and in shooting goals and experienced little difficulty in landing the victory. The lineup:

Leals: Forwards—Lawrence, Dallas; centre, Jewett; guards, Hibbard, Foote. Somerville: Forwards—Brunt, Davenport; centre, Holstein; guards, Puble, Garretson.

# SOMERSET FIELD CLUB IS IN LINE FOR BALL SEASON

The Somerset Field club will be represented on the diamond again next season by a crack nine. Although snow covers the ground the borough athletes met at the home of Malcolm Krewson, 30 Summit avenue, last night, discussed baseball prospects and reorganized for the coming campaign. These officers were elected:

President, Harry Jackson; vice-president, George Townley; secretary and treasurer, Harry Lievers; manager, Malcolm Krewson; captain, George Townley. Manager Krewson expects that next season's aggregation will be considerably stronger in some departments. After the transaction of business refreshments were served.

# STAR RIDERS FOR THE NEWARK 6-DAY RACE

The Newark six-day bicycle race, which will be held in the First Regiment Armory, Newark, from February 7 to 12, promises to surpass in high-class riders even the Madison Square Garden event, held in New York in December. The Newark event will have National Champion Frank L. Kramer as the star, a rider of whose equal the New York grind never had, and who will team with Willie Fenn, the "Handicap King." Then two other combinations that John M. Chapman has signed up this week are Jimmy Moran and Iver Lawson and Eddie Root and Joe Folger. Moran is the greatest six-day rider in the world, and, with Floyd MacFarland, was the international championship team.

Promoter Chapman this week filed the plans of his eleven-lap track with the city building department at Newark, and secured the permit to construct it. The track will be built in three days, and it will be ready for the international sprint and motor race meet to be held in the armory Saturday night, February 5, two days before the start of the six-day race.

# CRANFORD HIGH SCHOOL IS NOT IN P.H.S. CLASS

The Plainfield High School team defeated the Cranford High School five yesterday afternoon by the score of 91 to 8. The game was a complete walkover for the local team and Cranford did not even have a look in. Morris played the star game for P. H. S., making thirty-eight goals, and Clark was a close second with eighteen.

Not a single member of the Cranford team played especially well. In the first half the visitors made all of their goals and the score stood 51 to 8 at the end. In the second half, the game furnished good practice for P. H. S. The line-up:

P. H. S.—Forwards, Morris, Clark, E. Woodhull, R. Woodhull; centre, Manley; guards, Doane, Overton, Vail.

Cranford—Forwards, Halsey, Lawrence; centre, Smith; guards, Oakey, McKinney.

The freshmen beat the juniors by a score of 26 to 21, between the halves of the other game. Jack Ricketts put up the best game.

Joseph M. Sweeny, son of Mrs. Marguerite Sweeny, of Liberty street, left on Tuesday for Washington, where he will remain until spring.

# FARMERS PROSPEROUS SO THE REPORTS SAY

At the opening session of the thirty-seventh annual convention of the New Jersey State Board of Agriculture, at Trenton yesterday, it was reported that the farmers of the State had been successful last year, in spite of bad weather and many new insect pests. The outlook for this year was declared to be promising, especially if the Legislature can be induced to grant an appropriation for combating the brown tail and gypsy moths, which threaten to work havoc with trees and vegetation during the coming summer.

Presenting his annual report, Franklin Dye, of Trenton, secretary of the board, showed that the crops of the New Jersey farms during the last year were valued at $59,357,955. This is an increase over the preceding year of $1,1614,802. Corn was the greatest grain crop of the year, there being a yield of 9,860,000 bushels, worth $7,395,000. Wheat, with 2,200,000 bushels was valued at $2,398,000. White potatoes, of which there were 6,800,000 bushels, were worth $5,576,000 and sweet potatoes 2,751,000 bushels, were worth $1,980,720.

There were 655,500 tons of hay worth $10,817,500, and the miscellaneous vegetables were worth $11,069,805. The milk yield of the year was worth $15,330,000 and the poultry and eggs were worth $2,750,000. The live stock on the farms is valued at $26,993,864. Cranberries were worth more than a million dollars.

Dr. Dye reported that the State has more than a million acres of undeveloped land, much of which may be made productive. He advocated the growing of grapes, vegetables and small fruits in the southern counties and the raising of sheep on the northern hills. Apples, he said, were not doing so well as formerly because of the ravages of the scale.

Dr. E. B. Voorhees, president of the board, made an address congratulating the farmers on their success and prospects. The meetings will be continued until Friday, when officers will be elected. Addresses will be made by experts from this and other States.

### STATE PRINTERS' LEAGUE HAS SESSION IN RAHWAY.

The State Printers' League of New Jersey was entertained Sunday afternoon by Rahway Typographical Union, No. 235. The session took place in Washington Hall. Delegates were present from Elizabeth, Jersey City, Hoboken, Newark, New Brunswick, Orange, Paterson, Perth Amboy, Plainfield, Rahway, Somerville and New York city. Seventy-two delegates and visitors honored with their presence.

President Claude Reed, of the Rahway Union, called the meeting to order at 2 o'clock, after which President Cornelius Ford, of Hoboken, presided.

The annual election of officers resulted as follows: President, Cornelius Ford, of Hoboken; vice-president, L. W. Niles, Somerville; secretary, Kenneth Forbes, Jersey City; treasurer, H. Thomas, Plainfield; sergeant-at-arms, E. Fitzsimmons, Hoboken.

The several reports presented were encouraging. They tend to show that printers were in demand, and, in so far as work was concerned, were prosperous.

Among the prominent speakers of the afternoon were President Small, of Newark Union, No. 103; President Totten, of Jersey City Union, No. 945; Organizers Stein and McLaughlin, of New York, and the Rev. Mr. Monroe, of Newark.

Following the session a repast furnished by the Rahway union was served by Caterer John T. Weber. The afterdinner speeches were in the nature of good and welfare. At the close of the entertainment the delegates ad visitors departed for their respective homes, well pleased with the reception they had received in Rahway.

### FORECLOSURE ON RAILWAY.

**Mount Holly Bank Seeks to Collect on $550,000 Mortgage.**

A bill was filed in the Court of Chancery at Trenton yesterday by the Mount Holly Safe Deposit and Trust Company for the foreclosure of a mortgage given by the Burlington County Railway Company to secure an issue of $550,000 in general mortgage five per cent. gold bonds.

This mortgage covers all of the property, franchises, &c., of the company which is a traction concern with a line extending from Stanwick, Burlington county, through Hartford and Masonville.

# DISTRICT MEETINGS OF S. S. ASSOCIATION

Under the direction of the New Jersey Sunday-school Association a thorough canvass of the Sunday-school plans and methods throughout the State will be made during the early part of February, when the district meetings will be held in four sections of New Jersey. The district meeting to be held at Newark, February 24, will interest Plainfielders, as it will be represented by the counties of Passaic, Bergen, Hudson, Essex, Middlesex, Union, Somerset and Monmouth.

The other meetings will be held on February 8, 9 and 15, when the other counties of the State will be represented. During the present week the first missionary institute ever held in New Jersey, will convene at Trenton under the direction of the Mercer County Association, assisted by the Young People's Missionary Movement of New York city.

Opening at Vineland on February 8 and closing at Newark, February 24, the State field workers plan to get in touch with the individual Sunday-schools, through the superintendents of the departments and county officers. Rev. Samuel D. Price, of Camden, is acting as recording secretary of the State association in place of Rev. E. Morris Fergusson, who resigned to enter a larger field.

At the last convention held in East Orange, a board of Directors for the School of Methods was organized, to take full charge of the Summer School to be held in the High School Auditorium, Asbury Park, July 5-12, 1910. Miss Elizabeth Denny Paxton, of Princeton, is president of the board. At a recent meeting of the board the program was outlined and among the teachers secured for the work are Rev. Milton S. Littlefield, of Bay Ridge, N. Y.; Prof. H. H. Horn, of New York University and Miss Margaret Slattery, of Fitchburg, Mass.

### PRINCETON HEAD DENIES COLLEGES ARE UNSOUND.

Speaking in defense of the American universities and colleges against the charge that their student life was morally unsound, which has been made recently in some quarters, Dr. Henry Van Dyke, of Princeton University, indulged in some caustic criticism of the men bringing the accusations. Dr. Van Dyke lectured before the University Extension Society on the subject "Self-Development and Education in America," in Philadelphia.

"I am heartily sick," said Dr. Van Dyke, "of the spectacle presented by certain men, who, apparently, regard it as their religious duty to slander our noblest institutions of learning. From some of their utterances on the platform and in magazines, you would imagine that these colleges and universities were sink holes of iniquity, where vice and infidelity were prevalent. The very men who are doing this thing are the ones, of all others, who ought by every sense of right and decency to rally to their support. It is high time that some man of recognized university standing came forward and repelled these wholly false and unfounded attacks.'

### YALE CLASS STATISTICS.

New Haven, Jan. 20.—According to statistics of the senior class of Sheffield Scientific School made public Tuesday, the handsomest member of the class is W. McK. Green, of Cleveland, O., with Spencer L. Murfey, of East Cleveland, O., second. The class beauty is Rufus D. W. Ewing, of Enfield, Mass. The class dude is Carl Ferguson, of Logansport, Ind. The average height of the class is five feet nine and three-quarters inches, almost an inch higher than the average of the seniors of a year ago, and the weight is a pound less, 148 pounds six ounces.

The average expense for the three years is $2,670.30, and the maximum is $15,000, with $600 the minimum. H. F. Andrus easily won the title of the best athlete with 105 votes, while Ted Lilley, the football player, stood second. The favorite New York paper is The Sun, and the favorite actress is Maude Adams. The most popular college next to Yale is Princeton, 132 votes, and Harvard, 25. Smith College received 50 votes as the favorite girls' college, with Vassar 26.

### TO POST DRUNKARD'S NAMES.

Newton, Jan. 20.—The Board of Protectors of Branchville has prepared a list of ten names of alleged drunkards of the borough, on which they will take action at their first meeting at the home of George A. Buchanan, Friday evening. The names of these individuals will probably be posted with the hotel-keepers.

A member of the board in discussing its plans, Tuesday, stated that after the names had been posted and the owner of the name notified, that the board would keep strict watch to see that neither the hotel man nor the alleged drunkard violated the law. If any violations are noted complaint will be made immediately.

Mrs. Eva C. Laing, of Washington, left for home this afternoon, after a two weeks' visit at the home of her cousin, A. L. Force, 82 Duer street.

# FORT GIVES HIS VIEWS TO THE GOVERNORS

The visiting Governors of States and Territories who are in Washington attending the conference of Governors, were entertained at dinner by President Taft in the White House last night. Many of them were accompanied by their wives.

Among the speakers at the conference yesterday was Governor Fort, of New Jersey, who spoke in favor of State control of public utilities. He said, in part:

"The common law doctrine of the police power which inheres in the sovereignty of each State irrespective of any constitutional provision in any State is broad enough to cover all the authority for supervision and regulation which is essential to the protection of the people of a State in the regulation of public serving corporations within the State. So long as the power exercised by the State is only to regulate and not to destroy or confiscate it is within the police power.

"The power of revision and review will answer every purpose. When no wrong exists no need for supervision can be found. Directors of public serving companies should be given a free hand to manage and direct their corporate affairs and business. Only when complaint is made of the fairness and justice of their acts is there either right or reason for State interference, even for regulative purposes. Let the statutes define with precision the powers and obligations of directors in administering their trust, and the administrative board of the State be given authority to meet and correct any inequalities or injustice which directors may permit or encourage."

### IN WALKED SCHMITT, THOUGHT TO BE DEAD.

Camden, Jan. 20.—Having buried the body of a man identified as that of her husband, Mrs. Henry Schmitt, 302 North Twelfth street, fainted when Schmitt walked into the house Tuesday, after an absence of six months. For some reason which Mrs. Schmitt could not give she was not overly pleased at her husband's appearance, and he again left.

Schmitt disappeared last May. In June the body of a man found in the Delaware river was identified, not only by the wife, but by several of Schmitt's friends. Mrs. Schmitt paid for a large funeral and interment took place in the family burial plot.

Then Mrs. Schmitt began to collect insurance and lodge money, the Prudential company alone paying her $600. Henry Schward, as treasurer of several German societies, also paid death benefits to the supposed widow.

All would have been "well" had Schmitt not reappeared. He had been six months in Atlanta, Ga. Reaching his old home, he walked in without knocking. His wife did not see him until he stood back of her. Then she swooned.

Schmitt soon left, and then the insurance company and lodges began an investigation. They found the case to be one of mistaken identity. Mrs. Schmitt will pay back the money until Schmitt dies for keeps.

Who the man is whose body rests in the Schmitt burial lot is likely to remain a mystery. Mrs. Schmitt will not have the body disinterred.

### GREAT MEDICAL SCHOOL PLANNED FOR COLUMBIA.

With a view to establishing in New York city the greatest medical school in the world and creating one of the world's centres of medical teaching and research, the trustees of Columbia University Tuesday made known their plans for the improvement of the College of Physicians and Surgeons. The entire plan as proposed will involve an expenditure of $3,000,000.

It provides for the complete reconstruction and removal of the College of Physicians and Surgeons from its present site in West Fifty-ninth street, near Tenth avenue, to Morningside Heights, where the other faculties of Columbia University are now situated.

William K. Vanderbilt, George J. Gould, Frank A. Munsey, and a fourth person, whose name is withheld, contributed jointly the amount necessary to acquire half of the block which measures 450 feet by 200 feet. The other half of the site is now owned by Mrs. Drexel, of Philadelphia, and the trustees expect in the near future to acquire this plot with money provided by gift.

A course of instruction in agriculture was inaugurated at Columbia University Tuesday, after a lapse of more than a hundred years. One hundred and thirty-five students enrolled in the first class.

### Hold Hangman for Spitting.

The Board of Health of Newark yesterday began a crusade on persons who spit on the sidewalks, and twenty inspectors were kept busy making arrests in all parts of the city. James Van Hise, the official hangman of the State before the adoption of electricity for the execution of criminals, was one of the first to be arrested by the inspectors.

Charles Ficke, of Duer street, is very ill with an attack of Bright's disease.

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## MERCHANTS GATHERED FOR ANNUAL BANQUET

### Job Hedges and J. N. Beach Chief Speakers Win Plaudit of Diners.

W. L. SAUNDERS TOASTMASTER.

250 Representative Men Attend the Successful Affair at Truell Hall — The Speeches.

Good speeches, an excellent dinner and plenty of music combined to make the annual banquet of the Plainfield Merchants' Association, held at Truell Hall, last night, a success. The committee had forgotten nothing in providing for the entertainment of the guests and all things considered it was the greatest achievement of the association. There were more than 250 people seated in the large dining hall, which was attractively decorated with American flags.

Former Mayor William L. Saunders, of North Plainfield, was the excellent toastmaster, and those at the table were Job E. Hedges, John N. Beach, of New York; Mayor Charles Joel Fisk, of this city; Mayor Newton B. Smalley, of North Plainfield; Rev. B. M. Bogan, of St. Mary's church; Rev. George A. Warner, of the Church of the Holy Cross; Former Mayor Alexander Gilbert, James E. Martine and A. E. Force, the last named president of the Plainfield Merchants' Association. All of the above-named persons spoke except Mssrs. Gilbert, Smalley and Force.

The speeches were full of wit, wisdom and gave everyone something to think about seriously regarding trade matters. There was a vein of common-sense running through the various remarks, which the merchants were quick to grasp.

**Toastmaster's Remarks.**

"An excellent definition of the simple life," said Mr. Saunders in starting the speechmaking, "has been given as an easy death. It is better to wear out than rust out. This association which is scarcely two years old, has wielded a wide influence for good, as is evidenced by the fact that since organized the cost of living has gone up twenty per cent. Like the aeroplane, new records are constantly being made. A few years ago one could purchase a pound of sausage for fifteen or eighteen cents, now you have to pay almost twenty-five cents and you are expected to pay cash."

Mr. Saunders commended the association for its action against advertising in all sorts of programs, adding that the members thereby have ceased to be the organ grinder, and the monkey for the idle poor. He said it was a good thing for the merchants to get together and he congratulated them upon their success as an association.

In introducing the first speaker, Mr. Saunders said that he succeeded Chauncey M. Depew as a director of the Equitable Life Insurance Company, at a critical time; that he had come up from the ranks and knew whereof he spoke. He then presented John N. Beach, who is vice-president of Teft-Weller & Co., of New York, who took for his subject, "Optimism vs. Pessimism." He defined the pessimist as one who in deciding between two evils chose both.

**Mr. Beach's Address.**

Referring to the combination of capital and the rapid rate at which the country is traveling, Mr. Beach said that it was enough to make people wonder. He said that while during the Revolution there was not a single millionarie, today there are said to be about 100,000 such persons. What will be the outcome?

"There is a vein of good common sense running through the people," continued Mr. Beach. "Never was there a greater demand for honest men, men of the highest integrity. What is our boast as a country? It is friendship, intelligence and brotherly love, which is a cure for the down trodden and oppressed. The eyes of the world are on us. We are making rapid progress.

"When we elect a President, Governor or Mayor, they are our President, Governor and Mayor and if need be we would lay down our lives in their defense. Let us remember our debt of gratitude to our fathers and emulate their good deeds in the fear of God."

The next speaker, said Mr. Saunders, is famous for many things. He

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## DIVORCED TO WED AGAIN

### Decree Against Fair Estate Heir Who Will Marry Boston Man.

FIRST MARRIAGE UNHAPPY.

George Whitley Deserted, Filed Suit —His Bride a New Market Girl Ran Through Fortune Quickly.

Announcement of the engagement of Mrs. Mabel Leffler Whitley, formerly of New Market, and who received a snug little fortune as one of the beneficiaries of the noted Fair will case, to George Hayden Rounds, a Boston merchant, is creating more or less tea-table talk among Plainfielders, who were friends of Mr. and Mrs. Whitley during their residence here.

The announcement was made at a recent dinner party at Brookline, Mass., a fashionable suburb of Boston, where Mrs. Whitley is at present residing.

Mr. and Mrs. Whitley were married at New Market in September, 1904. About this time Mrs. Whitley, who was a niece of the late Mrs. Charles L. Fair, who with her husband was killed in a tragic automobile accident in France, received a share of the fortune which was bequeathed to members of the Nelson family.

For a couple of years the married life of the Whitleys was happy. Mrs. Whitley, however, tired of housekeeping and took to traveling. This finally resulted in the estrangement of the couple, which resulted in Mr. Whitley instituting a suit for absolute divorce in the Massachusett's courts. Mr. Whitley experienced little trouble in gaining his freedom, as the judge granted him a decree, after a hearing that lasted only fifteen minutes.

Whitley is well known to Plainfielders with whom he bears an excellent reputation. Before his marriage he won honors in the local baseball world as a pitcher of the Y. M. C. A. and New Market clubs. It was while twirling for the latter club that the couple became acquainted, the culmination of the diamond romance ending in the wedding.

Mrs. Whitley's alleged extravagant tastes after receiving her share of the Fair millions resulted, it is claimed, in the disappearance of her fortune and before leaving Plainfield to take up her residence in Boston with relatives she was employed in a New York department store for a time.

## DUNELLEN SOLID FOR A BOARD OF TRADE

Dunellen merchants and citizens are solid for a Board of Trade, and at a meeting of those interested in the movement, last night, the way paved for organization next Thursday night. There was about fifty in attendance and the meeting was called to order by Mayor William A. Sanford. F. N. Wynckoop was selected of temporary chairman, and A. J. Hamley as secretary pro tem.

A committee, headed by former Councilman Todd, as chairman, was appointed to frame a constitution and bylaws. The committee held a session and prepared several recommendations which will be presented for adoption next Thursday night. Thirty-two enrolled as charter members.

The committee suggested that the association be known as the Dunellen Board of Trade and that the dues be placed at one dollar a year.

**TO OFFER A REWARD FOR BEST ATTENDANCE.**

The regular business meeting and social of the Young Men's Class of Monroe Avenue M. E. church was held last night. The attendance was large, but in order that it might still be better two of the members offered prizes to those who should have the best record for attendance, one for a period of one year at the business meetings the other for a period of time not more than two years, for the Sunday school sessions. The first prize will be a gold monogram stick pin, the other to be a fountain pen. Louis B. Mulford was elected treasurer to fill the vacancy left by George H. Fisher, Jr., who resigned. Harry Lude was appointed chairman of the good and welfare committee.

After the business meeting a social hour was held in which cake and cocoa played an important part.

—Fresh fruit strawberry ice cream. Ritz. ***

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 21 1m eod

## HONOR J. HERBERT CASE

### Young Banker is Made Vice President of Franklin Trust Company.

IS REWARDED HERE ALSO.

At the Same Time Plainfield Trust Company Makes Him Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.

No better evidence of the great influence of the Plainfield Trust Company could be given than the unanimous election this week of J. H. Case, the Trust company's able secretary, to the position of vice-president of the Franklin Trust Company, at Broadway and Liberty street, New York city. The selection of Mr. Case to this office is the result of negotiations between the two trust companies, and is with the advice and approval of the directors, and the majority stockholders of the Plainfield Trust Company.

At the meeting of the directors yesterday, Mr. Case was unanimously elected to the office of vice-president, secretary and treasurer of the local Trust company, which will be under his management as heretofore, but he will devote a portion of his time to the Franklin Trust Company, and the interests of The Plainfield Trust Company in New York city The arrangement augurs well for the future of all concerned.

It is evident that the steady growth of The Plainfield Trust Company is not merely a fact of local import. Those who are in a position to know say that the company and its efficient secretary have made a distinctly favorable impression in banking circles throughout this State and elsewhere; that the company has greatly widened its influence during these few years of its existence, and is now recognized in New York city and other centers as a strong, conservative financial institution.

The new officers of the Franklin Trust Company are these: Arthur King Wood, president; William H. Wallace, vice-president; J. Herbert Case, vice-president; Clinton W. Ludlum, scretary; Thornton Gerrish, trust officer; Herbert S. Wellington, assistant secretary; Henry C. Low, Jr., assistant secretary; William J. Montgomery, assistant secretary; George Switzer, assistant secrtary; Frederick W. Richt, manager, Fulton street office.

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**AL. G. FIELD'S MINSTRELS ARE "IN OUR MIDST" AGAIN.**

Cornell & Daugherty are with the Al. G. Field Greater Minstrels. The English champions are the acme of acrobatic absurdity. Ups and Downs is the title some one has bestowed on one of the best of all comedy pantomime creations. With a grace and finish few have equaled, a novel performance is presented by this talented pair. They make their first appearance in this country with the Al. G. Field Greater Minstrels, and have met with such success they will have no Ups and Downs in this country, except in their bumps on the stage as the public and managers vote them the best in their line. Plainfield theatre tomorrow afternoon and night.

**THIS DESERVING CASE NEEDS YOUR ATTENTION.**

It is a hard thing for a woman to be a father and a mother at the same time. If she is not strong, the day's work out added to the care of the home and family means a breakdown.

The Charity Organization Society wishes to help just such a woman to remain in her home. The income from the children's work will be sufficient for the family once she is started, but to get her started, the society asks for a double bed, a three-quarter bed, blankets, quilts, bedroom furniture and children's clothing any size of which won't be wrong. Telephone No. 103 to send wagon for any of these articles.

**William Britton Dead.**

William Britton, colored, son of Mrs. Ida Britton, 310 Arlington avenue, and a former resident of this city, died in Richmond, Virginia, on Monday. He was thirty years of age. The remains arrived here today and the funeral service was conducted at the home of the dead man's mother this afternoon. Rev. Mr. Bailey was in charge of the service and interment was made at Hillside.

## GIRLS SERVED DINNER; MEN WASHED DISHES

Not to be outdone by the various men's clubs of the churches throughout the city, the Girls' Club, of the Congregational church, gave a "men's night" entertainment and supper for its friends of the sterner sex, last night, in the parlors of the church. The supper was all to be desired, as was shown by the way the good things disappeared. The members of the club showed conclusively their ability to cook and serve a good meal. Covers were laid for thirty.

During the evening informal speeches were made by Edward Kuenstler, Athel Newman, George Bentley, Harold Hudson and several others. After the dinner a social time was enjoyed. An unusual feature was the acceptance of the young women's suggestion that the young men wash and dry the dishes. The affair was such a success that another similar one is planned for the near future.

## PLANS MADE FOR MEN'S MASS MEETING

Fifteen men representing the different evangelical churches of the city met at the Y. M. C. A. last evening and planned the details of the great men's mass meeting to be held in the First M. E. church on Friday night, January 28.

It was decided to make a vigorous effort to secure the attendance at this meeting of large delegations of men from the churches of this city, Bound Brook, Dunellen and Westfield. It was also decided that there should be no solicitation of funds whatever at the meeting.

The following committees were appointed: Program—James R. Joy, William D. Murray and C. B. La Rue; finance—Samuel Bingaman, F. R. Stevens, and J. H. Manning; publicity committee to consist of one representative from each church. Herbert E. Parker was appointed a committee of one on statistics.

It was announced that the speakers at next Friday evening's meeting would speak upon the following topics: Mr. McBee on "Men and Missions," and Mr. Colton on "Will America Evangelize her Share of the World?"

## EL JAN THE HOME OF PRETTY ACTRESS

As one tangible result of her seven years of professional endeavor, Miss Elsie Janis has a beautiful little semi-country estate just outside of Columbus, Ohio, the city of her birth, and part of her vacation is spent at El'Jan, as she has named the place. The house at El'Jan is a rambling story and a half bungalow with wide roomy porches on three sides. It stands 200 years back from the road in a bower of old trees, with spreading green lawns diviersified with flowering shrubs and posey beds. There is a large garage with servants' quarters above; an excellent tennis court, upon which the youthful star of "The Fair Co-Ed" spends two or three hours of every day when she is at home. Miss Janis has devoted special attention to her music room, which contains a grand piano and a small pipe organ. In connection with the garage is stabling for two horses, although since she acquired her big Thomas car she keeps but one, a Kentucky saddler presented to her last year by a relative of her mother, who breeds horses on a large farm down in the blue grass district of Kentucky. During Miss Janis' annual stay at El'Jan the little place, which is quite close to the grounds of the University of Ohio, is the scene of much merriment on the part of the students and the young people of Columbus, among whom Miss Elsie grew up. Miss Janis is to appear at the Plainfield theatre January 24, in George Ade's newest college play, "The Fair Co-Ed."

**Newark Couple Wed Here.**

Miss Bessie H. Littlefield, of 24 Marshall street, Newark, and Hubert S. Hahn, of 856 South Twelfth street, Newark, were married last night by Rev. Ora J. Shoop, pastor of Grace M. E. church, at the parsonage on Park place. The witnesses were Miss Elvira D. Hoester and G. W. Davies, both of the borough.

**Supper in Old Holland Style.**

The young women of the Lutheran church, at Mercer avenue and Grove street, will give a supper in Holland style at the church on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, January 25 and 26. Supper will be served at 7 o'clock.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## THREAT TO STEAL CHILD

### Daniel Olsen Receives Warning That Kidnappers are After Daughter.

MISSIVE SIGNED "G. B. T."

Letter is Postmarked Plainfield and the Writer Intimates that He Is Friend of Father.

A warning letter telling them to be on the lookout for Jennie, their five-year-old daughter, as a band of kidnappers were awaiting an opportunity to steal her from home, received by Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Olsen, of 68 Elm street, yesterday afternoon has placed the Olsen family in a high state of fear and alarm.

The letter is signed, "From a friend, G. B. T." and bears the postmark of the local office. It is printed and the writer tells Mr. Olsen that he is an ex-member of the band which has its headquarters in Jersey City. "Look out for your little girl as the Black Handers will show no mercy. They will steal her, in one, two or three weeks. As I am a friend I write this letter to warn you," is a portion of the message.

When a Daily Press reporter called at the Olsen home today he found Mrs. Olsen in a highly excited state of mind over the letter. She declared that her husband has no idea as to who "G. B. T." is. She is in constant dread that some one will enter the house and take her child and as a source of protection she is having Jennie kept upstairs.

The mysterious letter will be placed in the hands of the police for investigation.

**FORESTERS WILL HOLD ANNUAL ENTERTAINMENT.**

Court Plainfield, No. 711, Independent Order of Foresters, will hold its annual entertainment and dance tonight in Saengerbund Hall. The entertainment promises to be an unusually good one in the first appearance here of the famous Knickerbocker Minstrel Company, of New York. This company has appeared before the most exclusive clubs and societies in and near New York, among them being the Automobile Club of America, Union League, Tuxedo Club, Waterbury Club, Montauk and Rocky Mountain clubs.

The company has also appeared for William K. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Henry H. Rogers, George T. Wilson, Samuel Fairchild, Mrs. Bernheimer and Sir Thomas Lipton. It will appear here under the management of Harvey R. Thorn. Admission tonight will be by invitation.

**CORNELIUS E. GULICK MARRIES MISS ESKEW.**

Miss Josephine Clementine Eskew, daughter of Andrew J. Eskew, of Ozark, Ill., and Cornelius Elmer Gulick, of this city, were quietly married last evening at 6 o'clock by Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church. The ceremony took place at the home of Mr. Broek on Watchung avenue, and was witnessed by Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison, his guest, who is soon to go to Arabia as a missionary from Trinity Reformed church. The couple will reside at 1144 Thornton avenue.

**Married Twenty-five Years.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, of 39 Prospect place, observed the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding yesterday afternoon with a reception to about sixty of their relatives and friends. The dining room and parlors were charmingly decorated with southern smilax and white carnations. Guests were present from New York, Brooklyn, Newark, Morristown, Somerville and Plainfield. During the afternoon Mrs. Frank L. Jones presided at the piano.

**Announce a Wedding.**

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Ryder, of South Second street, today announced the marriage of their daughter, Miss Emily Ryder, to James Wierenga, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wierenga, also of this city. The couple were married at Jersey City on September 17 of last year, and until Monday each was residing at the respective homes. They are now residing with the bride's parents.

**Reception for Miss Saunders.**

Mrs. James E. Martine, of Kensington avenue, is giving an informal reception this afternon in honor of her niece, Miss Ruth Constance Saunders, of Brookline, Mass. Mrs. E. W. Bulkley and Miss Ella Louise Martine will preside at the table and will be assisted by several young women.

**Hope Chapelites to Bowl.**

Members of the William N. Runyon Bible class will have a bowling session and social night at the Hartridge School bowling alleys.

## MISS MURRAY A BRIDE

### Charming Young Woman is the Bride of William Barlow, Jr.

REV. DR. ZELIE OFFICIATES.

Miss May Murray Maid-of-Honor, H. Maxwell Brakeley Best Man—A Reception Follows.

Miss Ethel Murray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Jr., of West Fourth street, and William Barlow, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Barlow, of Prospect place, North Plainfield, were married at 8 o'clock last night at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murray, Sr., of Central avenue. The wedding was attended by about three hundred relatives and friends from New York, Brooklyn and this city. Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, pastor of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss May Murray, as maid-of-honor, while her two cousins, the Misses Sadie Roome Sandford and Bertha Tilney, of this city, were the bridesmaids. The best man was H. Maxwell Brakeley, formerly of Dunellen, and the ushers were Henry Brower, of this city, and Harold Hegeman, of New York city.

The bride was gowned in white crepe meteor, with duchesse lace yoke and trimmings and she wore a point lace veil and carried a shower bouquet of lilies-of-the-valley and bride roses. The maid-of-honor's gown was of yellow silk cashmere de soie, with crystal trimmings and she carried pink roses. The bridesmaids wore white lngerie gowns and carried pink flowers.

Austen's Orchestra, of New York, played the wedding march and furnished the music for the reception which followed. The bride was given in marriage by her father. After the ceremony congratulations were showered on the young couple and supper was served. The bride received a large collection of valuable gifts. Later in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Barlow left on a wedding trip. They will reside here upon their return.

The bride, as well as the groom have been popular in the younger society set of the city and borough; also attending many social functions at the Park club. Mr. Barlow holds a position with the New York banking house of Moffat & White.

## NEGRO STOLE PURSE OF SHOEMAKER'S WIFE

Eugene Britton, colored, an old offender, was arrested on West Front street at 10:45 o'clock last night by Patrolman Charles Flynn, charged with stealing a pocketbook containing about seven dollars from Mrs. Ida Bender, early in the evening. Britton perpetrated the theft about 7 o'clock in a small shoe shop conducted by the Bender woman's husband on Madison avenue, near Front street.

When Britton was arrested he denied his guilt, but after a search at police headquarters, in which the purse and a part of the money was found by Captain Frederickson secreted in the inner band of his hat, he admitted guilt. In court this morning Judge Runyon held the prisoner in $200 bail to await the action of the grand jury.

Unless bail is furnished Britton will be taken to the conuty jail at Elizabeth today. A coincidence of the theft is that the body of William Britton, a brother of the prisoner, who died in Richmond on Monday, arrived here today for burial, the funeral service being conducted this afternoon.

Britton took the purse from a muff belonging to Mrs. Bender which was laying on the counter in the store. Britton entered the store while Mrs. Bender was attending to some customers, and when the former wasn't looking he appropriated the pocketbook. Britton left the store hurriedly and soon after Mrs. Bender discovered her loss.

Britton has a police record. In addition to serving two terms in the Rahway Reformatory he has been implicated in other disturbances.

**Died After Short Illness.**

John H. Colburn, aged 62 years, of 1,655 South Second street, passed away yesterday after a short illness. The funeral service will be held at his late home tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

—Special Ritz chocolate almonds, 50 cents. ***

## PURCHASE PROPERTY FOR FEDERAL BUILDING

### Postoffice to Be Located on Watchung Avenue and Second Street.

GOVERNMENT GETS TRACT.

The Mary L. Force Estate and the Society of Friends Make Agreements for Sale.

The Federal building will be located at Second street and Watchung avenue. This decision has been reached by the Government and the agreements have ben entered into by the U. S. authorities and the owners of the land necessary to be used for the purpose. Work will be begun as soon as Congress passes the measure introduced at this session for a supplemental appropriation of $15,000, which will bring the total appropriation up to $115,000.

The site of the new postoffice building will be the Mary L. Force property at Second street and Watchung avenue and a part of the large property to the south on Watchung avenue owned by the Society of Friends. The particular piece of this tract to be used is that now leased by Carl Peterson, the florist.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury C. L. Hillis acted for the Government, and A. L. Force, representing the heirs of the Mary L. Force estate, closed the negotiations for the major part of the site today. This tract, on which there is a double frame dwelling house at present, has a frontage of ninety-six and seven-tenths feet on Watchung avenue and a depth of 150 feet on East Second street. The section of the Society of Friends property adjoining, as purchased by the Government, measures about sixty-four feet on Watchung avenue and a depth of 150 feet. This will make the entire site for the Government's purpose 160 feet by 150 feet, which is considered amply sufficient.

Acting Secretary Hillis personally inspected the various locations suggested and decided that the one upon which he agreed was the best. The site is an ideal one, situated, as it is in the very heart of the city, within a thousand feet of the main station of the railroads and directly on all local as well as the through line trolley service.

Acting on the following information, Senator Kean has introduced a supplemental appropriation bill:

"Treasury Department,
"Office of the Secretary.
"Washington, Jan. 3, 1910.

"Sir — Referring to legislation which authorizes the purchase of a site and the erection of a building at Plainfield, N. J., at a cost of $100,000, and to the appropriation under the limit of $25,000, I have the honor to state that the department is negotiating for a site, the cost of which will exceed the amount already appropriated. In order that payment of the purchase money may be made as soon as the title is approved, I have earnestly to recommend that the following item be included in the urgent deficiency bill:

"Plainfield, New Jersey, postoffice: To permit of payment of purchase money for site, in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated for site and building, fifteen thousand dollars, within the total limit of cost heretofore fixed.

"Respectfully,
"CHARLES D. NORTON,
"Acting Secretary."

**Obsequies of William R. Stahl.**

The funeral service of William R Stahl, who died in Philadelphia on Monday, was held at the home of his mother, Mrs. Sophia Stahl, on Grove street this afternoon. There were numerous beautiful floral tributes from lifelong friends of the dead man on the casket. The service was conducted by the Rev. George A. Warner, rector of Holy Cross church. Interment was made at Hillside, the bearers being David Bodine, William Debele, Harvey Kinney, John Gaub, John Bolsterli and William Campbell.

**Y. M. C. A. vs. Red Bank.**

The Y. M. C. A. basketball team will have for its opponents tomorrow night the crack Red Bank quintet. The latter aggregation has been cleaning up everything "along the Shrewsbury," not to say anything of a series of conquests over some of Greater New York's best fives. Manager Listman of the local team anticipates a stiff battle.

Rug and Drapery Department—Visit this department on the 2nd floor. The prices we quote on fine rugs and draperies will prove a revelation.

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## The Jan. Clearance Sale Continues With Added Enthusiasm

This great crowd-bringing Clearance Sale of 1910 has created quite a stir among thrifty buyers in this community. Never has there been offered such remarkable values in Dress Goods, Silks, and Ladies' Coats and Suits. Tomorrow we start afresh in presenting for your consideration values in these two lines, that are positively beyond the reach of ordinary competition. No goods carried over from one season to another, no matter what the sacrifice. Come early and get the choicest bargains.

## Wonderful Half Price Sale Silks & Dress Goods

We have gathered together almost our entire stock of seasonable, fashionable Dress Fabrics and placed them on our centre aisle bargain tables at

**JUST HALF PRICE.**

The lot consists of Broadcloths, Serges, Cheviots, Henriette, Cashmere, Voile, Etamine, Plaids, Checks, Stripes and numerous fancy weaves.

**COME WHILE THEY LAST.**

The opportunity is a rare one, for it may not occur again in years; the price values rage from 50c to 2.00. All will go at just **HALF PRICE.**

## Half Price Sale of Silks

The great sale of Silks has created a sensation, values unprecedented. These goods are also placed on centre aisle bargain tables for quick choosing. They consist of all kinds of plain and fancy Silks, and are the greatest bargains the ladies of this community ever saw. Anything on the table just **HALF** the marked price.

## Remarkable Half Price Sale Ladies' Suits & Coats

This stock represents a line of garments made by one of the foremost manufacturers in New York. They are this season's cleverest styles, made of high-class materials, but the verdict is—none carried over—therefore they must go at **HALF PRICE.**

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| 20.00 Tailored Suits now - - | 10.00 |
| 25.00 " " " - - | 12.50 |
| 30.00 Superior Tailored Suits now | 15.00 |
| 35.00 High-grade Suits now - - | 17.50 |

## Ladies' Black and Colored Coats

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| 10.00 Coats, plain and mixed, for - | 5.00 |
| 15.00 Covert and Black Coats for - | 7.50 |
| 19.00 High-class Coats for - - - | 9.98 |
| 30.00 Superior Grade Coats for - - | 15.00 |

## 10c--Saturday Music Special--10c

Daisies Won't Tell.
Oh, You Blondy.
The Longest Way Round Is the Sweetest Way Home.
A Georgia Barn Dance.
Yip-i-Addy-i-Ay.
The Third Degree.
I Love My Wife, But Oh Her Family Liza.
Black and White Rag.
Put On Your Old Grey Bonnet.
Gee, You're a Grand Little Girl.
Lonesome Land.
You Are the Same Sweet Girl.
Margarita.
Black Feather Rag.
Moon Beams on the Lake.
Flower of Youth.
If I Thought You Wouldn't Tell.
Skinny.
I Wonder If It's True.


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### RARITAN.

The Raritan junior baseball team has elected the following officers for the coming year: President, Paul Hickey; vice-president, Philip Cahill; secretary and treasurer, H. P. Purcell; captain, John Burns, Jr.; scorer, George Leibig.

John Dow returned this week from Utah, where he has been several weeks placing machinery for D. R. Kenyon & Son, of Raritan.

The new heating and ventilating plant in the public school was put in service during this week for the first time and is working finely.

Misses May White and Autumn Burrows returned to Bayonne on Tuesday, after visiting Miss Mae Purcell.

William Greene has purchased a new automobile and is waiting for the snow to be removed before using it.

The members of St. Bernard's Alumnae are rehearsing for a ladies' minstrel to be given in March.

Mrs. Spitzer, of Brooklyn, is spending this week with her daughter, Mrs. Barnett Levy.

Thomas Talbot, of New York, is in charge of the filtering plant on the Duke estate.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Members of Defender Fire Company will have a gala time tonight when they will hold a little celebration in honor of their new uniforms. Invitations have been extended to departments of Plainfield, Bound Brook and New Market. Chief Doane, of Plainfield, will be present and give a talk to the local fire fighters on the expansion of fire fighting methods.

Willie Vogel, son of John Vogel, proprietor of the restaurant at the trolley barns, is confined to his home by injuries sustained in a fall last Saturday. At the time of the accident young Vogel was shoveling the snow off the roof of the restaurant when he slipped and slid off to the ground.

Street Commissioner Goldson Smalley has done some good work in the removal of snow during the last storm. All of the thoroughfares and sidewalks are now passable and conditions are equal to those prevailing in larger places.

The revival meetings which are being conducted in the Methodist church this week have been well attended and several converts made.

Engineer William Connolly has returned to his duties after a siege of rheumatism.

Joseph Maier is entertaining friends from Cranford at the Park Hotel.

Miss Alice Pierce has been entertaining friends from out of town.

### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Many complaints are made about the boys snow balling pedestrians passing through town. Fun is fun, but there is such a thing as passing the mark and getting in trouble. Unless the nuisance is stopped Judge Clark will probably have a chance to collect a little money for the township.

The scholars of the sixth, seventh and eighth grades of the public school held a straw ride yesterday afternoon after school hours. Plainfield and the surrounding country was traveled over and a most enjoyable time was had.

Miss Harriet M. Squires, of the corps of teachers, is ill at her home in Rahway, with a severe attack of the grip. Miss O'Brien, of Plainfield, is substituting as teacher, during her absence.

A Dime Social will be held tonight for the benefit of the Methodist church at the home of the Misses Moffett, Mountain avenue.

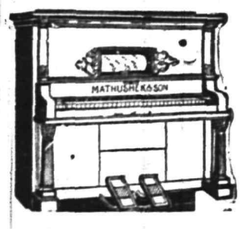
Mrs. Edward Welcome, of Dover, Delaware, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Thomas A. Gere, of Westfield avenue.

George Vanderbilt, who has been ill for several days with a severe attack of sore throat, is able to be around again.

Mrs. George McVoy, of Plainfield, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. John H. Coles, of Park avenue.

The regular weekly meeting of the Choral Society will be omitted this week.


# A FEAST FOR THE EAR

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# "Help Yourself" Shoe Sale.

is now in progress. Any woman who has attended one of these sales knows that they stand for quality and value giving. Manufacturers' surplus lots, together with off lines of our own go to make up this sale.

The shoes are arranged on counters according to size—no trouble to tell in a minute if the size and style are there. They consist of shoes, oxfords, ties and slippers; kid, patent leather, gun metal and kid shoes; patent leather and red, pink and blue slippers; kid, patent leather and gun metal and tan oxford ties.

By help yourself we mean that we have arranged the shoes so that each customer can select the size and style from the counters on which they are displayed, but we will have plenty of salespeople to help you try them on and also help you in selecting. $2.00 to $3.50 values ..... $1.45

On sale between millinery and muslinwear sections; 2nd floor

## 1910 Lingerie and Net Dresses

When you see these exquisite new creations you'll wonder how it is possible to sell them so reasonably. Why, for less than $20.00 a woman may have four or five distinctly different white dresses which her friends would be apt to believe cost her twice as much. We've never shown more exquisite styles; peep into the windows, they unfold a few; unconscious admiration will hold you spellbound until you fairly go into ecstacies over their daintiness, beauty and elegant needlework. The styles are effectively sweet and original. The conceptions of French genius, the creations of American fingers, note differences between the valuations and selling prices. These are savings you may effect:

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$20.00 Lingerie Dresses, $15.00.
$15.00 Lingerie Dresses, $10.00.
$10.00 Lingerie Dresses, $7.50.
$7.50 Lingerie Dresses, $5.00.
$6.00 Lingerie Dresses, $3.98.

## Women's $1.00 Imported Mannish Gloves

Women's imported one clasp mannish tan cape gloves, with London point embroidered back; in all the new shades, English tan; a very reliable make and perfect fitting. To offer such splendid gloves at 80c a pair at a time when glove leathers are advancing is to our mind an achievement in glove selling; sizes 5½ to 7; regular $1.00; special per pair..... .80

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### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The local Hockey Club will play the P. H. S. hockey team a return game on next Monday afternoon at 3:30. The High School boys are out for revenge for their defeat last week and an interesting contest is expected.

A number of friends and relatives from South Plainfield attended the funeral of Mrs. Thomas Teeple, a former resident of this place.

Mrs. John Maguire, who recently fell and broke a leg, is improving.

Mrs. Frank Miller is suffering from a severe attack of grip.

William Hamilton was in Plainfield yesterday on business.

John May visited friends in Plainfield yesterday.

# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Burlington is experiencing a severe epidemic of tonsilitis.

At the New Jersey Society of the Colonial Dames of America midwinter meeting in the Old Barracks, Trenton, yesterday, papers dealing with historical matters were read.

Assemblyman McAllister, of Cumberland county, has been advised by the State Fish and Game Commission that twelve cans of trout for the streams of his county will be shipped to him next week.

Failing to respond to a call for supper last night, George Etling, sixty-seven years old, of 2032 Federal street, Camden, was found dead in bed. Coroner Wingender gave a certificate of death from pneumonia.

Seeking $20,000 damages for the loss of a foot, Peter Saurkiwicz yesterday instituted proceedings in Camden against the Atlantic City Railroad. Catching his foot between a rail and a plank on September 9 last, Saurkiwicz was unable to move. A train was approaching and a pedestrian bent the frightened man's body to one side to save his life, but the foot was cut off.

The Commercial League of Bridgeton last night tendered a reception to the ladies of the city. The league has now a membership of more than 300, though less than a year old. There were several hundred of Bridgeton's representative women in the gathering, including some of the women's clubs that have been doing effective work in beautifying the city and caring for those dependent upon charity.

Just before testimony had been completed in the case of Mrs. Nellie R. J. Stiles against her father, William A. Jordan, in the Camden Court of Chancery yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Stiles and her mother fainted, but were revived in a short time. Vice-Chancellor Fleming gave an order requiring Jordan to give an accounting of about $4,000 the daughter alleges she gave him to invest in property, but which, he declared, was turned over to him as a gift.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Boys' Club of Hope chapel will meet tonight at the chapel. The choir will meet for practice tonight at 8 o'clock.

The Junior Mission Band of the First Baptist church will meet this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock and enjoy a special program.

Rev. L. R. Howard, of Hope chapel, who has been conducting evangelistic services at Atlanta, Ga., is expected home on Friday.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting this afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Rev. Dr. Forest Dager, of Philadelphia, who has been teaching the Sunday-school lesson here on Tuesdays this month, will make his last appearance on Tuesday evening at the First Baptist church. All Sunday-school workers are invited to hear him.

The men of the local Methodist churches will hold a banquet in Vincent chapel of the First M. E. church Thursday night, January 27. The committee in charge comprises Maurice E. McGrath, chairman; W. J. Conroy, Charles Beekman, Samuel Bingaman and Nelson A. Miller.

The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold its first meeting tonight for mission study of "Korea" and "Immigration" and "South America." The teachers will be Miss Edna Brown, Howard McWilliams and Miss Harriet Halloway.

### Ornament for Hair.

A French jeweler has made an ornament which can be bound around the hair in a straight line quite far down on the forehead. It consists of a narrow band of ribbon edged with pearls strung on a platinum wire. The band surrounds only the front of the hair and is held securely in place by platinum wires which pass through the hair at the back.

### Saved in Time.

Clerk (run into by somebody in the dark)—Stupid ass—(perceiving it is his employer) that I am—Fliegende Blaetter.

Miss Florence Smith, daughter of H. Craig Smith, of Madison avenue, who is detained at home with scarlet fever, is convalescing.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

# January Wanes While Clearance Sale

## Bargains Approach Their Climax

This great merchandise movement is at the height of its value giving. Winter goods are going fast, spurred on by the sharp cost cutting that prevails in all departments. The bargain bugle blasts a clarion call that attracts throngs of buyers.

Our aim of clearing decks is being rapidly accomplished. Stocks still show surpluses so sacrifice still send prices downward. Clearance at any cost is the attainment sought. It is your opportunity for obtaining unmatched economies. Goods you need are yours at lower cost than at any other time or place.

Proof is presented in the following items—buy now before this Sale comes to an end.

**7c BEST CALICOS AT 5c.**
The American Printing Company's best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value; sale, a yard ..... .5

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Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30) .. .59

**7c APRON GINGHAM AT 5c.**
25 pieces good Apron Ginghams, blue and brown checks; a regular 7c value; sale a yard .. .5

**6c FIGURED CHALLIES AT 4c.**
40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c values; a yard ..... .4

**65c COTTON DRAPERY AT 49c.**
Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Drapery, 18 inch; 65c value; a piece ..... .49
Corticelli spool silk, black only; 100 yards spools on sale at ..... .7

**$3.50 SKIRTS AT $1.98.**
Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts made in neat, dark gray mixed Panamas; good $3.50 value at ..... $1.98

**5c TOILET PAPER, 3c.**
Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8-oz. rolls; regular 5c quality; sale ..... .3

**5c MILWARD'S NEEDLES, 3c.**
Milward's best needles, all sizes; regular 5c a paper on sale at ..... .3

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... .15

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... 10c

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale ..... 95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale ..... 39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at ..... 29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... 39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... $3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.

Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $3.85

Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price ... $6.98

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We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand in 3 Lots, as follows:

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price ..... $8.50
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Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price ..... $10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at ..... 39c

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Lipped Saucepan, 5-6-8 qts.
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Fry Pans, 11-12 inch.
Tea Pots, 3-4-5 qts.
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Coffee Boilers, 6-8 qts.
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Stove Pans, 13 in. x 10 in.
Dish Pans, 14-17 qts.
Rinsing Pans, 17 qts.
Oval Trays, 18 in.
Muffin Pans, 12-hole.
Berlin Sauce Pans, 4-6-8 qts.
Berlin Sauce Pots, 4-6-8 qts.
Berlin Sauce Kettles, 4-6-8 qts.
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Every Suit and Overcoat in our stock included—**no reservations.** We've never made our men friends a more enticing offer than this—never.

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# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

The golf pot continues to boil, even though the disgruntled ones in the West have temporarily decided to defer radical action, amounting to secession, until some future date. This is shown by the full text of the resolution passed at the annual meeting of the Western Golf Association in Chicago last Saturday night.

The original amendments to the constitution of the Western body to change the name and remove all geographical lines were withdrawn, but in their place new resolutions were submitted and adopted which not only provide for a change of name, but go further by empowering the board of directors to institute a movement for the formation of an American or national association which, if organized, shall become the recognized golf governing body of North America, or such part thereof as may be mutually determined by its creators.

Whether or not this action on the part of the Western association can be construed as another slap at the United States Golf Association must, for the time being at least, remain largely a matter of opinion. Anyhow, it will furnish more food for thought and discussion. Possibly the Western action will be explained to the satisfaction of all concerned at the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association to be held in New York tonight.

Several golfers who read the resolutions last night expressed the opinion that they were rather ambiguous and open to different interpretation. It was the feeling, however, that action on the same would never be taken if the national body showed an inclination at the meeting tonight to meet the West halfway and open the road to lasting peace.

# HOTEL MEN ANGRY OVER HILLERY'S LAW

Trenton, Jan. 21.—Declaring that brief experience has shown the Hillery "jag law," as the Board of Protectors statute is called, to be the opera bouffe climax of last winter's legislation, the New Jersey Hotel Keepers' Association, in annual session here Wednesday, demanded the immediate repeal of the measure.

The association describes the Hillery act as dangerous and ridiculous "by jermitting irresponsible temperance zealots, who make up the boards, to accuse without charge and convict without trial" men who fall under its operation.

"The immediate repeal of so infamous an act is demanded by every instinct of justice and decency," declare the liquor dealers.

Another legislative proposition that aroused antagonism among the liquor dealers gathered here is the plan for the enactment of a jury commission law, which is declared to "foreshadow a serious menace to the interests of the industry to which hotel men, in common with all other citizens, should be keenly alive." The liquor dealers at Wednesday's session maintained that the present grand jury system relates the favor of excise laws to local habits and needs and local sentiment.

The Jury Commission, according to the liquor men, will permit the judge who tries to draw grand juries to indict or to draw petit juries to convict to put every man within his jurisdiction at his mercy. Denunciation of the proposed law was voted on the ground that the Governor, who names judges, having the liberty and property of people thus in their power, would be invested with autocratic authority.

The sentiment was almost unanimous among the delegates in attendance at the convention to the effect that the influence of organized liquor men should be pressed against legislation seeking to further regulate the traffic, and particularly so with Governor Fort's recommendation that a higher license fee be exacted and that saloons be limited to one to 500 inhabitants.

The chief speaker at Wednesday afternoon's session of the association was former Senator Robert S. Hudspeth, of Jersey City, who managed the Eastern campaign for the Democratic national committee in 1908. Mr. Hudspeth is an attorney for the association and discussed the legal aspects of the excise situation from the standpoint of the liquor dealers' interests. He will draw the form of the bill which the liquor dealers will seek to have introduced to repeal the Hillery "jag law."

It was decided to hold the State convention at the Hotel Sterling, this city, on February 3.

Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., will meet Tuesday night when the officers-elect will be in charge. There will also be an attractive program for the entertainment of the veterans.

Miss Rose Gesswein, of West Front street, is recovering from a recent illness that detained her at home for a few days.

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### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

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FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

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FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Norwood avenue, 80x179; will sell all or part. Inquire 60 Norwood. 1 17 6

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—Farm at Belle Mead, N. J., of 92 acres, 1½ miles from station; double house, 21 rooms, windmill; everything in first class condition. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 1 8 12

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

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FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Miscellaneous.

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# Werner's Clothing House
**206 West Front Street**


### GRIP KILLS MAN WHO WAS BLINDED BY SHOT.

Trenton, Jan. 21.—Newbury S. Satterthwaite, who was shot and blinded following a quarrel with his wife a few years ago, died late Tuesday at St. Francis' Hospital after a short illness from the grip. It was never known positively who fired the shot that blinded Satterthwaite. The woman claimed that he shot himself in an attempt to end his life, while he swore that she shot him.

After an investigation had been made by the police, Mrs. Satterthwaite was placed under arrest. Later she was released, and the case was dropped. After Satterthwaite left the hospital he and his wife separated. Then the pastor of his church reunited the couple. A little later they had another quarrel, and when Mrs. Satterthwaite passed her husband in the room he grabbed her and beat her badly with a hammer. She was removed to a hospital. The woman is still living. After losing his sight, he made a living by selling brooms.

### RED BANK MAN JAILED FOR VERY MEAN FRAUD.

New York, Jan. 21.—Charles B. Thompson, of Red Bank, N. J., whom Judge Malone Wednesday declared the "meanest real estate swindler ever," was sentenced to not less than four years and six months and not more than seven years in State prison for swindling William J. Schephard, of 14 East Twenty-third street, out of $1,000. Thompson sold the complaint a lot in Borough Park to which he had absolutely no title.

The complaint against Thompson asserted that on June 10, 1907, Schephard paid to the real estate dealer $1,000 as a deposit on the lot. Time passed and Thompson did not make any proper return for the money, and seemed unable to vouchsafe any explanation of the delay.

Thompson was indicted on December 30, 1907, but the trial was not reached until this week, after a delay of more than two years.

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## Jan 21 In American History.

1743—John Fitch, inventor of the steamboat, born; died 1798.

1813—General John Charles Fremont, soldier, senator and explorer, born; died 1890.

1821—General Cabell Breckinridge, senator, vice president and soldier, born; died 1875.

1823—John Gottlieb Ernest Heckewelder, missionary to the Indians, died; born 1743.

1824—General Thomas Jonathan Jackson, "Stonewall," born; died 1863.

1905—The United States assumed a temporary protectorate of the republic of Santo Domingo.

1907—Josiah Flynt Willard, who wrote on sociological subjects over the name Josiah Flynt, died; born 1869.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5, rises 7:14; moon sets 4:50 a. m.; 3 a. m., eastern time, all Jupiter's four visible satellites seen on east of planet; sun's declination, 19.8 degrees south of celestial equator.

Plainfield, N. J., January 21, 1910.

# STATE'S CONTROL OF THE LIQUOR TAX

Defending the movement to levy an income tax, former Congressman Lafe Pence, of Colorado, in an address at the annual banquet of the Men's Club of Ampere, took occasion last night to administer a mild rebuke to Governor Hughes for opposing the proposed constitutional amendment. Governor Hughes' objection that the tax might seriously impair the value of State and municipal bonds, was refuted by the former Congressman, who insisted that the comparatively insignificant tax on such bonds was not worth consideration, as the benefits to be derived would far exceed the loss.

The dinner was served in the basement of the Church of the Disciples of Christ, East Orange, Edwin J. Gantz, vice-president of the club, acted as toastmaster, and the address of welcome was made by DeWitt C. Reynolds, the president. Short addresses were also made by Rev. L. N. D. Wells, pastor of the church, and Grant C. Tullar, of East Orange. Clifford J. Werner, Jr., of Orange, was in charge of the musical program and rendered several original songs.

Former Congressman Pence offered as his chief argument for the income tax the claim that the raising of such funds would eliminate the necessity of a federal whiskey tax. He contended that the liquor traffic could be much better managed by the individual States, and declared that State control would eventually mean a great reduction in the number of saloons. In refuting the objections advanced by the Governor of New York, the speaker submitted figures to show that an income tax on municipal and State bonds would be about one-tenth of one per cent. each year, or a little over $1,000,000. This loss would be more than offset, he claimed, by State control of the internal revenue tax, now received by the Federal Government.

**Internal Revenue Tax to State.**

At the beginning of his speech, Mr. Pence reviewed the history of the income tax movement in this country since its inception in 1883. He declared that the hopes of years were now about to be realized, as religious and other organizations were taking an active interest in the tax in the belief that it would mean that the administration of the Federal Government could be separated from the liquor traffic.

"It seems to me an inspiring thing," he continued, "because one organization after another has taken it up and echoed the right sentiments. This is quite evident that it will have some effect on the coming campaign. Mr. Taft, in his campaign, showed his personal interest in the problem. Last May he decided that the time had come to declare in favor of an amendment to the Constitution that would permit the passage of the necessary law.

"Not one voice was raised against the income tax until the Governor of New York raised the objection that a law could be so worded that it would impose a tax on State and municipal bonds.

"Now, I am not a non-partizan; that's the reason why I like Taft. He never disavowed partizanship. It's the real thing now for the Democrats to pay to hear La Follette and for the Republicans to pay to hear Bryan. 'I am a hidebound Illinois Democrat, but as a Democrat I approve of the unanimous action of Congress in voting $25,000 to give Taft the money to go west and South preaching his Republican doctrines. I have lived to see this limb that I tried to graft to the tree about to bear fruit.

"But Mr. Hughes has brought forth finally an objection just when it seemed that the country was unanimous. The difference between the parties is this—Mr. Taft said that Congress should have power to pass such a law, but I am advised that Mr. Taft has qualified his own support of the law by declaring that it should only be exercised in times of war and emergency. The Democratic party, on the other hand, is in favor of an annual tax in time of peace as well as of war. All was in accord until the disturbing element of Mr. Hughes suggestion that the value in the market of State and municipal bonds would be affected.

**Hughes Argument "Rag Baby."**

"It has to be treated seriously, not because of the worth of it, but because of the man. For his own clean and honest record it must be considered seriously, although he has hung up one of the cheapest rag babies or scarecrows that was ever presented to the nation.

"Abraham Lincoln saw the danger of the whisky tax. Four times since his day has an attempt been made to remedy the evil, and each time the attempt is stabbed in the back with a stiletto, the handle of which is stamped with the initials of the United States Government. Now a special fund is offered to take the place of that whisky tax. Under the State control the consumption would probably be reduced. Even if the consumption is reduced seventy-five percent. the revenue would be more than enough to offset the insignificant tax of one-tenth of one per cent. on State and municipal bonds.

"If three-fourths of the saloons are closed money will be saved for the wage-earners, and they will be the buyers of State and municipal bonds. And the bonds will be clipped by the same scissors that tonight are cutting out patches for old pants."

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**Another Outfit**

Consists of a handsomely polished Quartered Oak Sideboard, a China Closet, with full mirror back, a pedestal claw-foot round top table and six genuine leather slip seat chairs. Ordinarily this set sells for $116.75. The Sale Price is..... $95

**Bed Outfit No. 1---6.98**

Includes a White Enameled Brass Trimmed Bed, with an all iron woven wire spring and soft top mattress, worth $9.00, for ..... $6.98

**Bed Outfit No. 3---10.98**

Includes a White Enameled Bed, with heavy brass top and bottom rail; an all iron woven wire spring, and a combination mattress, soft on top and bottom, worth $14. $10.98

**Dining-Room Outfits**

A beautifully finished early English Outfit, consisting of Buffet, China Closet, Round Top Pedestal Table, and six saddle seat chairs. This outfit would cost to buy, regular, $101. The Sale Price is ..... $89

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**Bed Outfit No. 2---8.50**

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# TAKES OATH AS JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT

Francis J. Swayze, whose term of office as a justice of the Supreme Court expired yesterday, was sworn in at noon as a Supreme Court Justice and judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals at Jersey City under the appointment confirmed by the Senate last Monday night. The oath of Supreme Court justice was administered by Chief Justice Gummere, and that as judge of the Court of Errors and Appeals by Chancellor Pitney. There were present only the members of the Court of Errors and Appeals, which adjourned from conference long enough to witness the administering of the oaths.

There had been some delay in making out the commission of Justice Swayze, and when he arrived this morning some of the members of the court questioned his right to participate in the conference, on the ground that he was no longer a member of the court. The question was not seriously urged, however, but it happened that up to the time that the commission arrived the conference considered only cases in which Justice Swayze had sat below. Therefore he spent his time in the outer courtroom.

**TRENTON SEWER PLANT WOULD COST $500,000.**

Trenton, Jan. 21.—The first step, following the report of the special committee, for the establishment of a sewage disposal plant in this city, was made by the Finance Committee last night. City Engineer Swan and Chief of Sewers Gregory met with the committee and upon their advice was decided to employ an expert to study the sewer system and to report his opinion as to the most effective and economical method of complying with the State's demand that no more sewage be emptied into the Delaware river. It is estimated that a sewage disposal plant for the city will cost $500,000.

It is estimated that a thorough investigation of conditions with a view to recommending the most desirable way of disposing of the sewage, could not be completed in less than three months. It would include study of the existing sewers, the quantity of sewage, its chemical composition, basteria, surface drainage, and many other details.

As the present sewers, or most of them, carry stream water, which is contrary to the ruling of the State Board of Health, many new drains may be necessary unless the State modifies its demand in this respect.

The city has been given until next January to devise plans and begin operation.

**Y. M. H. A. to Hold Banquet.**

The Young Men's Hebrew Association, State Federation, will hold a banquet and installation of officers at the Hotel Navarre, Newark, Sunday night at 6:30 o'clock. Among the speakers will be Judge William Newcorn, of this city, who will speak on "The Y. M. H. A. from a Professional View." Samuel Rothberg, of this city, is the president-elect.

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# NEW JERSEY FARM FOR RAISING GAME

Five new game laws and two recommendations for the farmers came out in the discussion on the present game laws opened by Benedict C. Kuser, head of the State Fish and Game Commission, at the evening session of the State Board of Agriculture last night at Trenton.

Mr. Kuser's proposed laws provide for a reduction from $10 to $5 for the annual gunning license issued to non-resident gunners from States which make $5 their fee from non-resident gunners; a State farm for raising game stock the State; all State lands closed to gunning; squirrels not to be shot when the snow is on the ground and restriction of civil service as to wardens removed.

His recommendations were that farmers sow a little buckwheat which they should leave standing to feed birds, after the regular crops were harvested, the commission supplying the seed upon application; and a law against gunners shooting ducks from what are known as "air-holes," where the gunners cover themselves with white suits and give the ducks no chance for their lives. He said this, in his opinion, was not sport, but animal murder.

Mr. Kuser said that the State had imported 2,000 Hungarian partridges and 4,000 English pheasants during the year, and promised farmers to send them some if they wished the birds to be liberated on the farms. He said this importation had cost some $20,000. A State farm for raising such game would reduce the cost from $3.25 a bird to something like $1.23, he said.

Regarding fish, Mr. Kuser said said 120,000 brook trout had been liberated in streams in South Jersey during the year.

**RISKS LIFE IN FIRE FOR BATTLE FLAG.**

For the second time within six weeks fire yesterday morning broke out in the Dippolt Building, in the centre of the business section of Trenton, and before the blaze could be extinguished fire and water had done damage aggregating $14,500, the losers including the Rider, Moore & Stewart Business College, Aaron Wilkes Post, No. 23, G. A. R., and R. A. Donnelly, haberdashery, and H. M. Voorhees & Brother.

That death did not attend the fire seems little short of miraculous, as the firemen were caught in an unexpected trap. Assistant Chief Bennett fell through the burning floor, but saved himself by clinging to a charred joist. Captain William Stackhouse, of the Chemical Company, was burned about the face and his eyesight may be permanently damaged.

The orogin of the fire, as of the fire before, is unknown, but it is said that the blaze was started by a smoldering cigar or cigarette. Priceless war relics belonging to Wilkes Post were in danger from both fire and water, but were saved by veterans under the lead of Captain Joseph Durrell, who risked his life to save a cherished battle flag.

**At Proctor's Theatre.**

Those who are interested in the troubles and trials of the landlady of a theatrical boarding house, will surely want to see Ethel Carpenter & Co., at Proctor's theatre, in "The Show Girl's Husband." There is an ever changing line of comedy and pathos. Ryno, Emerson & Meehan comprise a bunch of song and mirth. Miss Emerson has a wonderful baritone voice. The Carleton Sisters make a hit with their clever clog dancing and catchy songs, while while Ward & Lansgar are clever in funny songs and classy skirt dancing. The pictures are better than ever.

**Unity Lodge Installs Officers.**

Deputy Grand Chancellor Fred Sears and staff installed the officers of Unity Lodge, No. 102 K. of P., last night, as follows: Chancellor Commander, Samuel Rothberg; vice-chancellor commander, J. D. Anderson; keeper of records and seals, Frank Putnam; master of exchequer, Samuel Humpston; master of finance, H. J. Martin, Sr.; master of work, Jeremiah VanWinkle; master at arms, A. E. Causebrook; inner guard, W. B. Drake.

**A Cautious Opinion.**

"Yes," said the charitable scientist, "I think we must admit that explorer-lecturer had a touch of insanity."

"Of what nature?"

"Well I should say he was crazy to get rich."—Exchange.

**Able to Do It**

"Why is the post of weather man, with all the fault-finding it brings, considered so desirable?"

"Because it is a post where a man ought to be able always to raise the wind."—Baltimore American.

**A Wholesale Worrier.**

"I'm worrying about that comet."

"Better worry about your rent."

"Never mind the rent. When I borrow trouble, I borrow a good-sized batch."

**P. H. S. Examinations.**

The P. H. S. examinations will be held on January 31, February 1, 2 and 3.

Beneath the mistletoe she stood,
A study suffragette, they say—
Resolved that she would never be
By any mere man bluffed away.
—Washington Evening Star.


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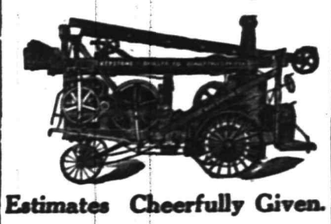

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# THE MERCHANTS' BANQUET

(Continued from page 1.)

has said that the true test of generosity is not how much we give, but how much we have left. He was secretary to Mayor Strong, of New York, and since then has been mentioned for the Mayoralty. This was brought to Tim Woodruff's attention, who said: "Why the people never take him seriously," whereupon our next speaker replied: "Why, I did not know that I had fallen so low that Tim Woodruff would not take me seriously." Job E. Hedges was then introduced and received a great ovation.

**Job Hedges Witty.**

After expressing his pleasure in being in Plainfield, adding that "he had heard of the place and right pleasantly," Mr. Hedges entertained the guests in one of the best after-dinner speeches heard in this city.

"I am glad to be flagged on the left and right by the clergy," continued Mr. Hedges. "I enjoyed Mr. Beach's remarks. There was some sound things among them—dangerously sound, and I wonder whether we are living up to them. Referring to the mayoralty question in New York—that old scandal—I want to say that I was mentioned. I had all the delegates but two—Parsons and Tim Woodruff. Woodruff put it in my mind and then forgot it. It is better to have been mentioned than not to be thought of at all.

"There is some excuse for my being here. I was born in Elizabeth, but didn't tarry long, for at the age of six weeks I went to New York and have never been able to get away from there. It is a pleasure to speak to New Yorkers who tarry here occasionally.

"When you leave anything to the public be sure of the public. There is a growing passion to speak on behalf of the public, whether it wants it or not. Every four years we save the public, and after everything is patched up the old thing goes on just the same. I am very glad that Mr. Martine and I agree, although I disagree with his chiefs. However, he has made the people sit up and take notice and settle many things that would not have been settled.

**Praises Roosevelt.**

"Many people differ with Roosevelt, but years later he will be credited while in office of making all the people think on the same subject at the same time. A man that can do that has no cause to fear of results. The reason reformers are not a success is that they prescribe before diagnosing the case.

"Publicity has destroyed more great men than anything else. There is nothing so devastating as the deadly headline. We don't need so many great men, anway. I would rather see a man with evil instincts, within bounds, than one so good that he never thinks. I would rather see a man build one story high than a basement three stories deep. A $250 or $500 consultation may do good, but dry feet will beat a physician to death.

"A man who don't vote has no right to any opinion. He has no right to cheer the American flag. He is worse than the man who fired the first shot on Fort Sumpter, for he had convictions. Among the reform movements I understand you have what is called the New Idea, an idea we were told about in 1789. There is nothing new since the Ten Commandents.

**Country a Partnership.**

"Some people think they are called when they are only chosen. A man may fool himself. I wonder what some men think when the lights are out. It is a wonder they don't laugh themselves to death. The argument in favor of prohibition loses its force with me when I can smell the argument. I did say that the true test of generosity is not what we give but what we have left, and I think that the true test of kindness is whether you inconvenience yourself. I would rather that a man give vaultingly than not at all, because it may do some poor pup good. The great man in this world is one whose principle of life is that of the nation. When we are all equal as construed by the Constitution, Gabriel will blow his trumpet. This country is a great partnership and every one is equally liable. It is in the individual walk of life that the future of the country lies. I have no fear for this country as to trouble with other countries. If it is a small nation, we buy it and if it is a big one we shut off their food supply. The only people who can whip Americans are Americans.

"Nothing happens when all is quiet and I think that the most enervating time will be when everyone is satisfied. Politics are handling people in the aggregate without brute force. The great question today in this country, whose wealth cannot be estimated in figures, is whether the people are decent. If they are, we are solvent, if not, we are insolvent. No man is bigger than the sphere he occupies."

At the close of Mr. Hedges' address, he was given three rousing cheers, and at the suggestion of James E. Martine, all drank to his health.

**Mr. Fisk's Ideas.**

Mayor Fisk, the next speaker, said in part:

"I feel the time has come when some action must be taken by the Legislature and a simple, comprehensive municipal code for the government of cities adopted to take the place of the many hundreds of laws now on the statute books. Recognizing the principal of home rule and giving all municipalities within certain proper limits, as already outlined, the power to regulate their own internal affairs.

"However, there are certain matters some of which are now in part under State supervision and part under local supervision that refer to all and should be regulated and under State control.

"The State should fix a debt limit for both county and municipality that cannot be exceeded. This limit (as recommended in the report of the commissioners) should be not over 2 per cent. of the assessed valuation for counties—not over 7 per cent. of assessed valuation in cities of the first or second class and not over 10 per cent. in the smaller municipalities.

"Another most important matter which should be under State control is—

"In order that everyone—individulas, railroads, banks, trust companies—all corporations and others—should only pay their equal and just proportion of taxes. All property must be valued on the same basis. If in a municipality the property is valued on a different basis in the respective taxing districts or any one party is favored by the assessors—others suffer in comparison and must bear more than their fair share of the burden. The same holds true in the county if the districts or municipalities differ. And in the State where the counties adopt a different basis or method. And in the end it all comes back to the individual tax payer.

**Answers Governor.**

"For years just this inequality and unjust method of taxation existed in this State, and it was to overcome this injustice and correct these methods that the County Board of Taxation—and the law known as the Hillery Maximum tax rate law, came into existence. Now Governor Fort in his annual message to the Legislature says:

"'The people of the State favor the abolition of the County Boards of Taxation. Their existence is without excuse and always has been. Their object and purpose was solely to secure an increase of taxable values so that the average tax rate upon railway property might be reduced. They have accomplished this purpose with a resultant loss to the public school funds for distribution by the State of not less than five hundred thousand dollars per year for each year since their creation.'

"I admit valuations have been raised, that the average tax rate has been lowered, that the railroads pay less taxes than they otherwise would, and therefor there has been a corresponding loss to the school fund—but I differ from Governor Fort in his statement that there is no reason for the existence of the county tax boards or the Maximum tax rate and never has been. Before the passage of these acts, all property was valued for the purposes of taxation in a happy-go-lucky, any old way at any old percentage of value—all the way from 15 per cent. to 60 or 70 per cent of its real value, without any regard being taken in the relation of one place to the other, or to equality of values and the assessors perjured themselves by stating under oath that they had assessed all property at its full fair value of what it would bring in the market at a fair sale. This not meaning a forced sale at auction or a fancy sale where the property was wanted for some particular purpose, but a fair sale of a willing seller to a willing buyer. The valuations were low, all based on different percentage of valuation, much less than a full value and the tax rate correspondingly high.

**Must Go Forward.**

"The property owners, or the district assessed at the higher percentage of value suffered in comparison with the other assessed at a low percentage. Under this old method, one place was continually robbing the other. The railroads claim that under such conditions if assessed at full value, and they continued to pay at the average rate, they would then be paying more than their fair and just share of the taxes, and there is no doubt that there is a great deal of justice in their contention. Let us be square and honest in our transactions; never mind what the cost.

"Surely Governor Fort, or any other man would not advise going back to this old method. There must be a maximum tax rate whatever the basis of assessed valuation, otherwise there would be no limit for the public officers and municipalities in regard to expenditures.

"All taxes must be levied on property valued as far as possible on a fair, just, equal basis, whether individual, railroad, corporation or others. If the County Tax Board is to be abolished there must be something better substituted, it will not do to go backward. I would go still further than Governor Fort and try and get at the very root of the evil—the local assessor. I would abolish not only the County Board of Taxation, but all local boards and assessors. And to take the place of these increase the powers of the State Board of Assessors, and have all property in the State, real and personal, valued under direction of this board—authorizing the board to appoint as many deputy or local assessors as might be required. All such deputy or local assessors to be appointed under Civil Service rules, after an examination in regard to their qualification. And would pay salaries sufficient to secure honest, competent men, fully qualified for the office.

**To Meet the Expense.**

"In order to cover the expense each taxing district could be assessed and pay to the State a certain amount in proportion to the assessed valuation of the property in the district.

"The present State Board for Equalization of Taxes could act as the Board of Appeal in case of dispute.

"The duplicate could be sent to the collectors in each taxing district and taxes collected as they are at present, by the local authorities.

In closing the Mayor said:

"Is there any reason why we should continue to drift along under these chaotic conditions simply for the need of proper laws and commonsense business legislature—absolutely none.

"The time has come when party leaders, members of the Legislature and all public officials must look the situation directly in the face and take immediate action to solve these various important questions in the interests and for the welfare of the people and taxpayers of the State. The men that have the courage and ability to do this will not need to build up any machine of their own to bring about their political advancement.

"My friends, to bring about good government it is up to just such associations as these—the Boards of Trade and Civic Societies and individual public spirited citizens, to get together and take an active interest in public affairs.

"Let us all, both men and women, do our best and use what influence we have to bring about in nation, State and city an upright, moral, fair, honest, progressive up to date businesslike and economic government."

**Father Bogan's Remarks.**

Father B. M. Bogan, pastor of St. Mary's church, who is always a welcome guests at these affairs, was given a cordial reception when introduced by the toastmaster. The priest said that he had not had an opportunity to prepare a speech such as the guests were entitled to, but expressed his pleasure in being present and having a chance to say a few words. He spoke of "Opportunities," those which come to everyone during life. Referring to the fact that Mr. Saunders had introduced him as an Irishman, he replied that while he was proud of the distinction he wanted to explain that he was born in the more poetic spot of Market street, Newark. In the opinion of Father Bogan there is no such word as fail, and he said that he hoped all would be blind to his faults. He concluded by saying that he in common with the rest is doing all that he can toward the upbuilding of the highest type of citizenship in Plainfield.

**Rev. Mr. Warner Speaks.**

"This is no place for a minister's son," was the greeting that Rev. George A. Warner brought to the gathering, but, added the rector, "this is a place for a minister every time. I am glad that I am here with the representative men of Plainfield and know that I am one of you. My text tonight is 'Grit.' It takes grit to speak to a body of men like this. Carlyle once said, 'The basis of virtue is a healthy sense of shame.' It is a case of fear as to what your neighbors may say. For goodness sake don't do anything to displease your neighbors and don't go wrong.

"It takes grit to be a minister. If you don't believe it I will turn my job over to you and let you try to please 500 people. It takes grit to be a merchant in Plainfield. When you see people going to New York to do their shopping it takes grit for you to stay on the job. When you can get just as good goods in Plainfield at the same or lower prices you should patronize home stores."

**Mr. Martine Talks.**

The speechmaking was concluded by James E. Martine, who aroused the guests to the greatest enuthsiasm by his earnest words of counsel. In introducing Mr. Martine, Mr. Saunders said that there was only one thing he had against the farmer orator and that was that he never voted anything but the Democratic ticket. In reply, Mr. Martine said that he was proud of the fact.

Commenting on the excellent speeches of Mr. Beach and Mr. Hedges, he said that he hoped both would soon cast their lot here in Plainfield which he thought was nearer Heaven than any spot he knew of. He said that he enjoyed such occasions because there was no religious dogma to bother anyone. There was Father Bogan on one side and, added Mr. Martine, I believe it is now "Father" Warner.

In commenting on the remarks of Mr. Hedges as to being mentioned for a nomination, Mr. Martine said that if he would only come over to the Democratic party he would get a nomination, that is as far as anyone gets. In conclusion Mr. Martine said that his aim was to benefit Plainfield all that is possible.

Throughout the evening the guests enjoyed the singing of popular songs led in spirited fashion by City Judge William N. Runyon and accompanied by Charles Suhr's Imperial orchestra, which was a feature.

**The Officers.**

The officers of the association and banquet committee follows:

President, A. E. Force; vice-president, Herbert Shuldenfrei; secretary, H. P. Greenwood; treasurer, John S. Johnston; banquet committee—Theodore J. Shirley, chairman; R. H. Barnard, A. C. Lohrman, George O. Stevens, Herman Schwed, F. A. Duttenhofer, A. E. Force and Morris C. VanArsdale.


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# WASHINGTON IS CUT OUT BY GOVERNORS

The conference of Governors ended yesterday at Washington without further action upon the resolution of Governor Eberhardt, of Minnesota, which provided that Federal courts should not take cognizance of cases against railroads where the State statutes provided a method by which the orders of the State Railroad Commission could be reviewed in State tribunals.

The committee on plan and scope of future conferences submitted a report which was adopted. It provides for annual conferences; that the next meeting shall be held between Thanksgiving and Christmas, 1910; that it shall be held in a State capital and not in Washington; that the committee on arrangements apportion the expenses of the next conference among the States, according to population, so that Governors may recommend to their legislatures the appropriations necessary. Governor Wilson, of Kentucky; Hadley, of Missouri, and Ansel, of South Carolina, were named on this committee.

A proposition by Governor Hughes, of New York, that all Governors elected next fall, but not inducted into office before the conference, be asked to attend was carried.

## WIFE SEEKS SEPARATION.

**Sues New Idea Leader for Divorce on Desertion Charge.**

Mrs. Minnie A. Steffens, of Jersey City, has instituted divorce proceedings, alleging desertion, against Henry A. Steffens, a New Idea Republican, who was a tax commissioner and a fire commissioner under former Mayor Mark M. Fagan. In the bill of complaint Mrs. Steffens says her husband left her on January 15, 1908.

The couple were married on June 13, 1896, by the Rev. P. J. Komers, a minister, in Jersey City. They have one child, Henry B. Steffens, 12 years old.

Mrs. Steffens is a sister of Harry Blauvelt, the one time celebrated bicycle rider and first winner of the twenty-five mile Millburn road race.

**Snowball Frightened Horse.**

Snowballs thrown by small boys struck a horse belonging to Joseph Manhattan on Somerset street, yesterday. The animal took fright and ran into the yard of Dr. J. P. Zeglio before it was caught. The harness was considerably damaged. Chief Weiss is on the trail of the boys implicated in the act and they will be apprehended and appear in court tomorrow.


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WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

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WANTED—Girl for general housework. 414 West Eighth St. 1 20 2

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AT MURRAY'S Registry, 226 East Front street, wanted, position for experienced girl as children's nurse or useful companion to elderly lady. Tel. 666. 1 19 3

SITUATION wanted by competent girl at general housework; go home nights. Address A. C., Press office. 1 20 3

COMPETENT girl wishes position general housework. Call 517 West Sixth street. 1 21 3

POLISH girl wants position at general housework; good reference. 552 West Second St. 1 19 3

COLORED woman wants place at day's work or laundress; good reference. 313 Plainfield Ave. 1 20 3

**Help Wanted—Male.**

WANTED — Capable man and wife or woman and son to do the work of family of five, (2 adults, 3 children) in small house; cow, chickens and small garden to be cared for; $40 per month. Address Box 94, care Daily Press. 1 20 6

WANTED—Young man stenographer for local concern; state age and salary expected. Address Stenographer, care Press. 1 20 3

**Miscellaneous.**

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

ORDERS taken for children's dresses, also ladies' kimonas and house-gowns, 430 Watchung avenue. 'Phone 1347-L. 1 19 3

**Rooms and Board.**

TO RENT—Furnished room; improvements; light and airy. Inquire 334 East Fifth street. 1 21 tf

BOARD—Furnished rooms with or without board; two minutes from station; telephone; reasonable. Cruickshank, 215 Church St. 1 21 3

FOR RENT—April 1st, three large, sunny and connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with or without privilege of light housekeeping; best residential section, near station; private family. Address "Central," care Press. 1 21 3

TWO large connecting rooms and adjoining small room, fully furnished. Mrs. Lena Hellstrom, 312 East Seventh St. 1 19 6

**Travel.**

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

Other Classified Ads. on Page 3.

**For Rent.**

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 [illegible] tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave. 'Phone 274-W. 1 13 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 644 Essex street. Inquire J. Sacher, 331 West Third street. 1 20 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room house; all improvements; barn; $25. Geo. F. Brown, 94 Somerset St. 1 21 2

FOR RENT—Five rooms; good residential section; city water and gas. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. 1 21 2

TO LET—Four rooms with improvements. 434 East Fifth street. 1 21 3

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

**Employment Agencies.**

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

**Money to Loan.**

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P Runyon, City., Rooms 7 and 8, Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MONEY to loan on first mortgage. Louis A. Clement, lawyer, Babcock building. 1 17 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 6 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. F. Vail.

**For Sale.**

FOR SALE—Colt's acetylene gas generator, 35 light machine. C., Daily Press. 1 20 3

FOR SALE—Mann bone cutter, No. 7. Apply Charles Myers, Scotch Plains. 1 20 3

FOR SALE—Chance for bargain and good business for about the price of one rig; 2 closed carriages, 1 extra good; 1 surrey, 1 single phaton, 1 good family sleigh, 2 good horses, harness, robes and all things for the use of stable; good will guaranteed to right party. For information, 147 East Sixth street, stable. 1 21 3

HORSE for sale; bargain; young, sound. 1020 Arlington Ave. 1 21 4

FOR SALE—Two small houses near Grant avenue. Inquire 13 Westervelt avenue. 1 19 4

**Lost and Found.**

LOST—January 20, on Seventh street, between Richmond street and Grant avenue, parcel wrapped in a rug. Finder will please leave it at this office. 1 21 2

LOST—White bull terrier, color all white. Return or inform owner, O. T. Waring, 900 Park Ave. 1 20 tf

**Wanted Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—To buy six-room house, centrally located; good neighborhood. Address D. F., care Press. 1 21 6

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 19 6

**Situations Wanted—Male.**

YOUNG man wishes office position, capable of taking entire charge, thorough knowledge of office work; also experienced business correspondence with own typewriter, good add writer; low salary to start; Plainfield or vicinity. Address Energetic, care Press. 1 14 8

# SMITHSON'S BEQUEST

## Origin of the Famous Smithsonian Institution.

## THE CONTROL OF ITS FUNDS.

**Uncle Sam's Treasury Holds Its Money, Which Can Be Used Only on Appropriation by Congress—Its Peculiar Relation to the Government.**

Although the name of the Smithsonian institution is a common household word in America and millions of persons have visited the great buildings in Washington where are stored the contributions of science which have been gathered under its auspices, few understand the real relation of the institution to the national government. Most persons believe that it is a part of the government.

The Smithsonian institution, says the Washington Times, occupies a peculiar relation to this government. It is a part of it, and yet it is not a part. Its moneys are in the United States treasury and can be used only on appropriation by congress, and yet this money does not belong to the government. It is to the government only as the money of a ward is to a guardian.

James Smithson, who contributed the bulk of the fund in the hands of the institution, was an Englishman, the son of a peer of the realm. He was a man who could trace his ancestry back to royal blood. He never visited in America and was never known to have any particular partiality for America until he wrote his will in 1826. He died at Genoa in 1829, and when they opened his will this is what they read:

"I bequeathed the whole of my property to the United States of America to found at Washington, under the name of the Smithsonian institution, an establishment for the increase and diffusion of knowledge among men."

This property amounted to about $500,000, which was in that day a princely fortune. Six years after his death the United States legation at London was informed that there was about $500,000 in the possession of the adjutant general of the British court of chancery awaiting claimant.

Immediately there arose in America all kinds of opposition to the acceptance of the money. John C. Calhoun and William G. Preston urged with all the fire of their eloquence that it was beneath the dignity of this government to accept such a gift. But John Quincy Adams and others prevailed, and Richard Rush was sent to England to prosecute the claim of this government.

He was successful, and on Sept. 1, 1838, the money was delivered at the mint in Philadelphia in the shape of 104,960 gold sovereigns, which were minted into $508,318.46 in American money.

This sum by careful management and by additions from other charitably inclined persons has now become about $1,000,000, which the government keeps and pays interest upon for the maintenance of the institution.

For the first eight years the money lay in the treasury while plans were being formulated for the permanent establishment described by Smithson in his will. Thousands of letters were received, and there were schemes enough proposed to bankrupt several governments. Congressmen debated over this fund repeatedly, and hundreds of pages of the Congressional Globe were given up to it.

The institution has been worked out on such broad lines as to be one of the greatest forces in scientific research in the world.

The board of regents is composed of the vice president of the United States, the chief justice of the United States, three United States senators, three representatives and six citizens of the United States at large.

The National museum, the weather bureau, the zoological park at Washington, the fisheries bureau and the astrophysical observatory have been developed by the institution.

The objects of the institution, as described by its first secretary, Joseph Henry, have been adhered to through the years of its existence. They are to increase knowledge by original investigations and study either in science or literature and to diffuse knowledge not only through the United States, but everywhere, especially by promoting an interchange of thought among those prominent in learning in all nations. No restriction is made in favor of any one branch of knowledge.

The leading features of the plan of Professor Henry were, in his own words:

"To assist men of science in making original researches, to publish them in a series of volumes and to give a copy of them to every first class library in the world."

Books, laboratory accommodations and apparatus have been supplied to thousands of investigators throughout the United States.

**Unprincipled Wretch.**

"You simply cannot trust anybody!" declared the lady. "My maid, whom I had the utmost confidence in, left me suddenly yesterday and took with her my beautiful pearl brooch."

"That is too bad," sympathizes the friend. "Which one was it?"

"That very pretty one I smuggled through last year."—Life.

Excessive anger against human stupidity is itself one of the most provoking of all forms of stupidity.—Von Radowitz.

## OFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF FREEHOLDERS.

The meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders was held on Saturday, January 1, 1910, at 12 o'clock, noon, as provided by law for the purpose of organization.

The following communication was received:

To the Union County Board of Freeholders:

Gentlemen—Your letter of December 31, notifying us that a vacancy exists in your board caused by the resignation of Benjamin King, received at a regular meeting of the committee held this day, W. J. Thompson was elected to fill the unexpired term.

Very truly,
AUGUST RITTER,
Township Clerk.

The new members of the board were duly sworn by Judge Kelly, of Elizabeth, and their oath of office was filed in the office of the County Clerk as required by law.

The meeting was called to order by Benjamin King, clerk of the last session of the board, who called the roll as follows: Clark Township, William J. Thompson; Cranford Township, E. K. Adams; City of Elizabeth, Thomas Haviland, W. H. Garrison, Charles J. Jennsen and Jacob Martin; Fanwood Township, John Robison; Linden, Henry Krouse; Mountainside, Elston Darby; New Providence, Bradford Jones; City of Plainfield, S. P. T. Wilbur, J. H. Doane; City of Rahway, Adolph Gruener, William Randolph; Springfield Township, P. H. Meisel; City of Summit, William H. Swain, J. N. Cady; Union Township, Aaron D. Crane; Town of Westfield, Charles A. Smith and Joseph Perry. All were present except Freeholder Krouse.

The clerk stated that the first business was the election of Director, and called for nominations. In a few remarks Freeholder Smith nominated John N. Cady for the office of Director:—The nomination was seconded by Freeholder Swain, and the nominations were thereupon closed. The clerk requested Freeholders Swain and Robison to act as tellers. It was ordered that the clerk cast the ballot, and upon ballot being cast Freeholder Cady was declared elected for the ensuing year. He was escorted to the chair by the tellers and returned his thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

By Freeholder Adams.

Resolved, That the salary of the County Collector be fixed at the sum of three thousand dollars ($3,000) per annum.

Freeholder Jones moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

Freeholder Garrison nominated Nathan R. Leavitt for Collector. It was seconded by Freeholder Swain. It was ordered that the clerk cast the ballot, and upon ballot being cast the Director declared that Nathan R. Leavitt was duly elected Collector for the legal term. The Collector briefly returned his thanks for the honor conferred upon him.

By Freeholder Smith.

Resolved, That the salary of the Road Inspector be fixed at the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars ($1,200) per annum.

Freeholder Perry moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

Freeholder Perry nominated Jas. Fink as County Road Inspector, which was seconded by Freeholder Darby. There were no other nominations, and it was ordered that the clerk cast the ballot. Upon ballot being cast the Director declared that James Fink was elected County Road Inspector for the legal term.

By Freeholder Wilbur.

Whereas, by reason of the rapid growth of the County of Union, and the constant increase of the county business attending the same, and by reason of the offices of Sheriff, County Clerk, County Registerar and Surrogate having now, by virtue of the law, become salaried offices, and the increase of said offices accruing to the county, the work and responsibility devolving upon the Board of Freeholders of this county are greatly enhanced, and this board deeming it advisable and necessary to create and establish an office to be known as "County Auditor," and that some suitable person be appointed for the purpose of exercising supervision over the expenditures and receipts of money; therefore be it

Resolved, That the office to be known as "County Auditor" be, and hereby is established; and be it further

Resolved, That some capable person be appointed or elected as County Auditor at a salary to be fixed by this board, for the term of three years as provided by law.

Freeholder Swain moved the adoption of this resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder Jensen.

Resolved, That the salary of the County Auditor be fixed at the sum of eight hundred dollars ($800) per annum.

Freeholder Garrison moved the adoption of the resolution, and on roll call it was unanimously adopted. Freeholder Adams nominated Benjamin King for County Auditor. It was seconded by Freeholder Jones. There were no other nominations and it was ordered that the Director cast the ballot. Upon the ballot being cast the Director declared that Benjamin King was elected County Auditor, for the term of three years. Mr. King returned his thanks to the board, expressing his high appreciation of the honor it had conferred upon him.

By Freeholder Haviland.

Resolved, That the rules of the last board be adopted as the rules of this board and that the regular meetings of this board be held on the first Thursday of each month, unless otherwise ordered by the board.

On motion of Freeholder Smith this resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Randolph.

Resolved, That the proceedings of the Board of Chosen Freeholders be published in the following papers at the compensation of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) per annum: Elizabeth Daily Journal, Elizabeth Evening Times, Elizabeth Revue, of Elizabeth; Courier News and Daily Press of Plainfield; Summit Record and Summit Herald, of Summit; Westfield Leader and Union County Standard, of Westfield; Cranford Citizen and Cranford Chronicle, of Cranford; New Providence News, of New Providence; New Jersey Advocate and Rahway News-Herald, of Rahway, provided said minutes are printed within the current month.

Freeholder Martin moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

By Freeholder Darby.

Resolved, That the Director be and is hereby constituted a member of all committees.

On motion of Freeholder Adams the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By Freeholder Swain.

Resolved, That the compliments of the season be extended to Freeholder Henry Krouse and hopes for his speddy recovery.

On motion of Freeholder Perry the resolution was adopted without dissent.

By the County Collector—his annual report, as follows:

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey:

Gentlemen—I have the honor herewith to submit my annual report of the moneys received and disbursed by me as County Collector for the year ending December 31, 1909:

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| Total receipts | $2,0[illegible]1,614.81 |
| Total disbursements | 1,5[illegible]7,833.51 |
| Balance on hand | $[illegible]3,781.30 |
| As against this amount there is due to the Sheridan House account | 673.99 |
| New Courthouse acct. | 832.77 |
| Sinking Fund commissioners | 8,000.00 |
| Hospitals | 2,000.00 |
| National Guard | 1,200.00 |
| State of New Jersey for State school tax | 10,715.27 |
| | $[illegible]3,422.03 |
| Amount applicable for general purposes | $10,359.27 |
| Due from municipalities for their share of county road bonds | 1,315.42 |
| Making a total of | $11,674.69 |

**Financial Condition of County.**
December 31, 1909.

LIABILITIES.

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| County Road bonds | $[illegible]00,000.00 |
| New Courthouse bonds | 76,000.00 |
| Sheridan House bonds | 28,000.00 |
| Road Improvement bonds | 10,000.00 |
| | $[illegible]14,000.00 |

ASSETS.

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|---|---|
| County lands and buildings | $[illegible]02,750.00 |
| Funds in hand of Sinking Fund Commissioners | 48,000.00 |
| Due Sinking Fund Commissioners | 8,000.00 |
| | $[illegible]58,750.00 |

N. R. LEAVITT,
County Collector.

By Freeholder Meisel.

Resolved, That the County Collector be authorized to have his report printed at a cost not to exceed $150.

Freeholder Robison moved the adoption of the resolution and on roll call it was unanimously adopted.

Freeholder Darby moved to adjourn, which was carried, and the Director declared the board adjourned until Thursday, January 6, 1910, at 2 o'clock p. m.

Signed, BENJAMIN KING,
Clerk.

The regular meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey, held on Thursday, January 6, at 2 [illegible] o'clock p. m.

The following members were present: Director Cady, Freeholders Adams, Crane, Darby, Doane, Garrison, Haviland, Jensen, Jones, Martin, Meisel, Perry, Robison, Randolph, Swain and Wilbur—17.

Absent Freeholders Krouse, Smith and Thompson—3.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur the reading of the minutes of the previous meeting was dispensed with.

**Communications.**

The Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—The undersigned proposes to furnish all labor and material in the repairing, oiling and cleaning of roadways, gutters, etc., of the county roads in Union county during the year of 1910, for the cost plus eight per cent. for profits.

Should your honorable body deem it to the best interests of the taxpayers to advertise and contract out this work on the unit price basis we would appreciate an opportunity to bid on the same.

We desire to bid upon all public work in this county, and request that you instruct your engineer to furnish us promptly with plans and specifications when you are advertising for bids.

Thanking you for past courtesies and wishing you a Happy New Year.

Respectfully,
UNION CO. CONTRACTING CO.

On motion of Freeholder Gruener received and placed on file.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey.

Gentlemen—I would appreciate an opportunity to bid upon the macadam repair work in this county during the year, together with what construction work you may contemplate, either in the macadam road line or in the construction of repairing of bridges and culverts.

The work I have done in this county in the past four years demonstrate both my ability and desire to do first-class work, and I have built not only as good but better roads than we have had in this county for some time past.

Yours truly,
JAMES C. PARK.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and placed on file.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Union County, New Jersey.

Gentlemen—At the last meeting of the Connecticut Farms improvement Association a resolution was passed authorizing the secretary, in behalf of the association, to petition your honorable board to designate the road known as Chestnut street, from the Central Railroad depot in


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| EVAPORATED PEACHES—Best, lb | 10c |
| GOLDEN DATES—Per package | 7c |
| EVAPORATED APPLES—Fancy 1-lb cartons | 14c |
| CALIFORNIA PRUNES—Large and meaty, 3 lbs for | 25c |
| FAIRBANK'S BEST SCOURING SOAP—Cake | 4c |
| AMMONIA—Full strength, large quart bottles | 8c |
| LAUNDRY STARCH—3 lbs for | 14c |
| BABBITT'S PURE LYE—Can | 8c |
| PROCTOR & GAMBLES' NAPTHA WASHING POWDER—Package | 4c |
| SWIFT'S PRIDE LAUNDRY SOAP—10 cakes | 34c |
| ARMOUR'S KEY LAUNDRY SOAP—13 cakes | 25c |
| BALL BLUEING—¼-lb box | 8c |
| GOLD DUST WASHING POWDER—Package | 4c |
| OLD DUTCH CLEANSER—3 cans for | 25c |
| PREPARED BUCKWHEAT, KEYSTONE BRAND—package | 12c |
| PANCAKE SYRUP—Large bottles | 23c |
| PURE HONEY—Full 1-lb bottles | 23c |
| COMB HONEY—Fancy Buckwheat Box | 18c |
| KARO CORN SYRUP—can | 9c |
| FANCY NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES—None better, qt., 15c; gallon | 55c |
| MOTHER OATS OR QUAKER OATMEAL—Package | 9c |
| KELLOGG'S OR MOTHER'S CORN FLAKES—Package | 9c |
| SAXON WHEAT FOOD—Dish in each package, package | 13c |
| SILVER FARINA—Spoon in each package, package | 13c |
| CREAM WHEAT—2 packages | 25c |
| BLIMM'S BLEND COFFEE—Always popular, lb | 25c |

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TRY A PRESS WANT AD.

Roselle Park to the foot of the hill near the Presbyterian church in Union Township, and Stuyvesant avenue from that point to Morris avenue in Union Township, as a State Aid Road and to have the same graded and improved as such.

We believe that the amount of travel over this road makes it entirely worthy of your consideration and that its improvement as a State Aid Road would prove of great benefit to the people of Union county.

Trusting that this matter may receive careful consideration and favor-action, I am,

Very truly yours,
HOBART L. BENEDICT,
Secretary.

On motion of Freeholder Doane received and referred to the Committee on County Roads.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—he undersigned would respectfully petition your honorable body to grant your petitioner the right and privilege to place underground water pipes in and along Springfield avenue, extending from the Union and Essex county line on the east to the junction of said avenue with Valley street on the west.

Said water pipes are to be used to convey and furnish water for the convenience of the people living along said Springfield avenue, in Union Township, in Union county, and will be laid between the curb on the south side of said avenue and the macadam of the roadway, which macadam will not be disturbed.

Respectfully submitted this fourth day of January, 1910.

SWEEZY REALTY CO.

On motion of Freeholder Meisel ordered received and referred to the Committee on County Roads with power.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentleman—I herewith hand you a statement of cash receipts and expenditures for the Sheriff's office from November 11, 1908, to December 31, 1909, inclusive.

Also showing amount that would have been paid by the county to the Sheriff under the former fee system for same period.

Very respectfully,
R. J. KIRKLAND,
Sheriff.

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| Total cash receipts, etc. | $8,164.74 |
| All services chargeable to county | 7,574.23 |
| | $15,734.97 |
| Total expenses | 13,148.28 |
| Receipts over expenses from November 11, 1908, to December 31 | $2,590.69 |

On motion of Freeholder Swain received and placed on file.

A detailed report of the jail account and prison statistics as to the number of prisoners, crimes charged, fines, costs, etc., was submitted by Charles W. Dodd, warden.

On motion of Freeholder Doane received and placed onfile.

Gentlemen—Your committee and myself went over the West Grand street road work of 1908 some time during October and the character of the repairs was decided upon.

I then notified James C. Park, the contractor, what he was to do on or about November 1, 1909.

Nothing was done for six weeks or more and it was not until after the snow fell that Mr. Park reported to me that the work had been done.

I have had no opportunity to examine the work, as it has been covered with snow.

Yours respectfully,
JACOB L. BAUER.

On motion of Freeholder Randolph received and placed on file.

To the Board of Freeholders, Union County.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Drawbridges begs to call the attention of the board to the sunken schooner which has been sunk in the Elizabeth River for a number of years. The board's attention has been called to this matter several times, but no definite action taken. This scow is a menace and should a freshet occur it is likely to carry the vessel down stream, resulting in much damage to the bridges below. Your committee is informed that this board has proper legal authority for doing away with the scow, and we recommend that action be taken here today to have this scow moved without delay. As you will see by the signatures herewith, this report is concurred in by other members of the board besides your committee, making the required six as set forth in the law, authorizing the removal of such obstructions.

Respectfully,
CHARLES J. JENSEN,
THOMAS H. HAVILAND,
E. K. ADAMS,
JACOB MARTIN,
AARON D. CRANE,
JOSEPH PERRY.

On motion of Freeholder Wilbur received and referred to the Elizabeth Drawbridge Committee, with power, if work can be done without expense to the county.

To the Board of Freeholders, Union County.

Gentlemen—As chairman of the Committee on Drawbridges, I beg to report that during the summer of 1909 the Elizabethtown Water Company laid water pipes through the Elizabeth River close to the Summer street bridge. I learned this on one of my visits to the bridge and called the attention of the representative of the water company to the probable damage which might occur to the bridge because of the work under way. I immediately called this to the attention of the water company officials, and at their request wrote to their contractor, Frederick S. Wardwell, asking him to make the necessary repairs for the water company, but after several communications Mr. Wardwell has declined liability to the water company. Under their arrangement and representation made to me during my visit to the bridge, the Elizabethtown Water Company is responsible for the damage to the bulwark and this board should notify them accordingly.

CHARLES J. JENSEN.

Referred to the Elizabeth Drawbridge Committee and County Attorney.

By Committee on Collector's Bond.

To the Board of Chosen Freeholders of the County of Union.

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Collector's Bond report that we have received the bond, which has been executed by County Collector N. R. Leavitt with the following named gentlemen as his sureties, namely, John Kean, Frank H. Smith and John W. Whelan. We consider the same in the proper legal form and that it has been executed with good and proper sureties and we therefore recommend that the same be accepted by the board and filed in the County Clerk's office according to law.

AARON D. CRANE,
JACOB MARTIN,
E. K. ADAMS,

On motion of Freeholder Swain received and placed on file.

**Committees for 1910.**

Collector's Bond—Crane, Martin, Adams.

Publications—Robison, Haviland, Randolph.

Discharge of Prisoners—Adams, Robison, Swain.

Settle with Collector—Wilbur, Garrison, Randolph.

Lunacy—Meisel, Donae, Crane.

Public Grounds and Buildings—Krouse, Smith, Crane.

Jail Inspection—Perry, Doane, Martin.

Auditing—Wilbur, Smith, Jones.

Stationery — Darby, Garrison, Swain.

Miscellaneous Accounts and Agreements—Garrison, Darby, Perry.

Legal Questions—Martin, Adams, Thompson.

Appropriations—Smith, Crane, Swain, Krouse, Jones.

County Roads—Krouse, Wilbur, Meisel, Smith, Haviland.

Elizabeth Drawbridges—Jensen, Martin, Haviland.

Rahway Drawbridges — Gruener, Randolph, Thompson.

Special Elizabeth Drawbridges—Haviland, Krouse, Robison, Jensen, Martin.

Legislation—Meisel, Krouse, Wilbur.

Soldiers' Headstones, etc.—Doane, Perry, Jensen, Adams, Randolph.

Sinking Fund—Cady, Krouse, Swain.

The following bills, being properly audited and signed, were on roll call unanimously ordered paid, viz.:

F. J. Hubbard, $202.80; Welden Contracting Co., $7,014.08, $375.81.

Committee Expense Account—Benj. King, $2.84; George B. Cladek, $1.50; Bradford Jones, $9.05; Elston Darby, $6; W. H. Swain, $7.65; Benj. King, $10; C. J. Jensen, $30.

Members' Pay Account—C. J. Jensen, $20, $12; Bradford Jones, $34; J. H. Stephan, $2; George B. Cladek, $4; Elston Darby, $22; W. H. Swain, $20; Charles B. Heckel, $5; Western Union Tel. Co., $7.62; J. L. Bauer, $5; Watchung Water Co., $3; Joseph Runtz, $6; W. R. Codington, $169; Shirley & Johnson, $36.50; S. R. Ryno, $37.

Stationery Account—Henry Cook, $18; Courier-News Pub. Co., $10.75; Wm. F. Murphy & Sons, $25; C. M. Affleck, $5; Elliott-Fisher Co., $6.67; C. M. Affleck, $17.75; Henry Cook, $14; J. E. Warner, $16; F. E. Norris & Co., $3.50, $1.60, 50c., $3.30, $4.75, $22.20; Advocate Pub. Co. $21.75.

Lunacy Account—W. R. Codington, $100.80; N. J. State Village for Epileptics, $504.95.

Public Grounds and Buildings Account—Brucklacher Bros., $44.56; Joseph Bauer, $21.37; John Conrad, $46.35; Edwin Oswald, $3; H. P. Vandervere, $25; C. O'Dell, $44, $7.25; Reliable Loundry, $7.50; Enterprise Coal Co., $136.67; West Disinfecting Co., $1; William Trewin, $3.60; Stratton Mfg. Co., $6; W. H. Hulskamper, $19.90, $125; Katharine Runyon, $27; James J. Carey, $60; Mulford & Co., $9.28; J. J. Matherson, $2.50; Albert C. Stein, $8.95; H. V. Buttler & Co., $105, $4.60; Elizabethtown Gaslight Co., $337.84; N. J. Tel. Co., $16.63; Clark Hardware Co., $40.17; N. J. Tel. Co., $5.70; N. Y. Tel. Co., $6.15, $8.25, $8.05, $2.60, $2.85, $7.10, $11.40, $43.52; J. W. Whelan, $299.04; Public Service Corporation, $203.76, $47.20.

Bridge Account—Paul Molitor, $116.25; H. R. Palmer, $3.225; J. D. Loizeaux Lumber Co., $3.36; J. J. Melborn, $132.40; James Farley, $5; Lehigh Contracting Co., $1,287; S. P. Deble, $6.50; H. C. Bush, $63.67; Solomon Brown, $25; Philip Freehauf, $20.85; Fray Dreyer, $134.50; Alexander, Dixon, $40; Frank Dreyer, $86.80; John Van Pelt, $500; Frank Dreyer, $158.95.

Court Account—R. L. Eaton, $37.50; H. Cook, $57; Thos. E. Dolan, $25; Albert Cain, $14.64; Alvin R. Eaton, $5; Wm. H. Donaldson, $11.40.

Freeholder Darby moved to adjourn, which was carried and the Director declared the board adjourned unntil Thursday, February 3, 1910, at 2:30 o'clock p. m.

(Signed) BENJ. KING, Clerk.


# Marshall & Ball

*Highest Type of Ready-to-Wear for Men and Women*

## January Sale
# Men's Clothing

This is the third week of our January Clearance Sale and the interest in every department is as great as ever.

In Men's Clothing, particularly, there are unusual doings, and tomorrow will be another busy Saturday.

The Overcoats and Suits shown in this January Clearance Sale embrace such a wide choice of models, styles and fabrics that it must be strange fancy, indeed, which cannot be pleased.

Overcoats in a choice of Black; Oxfords and Cambridge Kerseys and Meltons.

Suits in a variety of fancy mixtures; some blacks and blues.

LOT A—Regular $12 to $15 Overcoats..... **$9.75**
LOT B—Regular $18, $20 and $22 Overcoats.... **$14.25**
LOT C—Regular $25, $28 and $30 Overcoats..... **$19.75**

LOT A—Regular $12, $13, $14 and $15 Suits.... **$9.75**
LOT B—Regular $16, $17, $18 and $20 Suits..... **$13.75**
LOT C—Regular $22, $24, $25, $28 and $30 Suits..... **$19.75**

## January Clearance Sale

**Men's Regular $3.50, $4.00 and $5 Shoes at - - $2.85**

Broken lines of regular high-grade 3.50, 4.00 and 5.00 winter footwear. Wide choice of styles, toe shapes and leathers.

**Men's Regular $5.00 and $6.00 Shoes, at $3.65**

Broken lines of unusually good 5.00 and 6,00 high-grade shoes in about all styles and leathers. You can choose from about 310 pairs.

WOMEN'S regular $5 and $6 Button Boots in gun metal and patent colt, with cloth and dull kid tops; also russet calf and black Suede. January Sale price ..... **3.65**

WOMEN'S—Manufacturer's $4, $5 and $6 samples, also broken lines of reg. 3.50 and 4.00 shoes; about all leathers and toe shapes in the lot. Jan. Sale Price **2.75**

## Misses' and Children's Tru-Tred Specials

High Napoleon cut; Patent Colt and Gunmetal.

Broken lines reg. 2.50 and 3.00 shoes, sizes 8 to 11. Jan. Sale Price **2.20**

Broken lines reg. $3 & 3.50 shoes sizes 11½ to 2. January Sale Price **2.65**

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# Scheuer's Bargains

## For Thursday, Friday and Saturday

**Scheuer's Best XXXX Minnesota Patent Flour, 24½ Bag 85c; per Barrel - - - $6.75**

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| Havemeyer & Elders' Crystal Domino Sugar, 5-lb carton 41c | Atmore's Mince Meat, 5-lb pail 57c | Crosse & Blackwell's Chow-Chow, 30c size, a bottle 26c | Large Queen Olives, per quart 30c | Fat Norway Herring, in Boullion, 2 cans 25c | Holland Edam Cheese, $1.10 size, each 98c |
| Fresh Milled Rolled Oats, 6-lb bag 21c | Cocoanut Macaroons, 20c kind, a lb 14c | Luncheon Tongues, Emery brand, 25c size, a can 15c | California Asparagus, Alto brand, 22c kind, a can 19c | White Wax Cherries, 15c size, a can 10c | Sweet Wrinkled Peas, 3 cans 25c |
| Mott's Sweet Cider, a gallon 20c | Home-made Pure Fruit Jellies, a tumbler 15c | Hartley's Orange Marmalade, 7-lb tin 88c | Fluffy Ruffle Starch, 10c size, a package 7c | Campbell's Pork and Beans, 10c size, 3 cans 25c | Tomatoes, Reliance Brand, 10c kind, 3 cans 25c |
| H. O. Presto, 10c kind, a package 8c | French Mushrooms, Hotels', 22c kind, a can 18c | Pure Imported Italian Olive Oil, 1 quart tin 74c | Crosse & Blackwell's Orange Marmalade, 25c kind, a jar 19c | Svea Wafers, 25c size, a can 19c | Marshmallows, regular 10c box, 3 boxes 10c |
| 10 S. & H. Stamps with 1 bottle Maple Syrup, 10c | 20 S. & H. Stamps with 1 25c bottle Crescent Olives, 20c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 2-lb pkg. Scheuer's Rolled Oats, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with 1 can California Egg Plums, 17c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with large pkg. Scheuer's Washing Powder, 10c | 10 S. & H. Stamps with three 5c Rolls Toilet Paper, |
| Black Walnuts, a quart 5c | Yellow Turnips, pony basket 18c | Choice Michigan Potatoes, ½ bushel basket 45c | New Florida Beets, a bunch 7c | Sweet Florida Pineapple Oranges, a dozen 25c, 30c, 35c, 40c | Juicy Florida Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c, 4 for 25c, 6 for 25c |

**Crosse & Blackwell's Pure Fruit Jams, Raspberry, Strawberry, Plum, Blackberry, Green Gage, Red Currant, Raspberry and Currant Damson, Apricot and Gooseberry, 25c kind, a jar 19c, per dozen $2.20.**

### 10 S&H Stamps with

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| 3-lb. box Starch | 20c |
| Large Bottle Blue | 10c |
| 1 box Ball Blue | 10c |
| 1 box Allen's Talc. Powder | 10c |
| 1 box Allen's Tooth Powder | 10c |
| 1 package Macaronni | 10c |
| 1 package Spaghetti | 10c |
| 1 bottle Vanilla | 15c |
| 1 bottle Lemon Extract | 15c |
| 1 can Black Jack Stove Polish | 10c |
| 1 can Liquid Enameline | 10c |
| 7-lb. bag Salt | 10c |
| 1 package Parlor Matches | 12c |
| 1 bottle Ammonia | 10c |

### In Our Meat Dept.

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| Prime Young Ducks, per lb | 25c |
| Choice Young Geese, per lb | 20c |
| Young Fowl, per lb | 20c |
| Stewing Fowl, per lb | 16c |
| Fresh Pork Shoulders, per lb | 15c |
| Regular Fresh Hams, per lb | 17c |
| Fresh Loin Jersey Pork, lb | 17c |
| Home-made Pork Sausage, lb | 16c |
| Fresh Chopped Beef, 2 lbs | 25c |
| Philadelphia Scrapple, lb | 10c |
| Fresh Frankfurters and Bologna, lb | 14c |
| Imported Summer Bologna, lb | 25c |

### Extra S&H Stamps

100 S. & H. Stamps with 1-lb can Scheuer's Baking Powder ..... 45c
100 Stamps with 1 lb 60c Tea.
70 Stamps with 1 lb 50c Tea.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 35c Tea.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 32c Coffee.
30 Stamps with 1 lb 29c Coffee.
20 Stamps with 1 lb 27c Coffee.
20 Stamps with 1 lb 23c Coffee.
10 Stamps with 1 lb 18c Coffee.
10 Stamps with ¼ lb 50c Tea.


### THE REAL QUESTION.

They say some men and dogs and
things have found the frozen
pole,
And made a record of their trip and
put it in a hole;
They say they nailed the Stars and
Stripes upon the icy mast,
And took possession of the spot for
Uncle Sam at last;
But now that they are back again,
amid the world's applause,
I wonder if they'll tell us, did they
meet with Santa Claus?

We like to hear about the route these
daring seamen traced,
And all about the bears and other
animals they chased;
We listen with enchanted ear to tales
explorers know,
Of Northern Lights and midnight sun
and fields of ice and snow;
But all these things are trifles, and
for none of them we care,
Unless some one will tell us that old
Santa Claus is there.

We want to know about his house,
his reindeer and his elves,
And all the toys and Christmas joys
he keeps upon the shelves;
We want to know the things he does
to while the hours away,
When Christmas-time is over, thru
the long, dull, Arctic day;
We'd like to hear about his cap and
beard all white with snow—
There's just a lot—a lot—of things
that we should like to know!

Of course, he must live somewhere,
and the stories always say,
His home is at the very pole, 'neath
Arctic twilight gray;
And I believe it must be true, and
that's the reason why
Nobody ever found it in all the days
gone by.
But now the secret has been solved,
explorers brave and bold
Have stood beneath the Polar Star
and faced the Polar cold,
And so I think we'll write to Cook
and Peary, double-quick;
"What news is there from Santa
Claus? How is our good St.
Nick?"

—St. Nicholas.

### RULES FOR RIPE OLD AGE.

The amiable philosopher, Wu Ting Fang, has given eight rules to the system of living by which he believes a man might attain to 200 years. These rules nearly all relate to diet, and they provide for a smaller quantity of food daily, abstinence from all flesh food, and the thorough mastification of every mouthful before it is swallowed.

Luisi Carnaro, the Italian gentleman who found himself abandoned by the doctors at 40, lived as long as he liked, or until he was approaching his 100th year, on a diet of the most meagre, subsisting comfortably in his later years on one egg a day.

In Carnaro's time, which extended from about the middle of the fifteenth to the same period of the sixteenth century, dietarians of his kind were rare, but the philosopher Wu Ting Fang is only one of a very large and rapidly increasing number who seek to solve the problem of a long and healthful life through the wisest use of foods.

### None Such.

Wife—Will you take me tonight to "What Every Woman Knows?"

Husband—My dear, if you could suggest a play called "What Not a Woman Knows," I would go in a minute.—Harvard Lampoon.

## N. Y. AMUSEMENTS.

"A Trip to Japan," "Inside the Earth" and "The Ballet of Jewels," the three big spectacles at the New York Hippodrome continue to attract crowded houses twice a day. A complete circus fills the earlier part of the bill in connection with "A Trip to Japan." In this part of the program also occurs the departure of the giant ocean liner from the dock—a remarkable stage set showing a big steamship pulling away from the pier and followed by an exquisite panorama of New York harbor by moonlight. The Feast of 10,000 Lanterns, which takes place in the Mikado's Garden in connection with the Fete of Giant Chrysanthemums, closes the first part of the show. The glittering "Ballet of Jewels" is the second offering in two beautiful scenes. First is shown a piazetta in Venice on the Grand Canal. A pantomime is begun and carried on to the second scene showing the Iridescent Cave of Gems, with the splendid march and ballet following. The last part of the program, but by no means the least, is the dramatic spectacle "Inside the Earth."

A comedy drama from the ever copious and ever romantic pen of Booth Tarkington, this time done in collaboration with Harry Leon Wilson, a play of stage life as well as for stage life, a kind of modern "Masks and Faces," is "Your Humble Servant," which Otis Skinner—almost the last of the romantics—is appearing in at the Garrick theatre supported by a capable cast of players. The meagerest memory of Mr. Skinner's Philippe Bridau in "The Honor of the Family;" of his Abbe' Daniel in "The Duel," or of his individual work in "The Harvesters," is ample assurance of the easy grace, refinement of diction and authoritative touch that will be characteristic of the actor's equally romantic, cloud-climbing, barn-storming "Lafe" Towers in "Your Humble Servant." Mr. Skinner is personally fond of the character that Booth Tarkington has fashioned for him. What actor of large experience and of many years' service to the stage would not feel the kindliness of an old friend for a character that is autobiographic of every actor who ever ran the gamut from Shakespeare to Shaw? The play is in for an indefinite season at the Garrick theatre.

One of the genuine treats of New York is "The Lottery Man," which enters upon its third month at the Bijou next week. This is the comedy which Alan Dale declared to be "the winner of the season," and it is a singular fact that every New York critic rendered a verdict equally as praiseworthy. The Shuberts, who are presenting this Rida Johnson Young comedy, have made no mistake in selecting Cyril Scott as the star. They are to be complimented also on having surrounded him with a cast of more than ordinary calibre. The main idea is that of a reporter on a New York newspaper offering himself as a prize in a human lottery. Jack Wright, the reporter who offers himself as the prize, has one of the dearest mothers imaginable. Now the mother of the proprietor of the paper which conducts the lottery goes in for face treatment and numerous exercises which she fondly hopes may ward off the approach of old age. She uses cosmetics and wears a wig to hide the gray hairs. The son of this woman at heart wishes that she might become as the others, and how the change is gradually worked out is a most unusual situation for a comedy. The fact that an old maid wins the lucky number which calls for the human prize may give one an idea as to the fun that follows the finish of the lottery scheme.

### TROUSSEAU SETS.

Fortunate is the bride who may hope to possess herself of one or more of the wonderfully beautiful trousseau sets which are the climax of lingerie loveliness.

A bridal set of comparative simplicity, but of great attractiveness, has Van Dyke shaped valenciennes motifs from the round yoke of chemise and gown to which the skirt is attached with clustered pin tucks between each V. Van Dykes caught together with ribbon hold the chemise gown over the shoulders. Sleeves of the latter were finished with lace ruffles.

On skirt and drawers ruffles of the Van Dyke points are oddly upturning. Large crescents of cluny lace are the distinguishing features of a set with insertion scalloped edging of the same lace. Between the embroidery and lace of the deep skirt flounce soft ribbon is threaded in odd zig-zag fashion, emerging in the long looked for bow.

For the bride of unlimited means there are extremely handsome sets with trimming of costly Irish crochet and Venise lace. In these we see the quaint "Josephine" gown with square neck opening, drawn with three narrow ribbons. With the hipless figure still the mode "combination" is the watchword of the lingerie designers. Great is the ingenuity they display in the elimination of every superfluous gather or thickness of material.

A marvel of cleverness is the new three-piece combination of skirt, drawers and corset cover. One yoke is made to do the duty for both skirt and drawers and is faultlessly attached to the corset cover without gathers.

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### REV. DR. C. L. MEAD DECLINES THE CALL.

Ocean Grove, Jan. 21.—At the close of the Ocean Grove Association's meeting Wednesday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Charles L. Mead, pastor of the First Methodist church, Hoboken, announced that he had declined the call extended him by the First Congregational church, Jersey City. Strong inducements were made Dr. Mead to take the charge offered him, which carried with it a large salary. To accept the call Dr. Mead would have been obliged to sever his relation with the Newark Methodist Conference and also with the Ocean Grove Association, as the members of the latter body must be Methodists only. Dr. Mead has signified his intention of accepting leadership of the Ocean Grove young people's meetings for the month of July the coming summer. The leader of these services during August will be Rev. Dr. William H. Morgan, of Newark.

### WEATHER.

Rain and colder tonight; Saturday, fair and colder, high southeast, shifting to northwest winds.

Maximum, 44; minimum, 26.

AMUSEMENTS.

**Plainfield Theatre**

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Sat., January 22, Mat. and Night—

**AL. G. FIELD'S Greater Minstrels**

LARGEST, OLDEST, BEST.

Prices—Matinee, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c
Night 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.

MONDAY, JANUARY 24,

**ELSIE JANIS in "The Fair Co-Ed."**

Seats reservations for "The Fair Co-Ed" will not be held later than 7 p. m. Saturday, Jan. 22.

Prices—25, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $2.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 26.

Prices.....25c, 35c, 50c

Y.M.C.A. ★ COURSE

**Tuesday, Jan. 25**

**ILLUSTRATED LECTURE**

on

**"PANAMA"**

by Charles L. Lewis

Staff Lecturer N. Y. Board of Education

Admission..... 25 cents
Reserved Seats.....50 cents
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## LOCAL ELKS TAKE THE ODD GAME FROM RAHWAY

Plainfield Elks recorded a triumph over Rahway in the Elks League last night when the locals captured the odd game in clever fashion from the Rahwegians. Plainfield displayed its best form in the first and second contests which they won by scores of 938 to 780 and 880 to 779. In the final game they encountered a streak of hard luck in which thirteen splits fell to the lot of the local boys. In that game Rahway won by a 806 to 792 score. The scores:

**Plainfield.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Kiely | 180 | 135 | 159 |
| Stout | 181 | 213 | 136 |
| Laing | 153 | 199 | 148 |
| Blatz | 214 | 158 | 163 |
| Campbell | 210 | 175 | 186 |
| | 938 | 880 | 792 |

**Rahway.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Phillips | 175 | 181 | 140 |
| Slater | 135 | 161 | 184 |
| Crane | 118 | 147 | 166 |
| Fyffe | 158 | 160 | 146 |
| McCartney | 194 | 130 | 170 |
| | 780 | 779 | 806 |

## RED MEN BOWLERS DOWN THE RARITANS

The Red Men team last evening added another series to its long string of victories when it defeated the strong Raritan team, in the Fraternal Bowing tourney at Johnny Campbell's alleys, and by so doing once more placed themselves in the lead for the championship. With lingering memories of the overwhelming defeat forced upon them last week by the Knights of Columbus, and a resolution to even matters at the expense of the Somerset county boys, they met the visitors with their strongest team and practically quashed Raritan's hope for the championship.

The visitors were all good individual bowlers, but lacked the team work that was necessary for the success of a winning bowling team and were really no match for the carriers of the tomahawk, who got to the wood in great shape and turned in three good games. Louis Skelly, of the Indians, with an average of 215.2 was the big hitter of the evening and the principal factor of bringing the victory to the locals. The scores:

**Raritan.**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Brown | 181 | 160 | 176 |
| J. Schaub | 179 | 159 | 140 |
| Vliet | 157 | 165 | 146 |
| W. Schaub | 179 | 185 | 181 |
| Matthews | 195 | 202 | 192 |
| | 891 | 871 | 836 |

**Red Men.**

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Radin | 162 | 164 | 170 |
| Skelly | 216 | 232 | 189 |
| Willett | 142 | 182 | 166 |
| Meyer | 168 | 169 | 154 |
| Nash | 186 | 170 | 194 |
| | 884 | 917 | 873 |

After the five men match Skelly and Nash defeated Schaub and Matthews two series out of three, sending the visitors home with defeats sticking out all over them.

The scores:

Schaub—
203 246 153 180 181 205 188 180

Matthews—
198 175 173 225 213 156 202 205

401 421 326 405 394 361 390 385

Skelly—
160 232 171 150 182 201 152 161

Nash—
227 190 172 159 223 225 177 179

387 422 343 309 405 426 329 340

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## AMATEURS TO PRESENT THE PRIVATE SECRETARY

Embryonic stars are scintillating on the theatrical horizon; the youngsters are at it again, the third time—last for the season. Shakespeare, Materlick, Isen, what? "Not yet but soon." This time it is a staple product in the fun line—The Private Secretary. The coach says that Percy Watson is the real thing as the timorous scholastic—a little stiff in the joints and awkward but a perfect gentleman with a flawless English accent. Ray Hart as Col. Cattermale, with a peppery disposition and a bad liver, is so natural at times; 'tis said his landlady not only plays at being afraid but shrieks in real terror. "Be that as it may," we're inclined to think that the commuters who ride in with Ray on that early train will turn out en masse and give him the glad hand when he walks the theatrical boards.

"June" Roberts and Ike Vail and Skipper Bill Little will likewise open the eyes of their commuter friends. June says the part of a gay young man entering into the fun of a lark proposed by Skipper is a serious effort for a sober minded youth like him, and much better suited to Little, but "watch me and see what hidden depths of light hearted frivolity and mischief I can pump to the surface. Little says, "Huh! I don't have to pump—just give me a show to act natural!"

Miss Michwitz and Miss Hart find it easy to play the care free light hearted parts of teasing adorable youngsters with two so gallant young men to aid them.

Charles Kregar completely sinks a charming personality, so he says, in order to fit the part of a vulgar tailor with aspirations to soar Charlie is long on the amateur line and short on the commuting end, but bets the fellows of the 7:45 crowd will pass some flowers over the footlights after his stunt.

Miss Randall, of theosophical tendencies, dabbling in spiritualistic mediums and a devotee to the mysterious, has many admirers who will be on hand to see her as the proper aunt and much befuddled faddist.

There are others. The cast includes Miss Sinclair, Arthur Woodruff and Russell Vail. Their work will be of the best amateur stuff. "You bet," says Rus; "there's class here."

The play will be presented at the Park Club auditorium on Monday evening, February 7, at 8:15. It is the last of the series of amateur performances given by representatives of the two Bible classes of Holy Cross church. Tickets on sale at Randolph's and the Park Club, also by members of the class. The galleries will be reserved.

### Canon Macnab to Preach.

A feature of especial interest at the 11 o'clock service at Grace church on Sunday morning next will be the sermon by the Rev. Alexander Macnab, of Toronto, Canada. Mr. Macnab is resident canon of St. Alban's Cathedral in the city of Toronto, and in that capacity was for many years closely associated with the late Archbishop of Ontario, Dr. Sweatman, who died just a year ago. Canon Macnab is visiting relatives in the city.

Mrs. Susan Case, of Madison avenue, who is ill with bronchitis and pneumonia, is reported today as being slightly improved.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## HEAVY ITEM OF EXPENSE

### Spring Training Trips of Ball Clubs to Dixie Costs $250,000.

PLAYERS ARE GETTING READY.

In a Few Weeks All the Big League Teams Will Be in Action in the Sunny Climes of the South.

A few weeks hence, more than half a thousand ball players will be packing their grips in preparation for the annual spring training trips to the sunny climes of Dixieland.

Few fans realize the enormous expense attached to these muscle softening excursions preparatory to the opening of the annual pennant fights in the National and American Leagues. It is one of the biggest items of the season and the aggregate outlay of the sixteen clubs in the two major organizations can be safely estimated at about one quarter million dollars, or about $15,000 or thereabouts for each club.

The latter figures do not apply to the impending trip of the Chicago White Sox, as that club instead of going south iths year, will make a trip across the continent to Los Angeles, Cal., which according to its owner, Charles Comiskey, will entail an expense of close to the $25,000 mark. Of course in planning for this long junket, the "Old Roman" figured in making up some of the expenditures by playing exhibitions in the large cities on the coast, and on the journey east. The trip of the White Sox will be the longest journey made by a ball club for training purposes in three years, or since the New York Giants made their memorable trip to the Pacific Coast.

While the White Sox will make the longest trip, the Washington club will make the shortest railroad journey of any of the major league clubs, as Manager Jimmy McAleer has decided to have his band of athletes condition themselves at Norfolk, Va., a distance of about 160 miles from the National Capitol.

Marlin Springs, Texas, will be the destination of the New York Giants, while Athens, Georgia, will be the postoffice address of the Highlanders instead of Macon, which was their training headquarters last spring; Hot Springs, Arkansas, will be the headquarters of four clubs, the Boston Red Sox, the Cincinnati Reds, the Brooklyns and the Pittsburg World's Champions; the Philadelphia Nationals will journey to Southern Pines, N. C., and the Philadelphia Athletics and Boston Nationals will establish their camp at Atlanta, Georgia; New Orleans will be the home of the Chicago Cubs; Cleveland has selected a far southern point in Alexandria; the St. Louis Nationals will pitch their training tents in Little Rock, Arkansas, while the American representatives from the Mound City will establish themselves at Houston, Texas.

In addition to the regular players who make the trips all of the clubs are equipped with first class trainers and a retinue of rubbers. The athletes while in the preliminary stage of the season are afforded all of the comforts of life in traveling and in hotel life. The clubowners attempt to spare no expense in this direction and only the highest priced hosterlies are good enough for the bands of pennant aspirants to stop at.

## FIFTEEN BASEBALL GAMES SCHEDULED

Manager Runyon, of the P. H. S. baseball team, announced today that the schedule for next season would be published within two weeks. He already has fifteen games booked, among which are three with New York and Brook High Schools. Games have been arranged with several new teams and one is pending with the Eastern High School, which is rated as being a strong one in baseball.

The local boys have not yet secured a diamond, but it is hoped that the first game will be played on the new Parker field. Captain VanZandt will begin practice the middle of February in the gymnasium. There is plenty of good material in the school this year as the places left vacant by the graduating class have been filled by new comers, who look good.

### RED CROSS STAMPS NETTED THEM $237.64.

The Anti-Tuberculosis League of Plainfield and North Plainfield announce receipts of $309.02 from the sale of Red Cross stamps here, thirty per cent. of which goes to the national society, allowing $216.31 for the local society, which with a donation of $21.33, makes a total of $237.64 for the local league.

The society wishes to thank all storekeepers, banks, educators, the postmaster and all individuals who helped in the sale of these stamps during the holiday season. The tuberculosis work here is progressing favorably.

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Almost too cheap to be true, but the goods are here. The reason this price is possible is because the manufacturer has discontinued this number, which is a delicate salmon color.

## SCRIBE ON A BEAR HUNT

### Thomas M. Muir Takes Part in the Sport in Canadian Woods.

TO BRING HOME THE PROOF.

"Tommie" Says He Will Return With One of the Captured Cubs to Prove Story is No Fake.

A thrilling story of a double bear capture in the Canadian woods; twenty miles from Woodstock, Ontario, in which Thomas M. Muir, a former members of The Daily Press' reportorial staff, was one of the captors, reached this office this morning. The tale is narrated by Mr. Muir in a letter to a friend in this city.

The incident happened one day last week. Mr. Muir, in company with his cousin, William Muir, and two friends, hearing that bears had been seen in the woods twenty miles from the Muir farm, started out on a hunting expedition to capture the game.

The journey was made in a farm sled and when the edge of the woods was reached Tommy was given a shotgun to protect himself and the horses, while the other three members of the party entered the woods. After traveling three or four miles in the forest traces of bears were discovered.

A cave was sighted and it was only after a little bit of manouvering that the three hunters were made sure that it was the hiding place of the animals. A fire was built and in less than one hour the mother bear was "smoked out." The latter, after getting a few whiffs of fresh air displayed signs of fighting, but its battling spirit was quieted by a couple of bullets.

After this capture a scout of the party returned for Tommy and a few minutes after he appeared on the scene another bear made its appearance at the mouth of the cave. It required five bullets to stifle the growls of this bear.

With two dead bears on hand the party continued their hunt at the mouth of the cave and in a short time three cubs, about the size of small puppies, were easily captured. The cubs and two dead bear were taken to the farm. Tommy closed his narrative by stating that he expected to return to this city in about a month with one of the cubs as proof of his adventure.

According to Mr. Muir the sight of his left eye is getting better every day. In another month he expects to be able to operate a typewriter.

### OPPOSE THE CLOSING OF GARWOOD STREETS.

From present indications the trouble between H. C. Lockwood and the New York Suburban Land Company interests at Garwood is to be adjusted outside the Garwood Borough Council. The land company has asked the Council to vacate every street to the south of the town, which, if done, will shut out the Lockwood property from entrance into Garwood. The Lockwood interests have engaged counsel to prevent such proceedings upon the part of the Town Council.

At a recent meeting of the Council Lawyer P. Q. Oliver, of Westfield, who represents the Lockwood interests, stated that Mr. Lockwood would open his streets to conform to the streets of the laid company ,if an agreement could be reached with E. R. Holden, of the land company. It is now understood that the land company has sold all of its lots in the streets, and is willing to allow the avenues to be opened to the former Ripley farm.

### Dutch Arms Will Elect.

The annual election of the Dutch Arms, men's association, will be held at Trinity Reformed church, tonight. There will also be an address by Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick.

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# THE GUEST OF QUESNAY

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At her request I inspected her work. I stepped back several yards to see it better, though I should have had to retire about a quarter of the length of a city block to see it quite from her own point of view.

She moved with me, both of us walking backward. I began:

"For a day like this, with all the color in the trees themselves and so very little in the air"—

There came an interruption, a voice of unpleasant and wiry nasality, speaking from behind us.

"Well, well!" it said. "So here we are again!"

I faced about and beheld, just emerged from a bypath, a fox faced young man whose light, well poised figure was jauntily clad in gray serge, with scarlet waistcoat and tie, white shoes upon his feet and a white hat gayly beribboned upon his head. A recollection of the dusky road and a group of people, about Pere Baudry's lamplit door flickered across my mind.

"The historical tourist!" I exclaimed. "The highly pedestrian tripper from Trouville!"

"You got me right, m'dear friend," he replied with condescension, "I rec'leck meetin' you perfect."

"And I was interested to learn," said I, carefully observing the effect of my words upon him, "that you had been to Les Trois Pigeons, after all. Perhaps I might put it, you had been through Les Trois Pigeons, for the maitre d'hotel informed me you had investigated every corner—that wasn't locked."

"Sure," he returned, with rather less embarrassment than a brazen Vishnu would have exhibited under the same circumstances. "He showed me what pitchers they was in your studio. I'll luk 'em over again fer ye one of these days. Some of 'em was right gud."

"You will be visiting near enough for me to avail myself of the opportunity?"

"Right in the Pigeon house, my friend. I've just come down t'put in a few days there," he responded coolly. "They's a young feller in this neighborhood I take a kind o' fam'ly interest in."

"Who is that?" I asked quickly.

For answer he produced the effect of a laugh by widening and lifting one side of his mouth, leaving the other meantime rigid.

"Don' lemme int'rup' the conv'sation with yer lady friend," he said winningly. "What they call 'talkin' high arts,' wasn't it? I'd like to hear some."

CHAPTER IX.

MISS ELLIOTT'S expression, when I turned to observe the effect of the intruder upon her, was found to be one of brilliant delight. With glowing eyes, her lips parted in a breathless ecstasy, she gazed upon the newcomer, evidently fearing to lose a syllable that fell from his lips. Moving closer to me, she whispered urgently:

"Keep him—oh, keep him!"

To detain him, for a time at least, was my intention, though my motive was not merely to afford her pleasure. The advent of the young man had produced a singularly disagreeable impression upon me, quite apart from any antagonism I might have felt toward him as a type. Strange suspicions leaped into my mind, formless—in the surprise of the moment—but rapidly groping toward definite outline, and following hard upon them crept a tingling apprehension.

"Now, about how much," he asked slowly, "would you expec' t' git f'r a pitcher that size?"

"It isn't mine," I informed him.

"You don't tell me it's the little lady's—what?" He bowed genially

*"The name you'd see on 'em is Oil Policy."*

and favored Miss Elliott with a stare of warm admiration. "P'retty a thing as I ever see," he added.

"Oh," she cried, with an ardor that choked her slightly, "thank you!"

"Oh, I meant the pitcher!" he said hastily, evidently nonplused by a gratitude so fervent.

The incorrigible damsel cast down her eyes in modesty. "And I had hoped," she breathed, "something so different!"

I could not be certain whether or not he caught the whisper. I thought he did. At all events, the surface of his easy assurance appeared somewhat disarranged, and perhaps to restore it by performing the rites of etiquette he said:

"Well, I expec' the smart thing now is to pass the cards, but mine's in my grip, an' it ain't unpacked yet. The name you'd see on 'em is Oil Policy."

"Oil Policy," echoed Miss Elliott, turning to me in genuine astonishment.

"Mr. Earl Percy," I translated.

"Oh rapturous!" she cried, her face radiant. "And won't Mr. Percy give us his opinion of my art?"

He turned again to the easel, and as he examined the painting thereon at closer range amazement overspread his features. However, pulling himself together, he found himself able to reply and with great gallantry:

"Well, on'y t' think them little hands cud 'a' done all that rough work!"

I saved the girl's feelings by entering into the conversation with a question, which I put quickly:

"You intend pursuing your historical researches in the neighborhood?"

"Them fairy tales I handed you about ole Jeanne d'Arc an' William the Conker," he said, "say, they must 'a' made you sore afterwards!"

"On the contrary, I was much interested in everything pertaining to your too brief visit," I returned. "I am even more so now."

"Well, m' friend"—he shot me a sidelong, distrustful glance—"keep yer eyes open."

"That is just the point," I laughed, with intentional significance, for I meant to make Mr. Percy talk as much as I could. To this end, remembering that specimens of this kind are most indiscreet when carefully enraged, I added, stimulating his own manner:

"Eyes open and doors locked! What?"

"I guess they ain't much need o' lockin' your door," he retorted darkly; "not from what I saw when I was in your studio." He should have stopped there, for the hit was palpable and justified, but in his resentment he overdid it. "You needn't be scared of anybody's cartin' off them pitchers, young feller! Whoosh! An' f'm the luks of the clo'es I saw hangin' on the wall," he continued, growing more nettled as I smiled cheerfully upon him, "I don' believe you gut any worries comin' about them neither."

"I suppose our tastes are different," I said, letting my smile broaden. "There might be protection in that."

His stare at me was protracted to an unseemly length before the sting of this remark reached him. It penetrated finally, however.

"As I tell the little dame here," he said, pitching his voice higher and affecting the plaintiff, "I make no passes at a friend o' hers—not in front o' her, anyways. But when it comes to these here ole, ancient curiosities"—he cackled again loudly—"well, I guess them clo'es I see that day kin hand it out t' anything they got in the museums. 'Look here,' I says to the waiter, 'these must be'n left over f'm ole Jeanne d'Arc herself,' I says. 'Talk about yer relics,' I says. Woosh! I' like t' died!" He laughed violently and concluded by turning upon me with a contemptuous flourish of his stick. "You think I d'know what makes you so raw?"

The form of repartee necessary to augment his ill humor was, of course, a matter of simple mechanism for one who had not entirely forgotten his student days in the quarter, and I delivered it airily, though I shivered inwardly that Miss Elliott should hear.

"Everything will be all right if when you dine at the inn you'll sit with your back toward me."

To my shamed surprise this roustabout wit drew a nervous, silvery giggle from her, and that completed the work with Mr. Percy, whose face grew scarlet with anger.

"You're a hot one, you are!" he sneered, with shocking bitterness. "You're quite the teaser, ain't ye, s'long's yer lady friend is lukkin' on! I guess they'll be a few surprises comin' your way before long. P'raps I cudn't give ye one now 'f I had a mind to."

"Pshaw!" I laughed and, venturing at hazard, said, "I know all you know."

"Oh, you do!" he cried scornfully. "I reckon you might set up an' take a little notice, though, if you knowed 'at I know all you know!"

"Not a bit of it!"

"No? Maybe you think I don't know what makes you so raw with me; maybe you think I don't know who ye've got so thick with at this here Pigeon house; maybe you think I don't know who them people are!"

"No, you don't. You have learned," I said, trying to control my excitement, "nothing. Whoever hired you for a spy lost the money. You don't know anything."

"I don't!" And with that his voice went to a half shriek. "Maybe you think I'm down here f'r my health; maybe you think I come out f'r a pleasant walk in the woods right now; maybe you think I ain't seen no other lady friend o' yours besides this'n today, and maybe I didn't see who was with her—yes, an' maybe you think I d'know no other times he's be'n with her; maybe you think I ain't be'n layin' low over at Dives; maybe I don't know a few real names in this neighborhood! Oh, no, maybe not!"

"You know what the maitre d'hotel told you, nothing more."

"How about the name—Oliver Saffren?" he cried fiercely, and at that, though I had expected it, I uttered an involuntary exclamation.

"How about it?" he shouted, advancing toward me triumphantly, shaking his forefinger in my face. "Hey? That stings some, does it? Sounds kind o' like a false name, does it? Got ye where the hair is short that time, didn't I? Your side's where the trouble is. That's what's eatin' into you. An' I tell you flatfoot you're gittin' rough 'ith me and playin Charley the Show-off in front o' yer lady friends 'll all go down in the bill. These people ye've got so chummy with—they'll pay f'r it all right, don't you shed no tears over that!"

"You couldn't by any possibility," I said deliberately, with as much satire as I could command—"you couldn't possibly mean that any sum of mere money might be a salve for the injuries my unkind words have inflicted."

He seemed upon the point of destroying me physically, but, with a slight shudder, controlled himself. Stepping close to me, he thrust his head forward and measured the emphasis of his speech by his right forefinger upon my shoulder as he said:

"You paint this in yer pitchers, m'dear friend—they's jest as much law in this country as they is on the corner o' Twenty-thord street an' Fif' avenoo! You keep out of the way of it or you'll git runned over!"

Delivering a final tap on my shoulder as a last warning he wheeled deftly upon his heel, addressed Miss Elliott briefly, "Glad t' know you, lady," and, striking into the bypath by which he had approached us, was soon lost to sight.

The girl faced me excitedly. "What is it?" she cried. "It seemed to me you insulted him deliberately."

"I did."

"You wanted to make him angry?"

"Yes."

"Oh, I thought so!" she exclaimed breathlessly. "I knew there was something serious underneath. It's about Mr. Saffren."

"It is serious indeed, I fear," I said and, turning to my own easel, began to get my traps together.

"I want you to go to see Mrs. Harman at once and tell her not to leave Quesnay for at least two days. As for myself, I must go now to look up Keredec and Oliver Saffren."

The girl started painfully upon her journey. I stared after her for a moment or more, watching the pretty brown dress flashing in and out of shadow among the ragged greeneries. Then I picked up my own pack and set out for the inn.

As I went through the woods that day, breathless with haste and curious fears, my brain became suddenly, unaccountably busy with a dream I had had two nights before. I had not recalled this dream on waking; the recollection of it came to me now for the first time. Yet I had been thinking so constantly of Mrs. Harman that there was nothing extraordinary in her worthless ex-husband being part of it. But, and yet, looking back upon that last, hurried walk of mine through the forest, I see how strange it was that I could not quit remembering how in my dream I had gone motoring up Mount Pilatus with the man I had seen so pitiably demolished on the Versailles road two years before—Larrabee Harman.

CHAPTER X.

KEREDEC was alone in his salon, extended at ease upon a long chair, an ottoman and a stool, when I burst in upon him. A portentous volume was in his lap and a prolific pipe, smoking up from his great cloud of beard, gave the final reality to the likeness he thus presented of a range of hills ending in a volcano.

"I feel that you know me at least well enough," I began rather hesitatingly, "to be sure that I would not, for the world, make any effort to intrude in your affairs or Mr. Saffren's."

"You are our friend. We know it," he answered.

"Very well," I pursued; "then I speak with no fear of offending. When you first came to the inn I couldn't help seeing that you took a great many precautions for secrecy, and when you afterward explained these precautions to me—well, I could not help seeing that your explanation did not cover all the ground."

"It is true—it did not." He ran his huge hand through the heavy white waves of his hair and shook his head vigorously. "No; I knew it, my dear sir. This much I can say to you: We came here at a risk, but I thought that with great care it might be made little."

"It was in connection with the risk you have mentioned that I came to talk," I returned, with some emphasis, for I was convinced of the reality of Mr. Earl Percy. "I think it necessary that you should know"—

But the professor was launched. I might as well have swept the rising tide with a broom. He talked with magnificent vehemence for twenty minutes, his theme being some theory of his own that the individuality of a soul is immortal and that even in perfection the soul cannot possibly merge into any Nirvana.

"And so it is with my boy," he proclaimed, coming at last to the case in hand. "The spirit of him, the real Oliver Saffren, that has never change! The outside of him, those thing that belong to him, like his memory, they have change, but not himself, for himself is eternal and unchangeable. I have taught him, yes. I have helped him get the small things we can add to our possession—a little knowledge, maybe, a little power of judgment. But, my dear sir, I tell you that such things are only possessions of a man. They are not the man! So with Oliver. He had lived a little while, twenty-six years perhaps, when—pff!—like that, he became almost as a baby again. He could remember how to talk, but not much more. He had lost his belongings. They were gone from the lobe of the brain where he had store them, but he was not gone. No part of the real himself was lacking. Then presently they send him to me to make new his belongings, to restore his possessions. Ha, what a task—to take him with nothing in the world of his own and see that he get only good possessions, good knowledge, good experience! I took him to the mountains of the Tyrol two years, and there his body became strong and splendid while his brain was taking in the stores. It was quick, for his brain had retained some habits. It was not a baby's brain, and some small part of its old stores had not been lost. But if anything useless or bad remain we empty it out—I and those mountains with their pure air. Now, I say he is all good and the work was good. I am proud! But I wish to restore *all* that was good in his life. Your Keredec is something of a poet. You may put it much the old fool! And for that greatest restoration of all I have brought my boy back to France."

A half light had broken upon me as he talked, pacing the floor, thundering his paean of triumph. Only one explanation, incredible, but possible, sufficed. Anything was possible, I thought, with this dreamer.

"By the wildest chance," I gasped, "you don't mean that you wanted him to fall in love"—

"Ha, my dear sir," he laughed, "you have said it! But you knew it. You told him to come to me and tell me."

"But I mean that you—that you had selected the lady whom you know as Mme. d'Armand."

"Again," he shouted, "you have said it!"

"Professor Keredec," I returned, with asperity, "I have no idea how you came to conceive such a preposterous scheme, but I agree heartily that the word for it is madness. In the first place, I must tell you that her name is not even d'Armand."

"My dear sir, I know. It was the mistake of that absurd Amadee. She is Mrs. Harman."

"You knew it?" I cried, hopelessly confused. "But Oliver still speaks of her as Mme d'Armand."

"He does not know. She has not told him."

"In the meantime," I said sharply, "there is a keen faced young man who took a room in the inn the morning and who has come to spy upon you, I believe."

"What is it you say?"

He came to a sudden stop.

I had not meant to deliver my information quite so abruptly, but there was no help for it now, and I repeated the statement, giving him a terse account of my two encounters with the rattish youth and adding:

"He seemed to be certain that 'Oliver Saffren' is an assumed name, and he made a threatening reference to the laws of France."

The effect upon Keredec was a very distinct pallor.

"Do you think he came back to the inn? Is he here now?"

"I do not know."

"We must learn. I must know that at once!" And he went to the door.

"Let me go instead," I suggested.

I stepped out to the gallery, to discover Mme. Brossard emerging from a door on the opposite side of the courtyard.

"Mme. Brossard," said the professor, "you have a new client today."

"That monsieur who arrived this morning," I suggested.

"He was an American," said the hostess, knitting her dark brows, "but I do not think that he was exactly a monsieur."

"Is he at the inn now?"

"No, monsieur, but two friends for whom he engaged apartments have just arrived."

"Who are they?" asked Keredec quickly.

"It is a lady and a monsieur from Paris, but not married. They have taken separate apartments, and she has a domestic with her—a negress, Algerian."

"What are their names?"

"It is not ten minutes that they are installed. They have not given me their names."

"What is she?" demanded Keredec impatiently. "Is she blond? Is she brunette? Is she French, English, Spanish?"

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"What's the matter, son?" he inquired. Willie elucidated.

"Well," said the man, "that's easy. I'm going downtown on the next car, and I'll take it to him."

When Willie returned without the umbrella his mother rejoiced.

"You caught him, did you?" she smiled. Willie shook his head.

"But I did the next best thing, mother," he said. "I gave it to a man who was going downtown to give it to him." Mrs. Terry stared at him.

"Who was the man?" she asked. Willie looked foolish.

"I don't know," he said at last. "But he looked honest."

"That umbrella cost $12," said Mrs. Terry sternly. "Come here to me." And shortly thereafter people passing wondered who was being slain.

That evening Mr. Terry returned bearing the umbrella. Mrs. Terry gazed at it, fascinated.

"Where did you get it?" she asked.

"Why," said Mr. Terry, "our neighbor Mr. Wilkins brought it to me—said you sent it."

"And to think," said Mrs. Terry, "I whipped Willie for giving it to a strange man."

"Well," said Mr. Terry judicially, "I don't think it will hurt him. True, he gave it to the right man, but he didn't know that."

"That's right," said Mrs. Terry with relief.—Galveston News.

## FLYING ANIMALS.

**The Bodies of All of Them Are Comparatively Small.**

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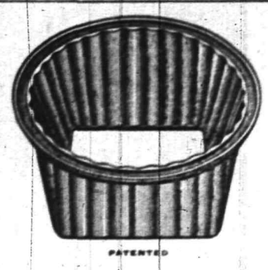

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**Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 23, 1910.**

Topic.—Does religion pay?—I Cor. iii. 18-22. Comment by Rev. Sherman M. Doyle, D. D.

Does religion pay? This is a most practical question. It is also very important. Men are interested in what pays. Speak of anything almost and the first question asked will be, "Will it pay?" A millionaire was once asked to make a subscription to foreign missions. He wanted to know how much was spent on missions in a year and how many converts were made. Figuring out the cost of each convert, he asked, "Does it pay to convert the heathen at so much per head?" It was a heartless, cruel, cold blooded way of looking at the value of an immortal soul, and it need scarcely be added that the man who would estimate the soul's value in dollars and cents did not think it paid and therefore made no subscription to the mission fund. Opposed to such a conception we cannot but quote the words of Christ, "What shall it profit a man if he shall gain the whole world and lose his own soul?" I recently visited Christian parents who had just lost a son of remarkable talents and most loving disposition. They were naturally grief stricken, but in the course of the conversation the bereaved father said, "All the millions of the world could not comfort me today as my religion does." In these two illustrations we have summed up the opinions of men concerning the paying qualities of religion. The man who estimates the value of religion on a money basis is a fool and does not know what religion is. The man who has it and can apply it to his heart amid the trials and bereavements of life is the only man who can place a true estimate upon its value, and to him it is priceless and invaluable.

There are those who in deciding their attitude toward religion sit down and ask: Will it pay? Will it pay in business? Will it advance me socially? Will it lead to prominence? If they conclude that it will be of temporal advantage they profess religion, but do not possess it. If they see no temporal advantage in it they reject it. They consider themselves wise and clever men, but such "wisdom of this world is foolishness with God." But to the man "hungering and thirsting after righteousness," whose "soul longs for God" and whose heart craves peace with God through Jesus Christ and who obtains these spiritual blessings, religion is his most valuable possession. Pay? It pays better than any other investment he has ever made. It may cost a heavy price—self sacrifice, the impossibility of dishonestly attaining great wealth, the loss of earthly hopes and glories—yet it gives back infinitely greater joys and hopes and glories than it cost, for, reconciled to God in Christ, "all things are his," whether "the world or life or death or things present or things to come; all are his and he is Christ's and Christ is God's." "God," said Jane of Austria, "does not pay every Saturday night, but He pays." In spiritual joy, in comfort, in boundless hopes and assurances for time and eternity, religion gives to us the most priceless possessions possible in this life.

BIBLE READING.

Prov. iii. 17; iv. 14-27; xxii. 1; Eccl. ii. 1-11; xii. 1-14; Job i. 1-22; Matt. xvi. 26-30; xvi. 21-26; Gen. v. 22-25; I Tim. iv. 7-9; I Pet. i. 1-9.

**Christian Endeavor Thoughts.**

How vast a part of what is worst in modern society is due to lack of moral courage.

Where true love is kindled every faculty brightens.

Religion is to put heart and courage into us, both to work and to pray.

It's no use trying to irrigate a desert with tears.

Some piety aspires so much it cannot perspire.

The faith that can be hidden never stays healthy.

If you are a saint you will want to be something.

Habitual regret simply puts the headlight on the tail end.

The only way to keep faith sweet is to keep it in service.

They who go out to hit the high places land on the dump.

It's wise to be afraid of the spirituality that fears morality.

**A Christian Endeavor Postal.**

The following striking postal card was sent with a call to reorganize the Friends' Christian Endeavor society at Greensboro, N. C. It is safe to say that the invitation was read by all who received it. Consecrated ingenuity is a big asset in making a society "go."

Cordially invited to be with us in a Christian Endeavor rally to be held in the Friends' Meeting House

Evening of First Day 26 Sept., 1909, at 7.30 Preaching by Harper of N. C. State union will lecture on "Ma It Co" after which E. will be reorganized

The New Forward Movement.

"Christian Endeavor, 1911," is the watchword all along the line. It means 10,000 new societies and 1,000,000 new members before the next international convention at Atlantic City in 1911. Massachusetts, New York, New Hampshire, Vermont, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Nebraska and California have already accepted their apportionment and are organizing for the campaign. In a few weeks practically every state will be in line. The idea has also spread to foreign lands, and a message from Japan reports the campaign as started there

JANUARY TWENTY-SECOND.

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1813—Battle of Frenchtown, Mich.

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## N.P.H.S. IS VICTORIOUS

**Borough School's Basketball Team Downs P. H. S. in Sensational Contest.**

**"RUSS" CONROY IS THE STAR.**

**Plainfield Athletes Rally in Final Half But N. P. H. S.'s Lead is to Big to Overcome.**

Russ Conroy, the doughty little warrior of North Plainfield High's basketball team, loomed up as big as the Flatiron building to all N. P. H. S. students and rooters, who witnessed their team vanquish Plainfield High in a sensational Interscholastic League contest on the Y. M. C. A. court yesterday, in which the score was 25 to 18. It was conroy all the way, first and last, and it was due to his brilliant work that the borough schoolboys emerged triumphant.

The victory places N. P. H. S. in line to battle for the championship with Plainfield, as it now appears that the title hinges between these schools. Leals, the other contender, is not regarded seriously.

That a big amount of interest centered in the result of the game was apparent by the large crowd which watched the athletes battle for glory. The gallery was jammed to its fullest capacity by adherents of both teams. Not only where the boys out, but the girls were there too in scores, and they did a big share of the cheering for their respective teams.

The game was featured with an abundance of "rough house" tactics and numerous fouls resulted on both sides. So fierce was the play that the ranks of both teams suffered by losses of men.

Lidgate, the N. P. H. S star, injured his leg in the first half, but after a short delay he re-entered the fray. Between halves, however, he was taken ill, which necessitated his permanent retirement from the game. In the second half N. P. H. S. lost the services of Becker, who hurt his knee.

North Plainfield gained a big advantage by secureing a lead of 16 to 1 in the first half. The city athletes appeared a trifle nervous and the sensational work of Conroy baffled them all the more. The boroughites played a steady game and excelled in team work by a big margin. When Conroy shot the first goal after ten minutes of play there was a big outburst of enthusiasm by the N. P. H. S. contingent. P. H. S. scored its single point on a foul toward the end of the half.

Plainfield displayed a wonderful reversal of form and forced matters all the way until the whistle blew. Doane starred in this session, his fast work appearing to hypnotize the boroughites, who became demoralized and played in a reckless manner. The city athletes outclassed their opponents but the lead gained by them in the first half was too big to overcome. In this session Plainfield scored 17 points to N. P. H. S.'s 9. The lineup:

P. H. S.: Forwards—Clarke, Lidgate, Woodhull, Manley, Vail, Morris.

Centre—Morris, Lidgate.

Guards—Doane, Overton.

N. P. H. S.: Forwards—Stine, Conroy.

Center—C. Smith.

Guards—Dunning, H. Smith, Becker, Taylor, Conroy.

Goals from field—Stine, 3; Conroy, 3; C. Smith, 1; Dunning, 2; Lidgate, 2; Morris, 2; Overton, 2; Manley, 1. Goals on fouls—Conroy, 7; Doane, 3; Lidgate, 1.

Referee, Charles Line; umpire, Mr. Woodland; timekeepers, Paul Collier, P. Bailey; scorekeeper, E. G. Smith; time of halves—20 minutes.

### JR. C. E. ELECTION.

**Officers Chosen by the Tabernacle Society.**

The business meeting of the Junior Christian Endeavor Society of the West End Tabernacle was held Thursday afternoon, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Superintendent of work, Mrs. Geo. Robbins; assistants, Mrs. Frank Platts and Mrs. Frank Tallman; organist, Mrs. C. F. Platt; president, Miss Elizabeth Peterson; vice-president, Miss Ida Stranahan; secretary, Frank Tallman; treasurer, Mrs. C. F. Platts.

Prayer-meeting committee, Miss Mary Norgard, chairman; flower committee, Miss Irene Mattox, Miss Edna May Brown, Miss Mary Roth, Miss Mary Norgard, Willie Pennoyer, Albert Robbins; messenger committee, Miss Alma Herman, Miss Carrie Pennoyer, Raymond Medick; social committee, Charles Mattox, Harold Rockefellow, Peter Johnson, Miss Ida Stranahan, Miss Elizabeth Peterson.

## HERE'S A NATURE STORY VIA HEDDEN'S WIRELESS

Frank Hedden's nature story bureau reports a gruelling battle between a goss hawk and an eagle which took place near Warrenville on Thursday during the storm. The birds were apparently angered by hunger when they clashed near the farm of Peter Wyckoff. The eagle instigated the war proceedings by attacking the hawk and a furious battle raged for two hours.

The eagle forced matters in the early part of the battle but as the fight continued the hawk gained in strength and finally pecked the eagle so much in the eyes that the "monarch of the mountains" gave up the fight and fell to the ground in a sightless condition.

Wyckoff then took a hand in the proceedings. He ended the fracas by putting the eagle out of misery and fifteen minutes later shooting the goss hawk. The latter bird is the largest of its specie captured in the vicinity of Warrenville in some years. Mr. Wyckoff will have both birds mounted.

## OFFICERS INSTALLED AT COLUMBIA LODGE

Past Grand Master Workman V. W. Nash, Sr., of Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., assisted by Past Master Workman Theodore Mason, of Central Lodge, as grand guide and Past Master Workman Edward Mosher, of Central Lodge, as past grand master workman, installed these officers of Columbia Lodge, No. 58, A. O. U. W., last night:

Past Master Workman, J. W. A. Bauersachs; master workman, Joseph F. Sheppard; foreman, Norman D. Loughlin; recorder, Robert H. Loughlin; financier, Frank Putnam; receiver, Henry Leifke; guide, John Calder; inside watchman, Stephen Schleif; outside watchman, Michael Koller.

Interesting remarks were made by the installing and other officers, and a social time followed. There was progressive euchre and music by Theodore Mason. There was a large attendance in spite of the storm.

## COURT PLAINFIELD'S FINE ENTERTAINMENT

Saengerbund Hall was filled to its capacity last night at the annual entertainment and dance of Court Plainfield, No. 1,144, Indepedent Order of Foresters. The star attraction in the entertainment line was the performance of a New York minstrel company which presented a program which bristled with fun and mirth.

Following the entertainment the hall was cleared for dancing and this feature of the celebration afforded pleasure for the guests until an early hour.

The committee of arrangements was Edward J. McCue, Louis J. Feiring, Henry Hansen, John R. Cline, James Patterson, Thomas Monsell, Joseph E. Kelley, M. O'Keefe, Charles J. McCarthy, Frederick Breem, Frank J. Winzenried and Patrick Harrington.

The floor manager was L. J. Feiring and his assistants were M. O'Keefe, Fred Breem, Thomas Monsell and Charles J. McCarthy.

### PROGRAM ANNOUNCED FOR M'INTYRE CONCERT.

The concert of old favorite songs arranged by Joseph McIntyre for Thursday evening next at the Plainfield High School, will comprise a program of great attractiveness to those who love these old songs and it is safe to assert everyone has such an affection, especially when presented by such artists as are to be heard on this occasion.

John Young will sing "Sally in Our Alley" and "Molly Carew;" Dr. Dufft will give the "Kerry Dance," "Simon the Cellarer," and other selections and Edith Champman Gool will sing "Kathleen Mavournee," "Twiskenham Ferry," all of which is enough to bring out a record crowd. An announcement of interest is the engagement of one of New York's prominent contralto soloists to sing in place of Miss Christine Miller, who finds it impossible to leave Pittsburg in time to reach Plainfield. Full details of the program will be announced on Monday.

### Democrats to Be Sociable.

Members of the Plainfield Democratic Club will inaugurate pinochle and euchre tournaments at their clubroom in the Taylor building on Tuesday night. All Democrats are invited to be present.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## EDISON'S WONDERFUL CAR

**The Wizard Makes Initial Trip and is Gratified at Result.**

**STORAGE BATTERY POWER.**

**Only the Beginning, Says the Wizard—A Description of the Invention Which Means a Big Money Saver.**

Thomas A. Edison realized one of the dreams of his life Thursday afternoon, when he rode on a street car propelled by his storage battries. After several tests it was demonstrated that the car, which has a seating capacity of twenty-six, can be successfully operated at a cost of about one cent per mile. Mr. Edison seemed to be the least enthusiastic of the passengers, who included prominent street railway men. He took the success of the experiment in his matter-of-fact way, even when those in the car declared that the battery will eventually effect a revolution in street railway traffic. Mr. Edison took his ride in the car late in the afternoon after the preliminary tests.

The new car more nearly resembles the type of vehicle used in the Hudson tunnels than the ordinary street car. There is no door separating the interior from the vestibules, and an iron rail placed sufficiently low takes the place of the usual strap hangers. These rails are so placed that they will not interfere with the hats of tall people. The car is controlled by a brake of special design, patented by Mr. Edison.

Closely associated with Mr. Edison in perfecting the first successful storage battery car has been Ralph H. Beach. To the latter belong the credit for constructing the car itself. Mr. Beach has made a study of the subject for years. He found that efforts to propel a street car by means of storage batteries failed largely because the cars themselves were too heavy. He therefore had a car built on designs, the patents on which are held by Mr. Edison.

Even greater changes are noted in the running gear. As the experimental car is a small one there is only one truck, all the parts of which are of chilled steel. To prevent the swaying motion which is so disagreeable to passengers on many trolley cars, Mr. Beach has invented what he calls a telescope spring. One of these springs has been placed directly over each of the wheels. Besides the headlights the car is equipped with eight ten candlepower incandescent lamps. The battery cells are placed under the seats.

Edison's latest battery, which has made the operation of the car possible, involves the use of an entirely new voltaic combination in an alkaline electrolyte, in place of the lead peroxide combination characteristic of other batteries. In the Edison battery the active materials are oxides of nickel or iron, respectively, in the positive and negative electrodes, the liquid in which these are immersed being a solution of caustic potash in water. The retaining cars are made of sheet steel. These cans are so weidd that it is claimed that leakage are breakage from severe vibration is impossible. This was demonstrated yesterday when the new car was hauled over the macadam roadbed of Lakeside avenue on its way to the trolley tracks.

Electricians who were present when the tests were made Thursday were interested to learn if there was any danger of the passengers in the cars coming in contact with the voltage of the high current. To prove that there was not Mr. Beach removed several of the cells and passed his hand over every part of them, demonstrating that the current could not injure the traveling public.

### S. S. Teachers Change Name.

The members of the Plainfield Primary and Junior Sunday-school Association have changed the name of the organization to "The Plainfield Graded Union of Sunday-school Teachers." The meetings are held every Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. rooms. On Monday afternoon, Mrs. Winter will lead the devotional exercises, Miss Ricker will teach the lessons for beginners, Mrs. L. M. French will teach the lesson for the primary department and Mrs. Edward Baker, Jr., will teach the lesson for juniors.

### Canon Macnab to Preach.

A feature of especial interest at the 11 o'clock service at Grace church tomorrow morning will be the sermon by the Rev. Alexander Macnab, of Toronto, Canada. Mr. Macnab is resident canon of St. Alban's Cathedral in the city of Toronto, and in that capacity was for many years closely associated with the late Archbishop of Ontario, Dr. Sweatman, who died just a year ago. Canon Macnab is visiting relatives in the city.

## MYGATT IS GUARDIAN FOR THE ASTOR HEIRS

Councilman Frederick E. Mygatt, of West Eighth street, a lawyer, was appointed guardian ad litem of Douglas Robinson, Jr.; Helen Douglas Robinson and Elizabeth Mary Douglas Robinson yesterday by Judge Henrick in New York. The appointment was made to enable Mr. Mygatt to represent them in a suit brought by James Roosevelt Roosevelt, Robert H. Ferguson and Douglas Robinson, as trustees of the will of William Astor, against John Jacob Astor, Henry B. Ely and others, trustees of the will of Mrs. Caroline W. Astor, to obtain a settlement of the estate of William Astor.

Mr. Mygatt, who is attorney for the trustees of the will of Mr. Astor, said yesterday that the suit was a formal proceeding to enable a legal settlement of the affairs of the trust. At the time of Mr. Astor's death he left a number of trusts in which Mrs. Caroline Astor was the beneficiary. Through Mrs. James Roosevelt Roosevelt, who was Miss Caroline Astor, the minors for whom a guardian was appointed yesterday are possible heirs, and to enable a legal settlement to be made a guardian had to be appointed.

Mr. Mygatt declared, however, that their interest was a very small one and that John Jacob Astor was the principal heir under the will of his mother.

## MARY HUNT ESTATE AMOUNTS TO $8,257

The final accounting of John D. Rue, trustee for and during the life of Margaret F. Stonaker, for the estate of the late Mary H. Hunt, of Dunellen, was approved and allowed by Judge Lyon in the Orphans' Court at New Brunswick yesterday.

The account shows that the original estate was worth $3,017, the income from which amounted to $5,240.50, making the total value of the estate $8,257.50. The expenses and disbursements have amounted to $5,471.54, leaving a balance in the hands of the trustee of $2,775.96. A new order of distribution will be applied for as the legatees under the terms of the old will are deceased.

## MISS ELLA JARRETT GIVES A MASQUERADE

Miss Ella Jarrett, of 137 Crescent avenue, entertained friends at a masquerade party last night, which was a charming social affair. The decorations in the dining room were pink and green. The number of guests were twenty-three, the skidoo number, but the affair was very enjoyable. The guests and their costumes were as follows:

The Misses Edna Hyatt, Spanish girl; Hazel Hyatt, Folly; Mary Radsord, Hallowe'en girl; Florence and Ethel Prior and Helen Whitney, Sarah Sanderson, domino girls; Gertrude Schmidt, a Russian girl; Ldy Chevy, Red Riding Hood; Marguerite Jimmerson, as Mike; Lucille Todd, of Brooklyn, a French maid; Hazel William, baby; Ella Jarret, hostess as a gypsy.

Edward Kuenstler, a Dutch boy; Harry Nash and Will Nischwitz, "rubes;" Tredwell Slawson, farmer; Sayre Slawson, Ed Williams, Arthur Woodruff, clowns; Everett Smith, trained gentleman; John Sanderson, a sailor boy; Geaorge Seebas, 1910 girl; Martin Stutzman, Zoo-zoo boy.

### YOUTHFUL SNOWBALLERS IN BOROUGH COURT.

Four youthful snowballers appeared before Recorder Dolliver in the borough police court this morning. Vincent Lee, Ernest Mantz and Frank Powers were charged by Joseph Manhattan with snowballing his horse which caused a runaway yesterday. Lee and Mantz were fined $1 each and sentence was suspended on Powers.

Frank Neidig was the complainant against Edward Rollinson whom he charged with throwing snowballs at his store window. Rollinson, who is ten years old, was instructed by the court to report to Chief Weiss every Saturday night for a period of six months.

### South Plainfield Firemen.

The Middlesex Fire Company, of South Plainfield, held its monthly meeting last night. In the absence of President Manning, Chief Hamilton presided. The New Year's ball committee reported that the profits of the entertainment will net between forty and fifty dollars. The fire committee reported that a whistle has been installed at the plant of the Middlesex Water Company.

## DUTCH ARMS' ELECTION

**Annual Meeting of Trinity Reformed Church Men's Association.**

**ARRANGE FOR A DINNER.**

**F. S. Cutter Re-elected President—Rev. Dr. Johnson and Dr. Harrison Give Brief Talks.**

The election of officers, yearly reports, together with an able address by Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick, made the annual meeting of the Dutch Arms, men's association, of Trinity Reformed church, an interesting one last night, even if the attendance was small owing to the bad weather. Those present felt fully repaid for coming out and taking part in the proceedings.

The devotional services were conducted by Fred E. Smith, who read an appropriate Scripture lesson and offered prayer, after which F. S. Cutter, president of the association, took the chair. William F. Oliver, as treasurer, presented his report, showing receipts and balance from last year to be $132.03, expenditures of $129.42, with a present balance of $261.

Although Mr. Cutter did not want to assume the presidency another year, he was persuaded to do so, after remarks by Rev. John Y. Broek, James C. Field and Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison, which afforded much encouragement to him as well as the association. The men promised to give Mr. Cutter their united support.

F. E. Smith and William A. Woodruff were chosen first and second vice-presidents; Frank Storr, secretary, and William F. Oliver, treasurer. During the business session, Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison and William Stryker were elected as members.

Pastor Broek suggseted that the men plan to give a banquet in the near future, a charge of fifty cents per plate to be made. In this way he felt sure that all the men of the church would attend. President Cutter appointed James C. Field, W. A. Woodruff and B. Frank Coriell a committee to arrange the details. It will be decided later whether to invite the women folks it being suggested as a good idea.

Reference was made of the recent death of Mrs. A. L. Force, and the secretary was instructed to send a letter of sympathy and condolence to the bereaved family.

President Cutter read a letter from George A. Warner, who explained in behalf of "Good Fellow" the disposition of the $5 contributed by the association for that object at Christmas time.

Dr. Harrison gave a brief and earnest talk to the men, in which he urged them to have the militant idea and to help assume the important work of Christ's Kingdom. Of course, he said, it was expected that women would do their share, in fact everyone would be disappointed if they didn't, but he felt that there was a work for the men and he hoped they would do it. He expressed the opinion that all should be in a fighting mood. He said that Plainfield might not need purification, but as long as the saloons are open there is a chance for something to be done. During a social session ice cream, cake and coffee were served.

### ELECTED OFFICERS.

**East End Church Completes Its Organization.**

The members of the Netherwood Reformed church held a business meeting last night for the purpose of electing elders and deacons to complete the organization of the new church. Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor of Trinity Reformed church, presided at the meeting. The following persons were chosen to comprise the Consistory of the church:

Elders, James C. Hanson, Samuel O. Rush, William Carson; deacons, Enoch Berry, Gustav Frumerie and Charles Gonod.

The members of the Consistory will be installed on Friday evening, February 4, and preparatory services will folow, while the communion service will be held Sunday morning, February 6. Following the installation of the elders and deacons they will meet for the election of officers.

### Artistic Calendar Design.

The Wood Brook Farms Dairy has issued an unusually attractive calendar this year. It was designed by William B. Gilbert, of Crescent avenue, and is a work of art. It shows a picture of the dairy, and a wide spacious driveway leading up to it from the street, on either side of which are large massive oaks with wide spreading branches. The calendar has attracted considerable attention.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

## CONFIRM ELECTION OF THEIR FIRE CHIEF

The election of Charles Meyers as chief of the Scotch Plains fire department was confirmed at a meeting of the township committee last night. Meyers' confirmation was delayed owing to the question as to the eligibility of Meyer to serve on account of non-residence.

The election was a close contest betwen Meyer and William Reynolds, the latter winning by a majority of two votes. Friends of Reynolds put up a claim to the township committee that Meyer could not serve as he was a resident of North Plainfield township.

The committeemen put the matter before Township Attorney Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., and the latter at the meeting last night informed the committee that Meyer was eligible to serve, thus settling the controversy between the rival factions of the department. Chief Meyer received official notification of his confirmation from Township Clerk Edward L. Hand today.

## REPLEVIN PROCEEDINGS TO RECOVER AUTO BUS

The auto 'bus, owned by the Plainfield Auto 'Bus Company, is once more in operation after being locked up for a few days at Brokaw Brothers' garage on East Fourth street, the result of an apparent misunderstanding. On December 16 Brokaw Brothers rendered a bill to the company for repairs made to the 'bus from October 29 to December 1. Some of the items were considered as being an overcharge and not reasonable, and the bill was referred back for adjustment.

The company has been storing its car in the garage and Brokaw Brothers notified the company that it would hold the vehicle until the bill was paid, and accordingly, it is said, locked the car up.

On Thursday Judge William Newcorn, of counsel for the company, started a replevin suit in the Union County Circuit Court, and last night the car was restored to the company through legal proceedings.

In speaking of the matter today, Judge Newcorn said that Brokaw Brothers would now be compelled to prove every item of their claim. In the meantime the 'bus is doing business on regular schedule.

## COUNSEL SUMMED UP HETFIELD WILL CASE

The Hetfield will case, trial of which in the Orphans Court before Judge Atwater was a record one because of the number of days it took and the number of witnesses examined, was summed up yesterday. Each side of the case was allowed two hours to present arguments. Assistant Prosecutor Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., with Judge William Newcorn, of Plainfield, represented the caveators.

Mr. Hetfield concluded his remarks by declaring that the evidence introduced by the caveators showed beyond a doubt that Corra Hetfield, the maker of the will, was insane and an imbecile for fifteen years before his death and that therefore the burden was shifted on the other side of the case to show that he was in his right mind when he drew his will favoring Joseph Gallagher, former proprietor of a roadhouse in Rahway avenue.

Mr. Hetfield stated that it had been shown by witnesses produced by the caveators that while Corra Hetfield paid his board while living at the Gallagher hotel, he was compelled to carry water for 800 or 900 yards, and that when he did not travel fast enough, Viola Redden, who lived at the hotel, followed him with a switch. It was also declared by counsel that witnesses had testified to seeing the man sitting in the road begging rum from people who passed.

He declared that it was also shown that Hetfield was tied in a room by Gallagher and that he had to be watched all the time. At one time, he claimed, it was shown that he had set fire to a hotel where he was staying when he was left home alone. Mr. Hetfield said that Dr. Fank Westcott has testified that he had considered Hetfield insane for a number of years.

Charles A. Trimble, attorney for Gallagher, then made an argument. His argument was that Hetfield was treated, according to witnesses, with the greatest respect by Gallagher and that he was perfectly sane when he named Gallagher his beneficiary and overlooked Scott Terry and other relatives, the caveators.

## HOW MOVEMENT STARTED

**Motive That Prompts Men's Mass Meeting Arranged for January 28.**

**CHURCHMEN ARE INTERESTED.**

**Secretary H. E. Parker of Y. M. C. A. is Working to Make Local Demonstration a Big Success.**

Local religious interests are concentrating their efforts toward making the men's mass meeting to be held in the First Methodist church on Friday night, January 28, a big success. Secretary Herbert E. Parker of the Y. M. C. A., is boosting the affair with his usual vim and he is receiving the assistance of Y. M. C. A. workers and leading churchmen of the city and borough.

In order to have a better understanding of the spirit, aim, and achievements of the Laymen's missionary movement, under the auspices of which the men's meeting is to be held here, the following brief account of the movement is given.

The movement started with the meeting of a small company of laymen in the Fifth Avenue Presbyterian church, New York, on November 15, 1906, directly following the commemoration in the same church of the one hundredth anniversary of the Haystack Prayer Meeting. The purpose of this gathering was expressed in the preamble and resolutions which were adopted. These were:

Whereas, In the marvelous providence of God the one hundredth anniversary of the beginnings of the American Foreign Missionary Movement finds the doors of every nation open to the gospel message, and

Whereas, The machinery of the missionary boards, women's boards, student and young people's missionary movements is highly and efficiently organized, and

Whereas, The greatly increased participation of the present generation of responsible business and professional men is essential to the widest and most productive use of the existing missionary agencies, and is equally vital to the growth of the spiritual life at home, and

Whereas, In the management of large business and political responsibilities, such men have been greatly used and honored, and

Whereas, In but few of the denominations have aggressive movements to interest men in missions been undertaken;

Therefore, be it resolved,

1. To project a campaign of missionary education among laymen under the direction of the various board secretaries.

2. To devise a comprehensive plan looking toward the evangelization of the world in this generation, in conjunction with the said board secretaries.

It will thus be seen that the movement is not a missionary board to solicit funds or to administer them; it is not to raise up or send out missionaries; it is not to work among young people, students or women; but its work is chiefly among the mature men of the church. It is also evident that it is not an interdenominational movement which proposes to do its work outside of regular denominational lines or to make a new missionary brotherhood independent of those already established. Its sole purpose is to interest the men of this generation in the evangelization of the world in this generation.

Already the movement, under its great leader, J. Campbell White, has conducted successful campaigns in the great cities of Canada and in many of the great cities of this country. As an illustration of the manner in which the movement has influenced the attitude of men to missions, the experience of the evangelical churches of Toronto may be cited. Following the Toronto convention, in a single year, the contributions of the Presbyterian churches of that city to foreign missions were increased from $26,437 to $43,537; those of the Anglican churches from $14,500 to $25,250; those of the Methodist churches from $23,141 to $50,578; and those of the Baptist churches from $15,248 to $37,843.

But these astonishing financial results are the least important. In the words of a great laymen of Toronto: "There has come to the men of the churches where the movement has gripped them a new sense of both privilege and responsibility in Christian work; the privilege and responsibility in Christian work; the privilege and responsibility of being coworkers together with Christ in the work of world redemption; a new conception of stewardship that involves business talents as well as possessions; a new consciousness of personal relationship to Christ and a new sense of loyalty to him."

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## The Jan. Clearance Sale Continues With Added Enthusiasm

This great crowd-bringing Clearance Sale of 1910 has created quite a stir among thrifty buyers in this community. Never has there been offered such remarkable values in Dress Goods, Silks, and Ladies' Coats and Suits. Tomorrow we start afresh in presenting for your consideration values in these two lines, that are positively beyond the reach of ordinary competition. No goods carried over from one season to another, no matter what the sacrifice. Come early and get the choicest bargains.

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| 10.00 | Coats, plain and mixed, for - | 5.00 |
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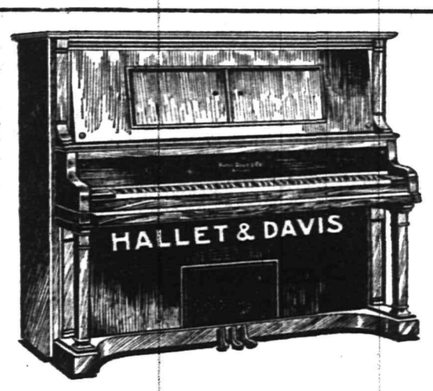


Close', ready to play by hand


## PERSONAL.

Miss Nellie VanZandt, of this city, is visiting relatives at Somerville for a few days.

F. A. Duttenhofer, of East Front street, has gone to Pennsylvania on a business trip.

John VanPelt, of East Millstone, has been visiting relatives in town for a short time.

Mrs. William Brown, of Brooklyn, has returned home after a visit with Plainfield friends.

Miss Roberta Reynolds, a teacher in the Irving school, has been detained at home by illness.

Mrs. H. H. Coward, of Arlington place, has been called to Canada by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. William VanDuyne, of the borough, has returned from a visit with relatives in Somerset county.

Miss Luella Murphy, of New Germantown, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gay, of Mariners place.

Willard Case, formerly of this city, has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Susan Case, of Madison avenue, for several days.

John C. VanDyke, of East Fifth street, who is at the hospital under treatment for injuries received in a fall, continues to improve every day.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church held a sewing meeting yesterday.

Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor, is expected to occupy his pulpit at the chapel tomorrow morning and night. He has been conducting evangelistic services in Atlanta, Ga.

"Does Religion Pay," will be the subject of the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at Trinity Reformed church, tomorrow night at 6:45 o'clock. Philip A. Vroom will be the leader.

Rev. Dr. E. G. Read, of this city, will occupy the pulpit of the Park Avenue Baptist church tomorrow, morning and evening. He formerly was pastor of the Reformed church at Somerville.

The services at the colored mission of Grace church, tomorrow will include the celebration of the Holy Communion at 7:30 o'clock in the morning and evensong and address in the evening at 8 o'clock.

## TO HELP RAISE FUNDS FOR RUTGERS COLLEGE.

New Brunswick, Jan. 22.—To further the interest of Rutgers College, a graduates' committee has been formed, with headquarters in New York city. The special matter in hand is the raising of funds for the erection of additional buildings and the development of the Neilson campus, where the engineering building, erected in 1909, is located and where the new chemistry building is under construction. The further development of this property is necessitated by the growth of the college.

A general committee of fifty has been organized, with L. F. Loree, class of 1877, president of the Delaware and Hudson Company, as president; L. W. Stotesbury, '90, secretary, and Charles B. Ludlow, '86, treasurer; all of New York city. The general committee is divided into five sub-committees, each of which will have one member on the executive committee. The members of the executive committee already chosen are Robert H. Robertson, '69; John W. Herbert, '72, and Dr. Samuel C. Vander Poel, '73, of New York.

## IS MOTHER-IN-LAW TO HER OWN SON.

Hackensack, Jan. 22.—By her marriage Thursday to Richard J. Paulison, Mrs. Anna Elizabeth Campbell, widow of the late Prosecutor Abram Campbell, becomes the mother-in-law of her own son, Luther A. Campbell, who several years ago married Mr. Paulison's daughter.

Mrs. Campbell and Mr. Paulison were married quietly at the residence of Mrs. Campbell's daughter, Mrs. Eva Heydon, in Union street. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. C. R. Kuebler, of the First Presbyterian church.

The bride is 63 years old and her husband eight years her senior. After a short trip to New Haven, Conn., the couple will reside in Camden street. Mrs. Paulison is the mother of Luther A. Campbell, counsel to the Board of Freeholders of Bergen county, and of M. D. Campbell, chief of the Hackensack fire department.

For sometime past Mr. and Mrs. Paulison have been living in adjoining houses in Union street.

## EGGS $400 PER DOZEN.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 22.—Four hundred dollars per dozen is the top quotation for eggs on the Scranton market. The eggs which command this price are laid by Lady Washington, a champion hen, owned by F. O. Megargee, a local farmer. The hen has won more than $12,000 in prizes.

Lady Washington is now on exhibition at the annual poultry show here. In spite of the fact that a special policeman guards her, some one succeeded yesterday in stealing an egg which she laid during the afternoon session of the show. A reward of $25 has been offered for the return of the egg.

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## SOMERVILLE.

William D. Quick was injured by a fall on Wednesday in front of William Maxwell's furniture store. Mr. Quick had placed a ladder against the front of the building to clear away some snow from the ledge over the front door. When the ladder slipped from under him Mr. Quick grabbed at the large sign for support, but this gave way, and he slipped to the ground, spraining his ankle and bruising himself.

The Somerville Athletic Club will hold a dance in the new armory on Friday evening, February 4. The patronesses will be Mrs. James L. Griggs, Mrs. Harry F. Galpin, Mrs. John D. Case, Mrs. J. W. Brokaw, Mrs. William F. Garetson, Mrs. John G. Gaston, Mrs. O. G. Allen and Mrs. A. A. Layton.

In the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. A. Pfansteihl, who is traveling in the South, the pulpit of the Second Reformed church will be supplied on Sunday by Rev. J. Brownlee Voorhees, of New York, secretary of the board of domestic missions of the Reformed church.

The annual supper, which was given by the women of the Second Reformed church Thursday evening in the chapel, was a big success. The attendance was large and the proceeds most satisfactory.

The Finderne Baseball Club will hold a dance in Germania Hall on Lincoln's Birthday, February 12.

Miss Grace Brokaw, of West Main street, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Elmer Church, at Hagle's Corner.

Mrs. R. W. Powell, of Westel, Tenn., is a guest of Mrs. John D. Case, on East Cliff street.

Mrs. Force, of Three Bridges, is a guest at the home of James V. Smith, on West Cliff street.

## DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Ladies' Aid and Missionary Circle of the Seventh-Day Baptist church held an interesting meeting at the home of Mrs. James Dunham on Wednesday afternoon.

Beginning tomorrow night the union evangelistic services will be held in the First Baptist church. Rev. E. O. Brown will be in charge of the service.

The Presbyterians and Methodists will hold union services tomorrow at which the Rev. D. B. F. Randolph will be the preacher.

A special missionary service will be held at Holy Innocents church tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The G. E. Club met at the home of Miss Laura Meeker last night.

P. W. Voorhees has returned from a business trip to DesMoines.

James Y. Wilson is visiting relatives at Alfred, N. Y.

## 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

After a lot of discussion over the eligibility of Fire Chief-elect Charles Meyer to serve at the head of the local department this year owing to the fact that he resides in North Plainfield township the question was settled in Meyer's favor at the meeting of the Fanwood Township Committee last night. Township Attorney Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., who was asked for an opinion a few weeks ago, who was in attendance, informed the committee that Meyer was legally elected to the office and eligible to serve.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be held at the usual hours, morning preaching 10:45 vesper service 4, B. Y. P. U. meeting 7 p. m.

The weekly prayer meeting of the Methodist church will be held tonight in the church. Rev. Mr. Hollinghead will lead the meeting.

The bad weather last night interfered materially with the dime social held at the home of the Misses Moffeth, Mountain avenue.

George A. Clark, of Westfield avenue, has returned to his position in New York after an illness of several weeks.

The rain yesterday took the snow off the roads and sidewalks, leaving them a glare of ice.

Fred Clark, of Bartle avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives at Newark.

Mrs. George Brokaw, of Centreville, has been visiting friends in this city.

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## N. Y. AMUSEMENTS.

Mgr. Percy G. Williams will present the well known star of the legitimate, Miss Fannie Ward, to Harlemites next week at the Alhambra, by special arrangement with Messrs. Klaw & Erlanger. She will make her first vaudeville appearance uptown in a tabloid version of "Van Allen's wife" condensed from the play of the same name, and in which she is supported by the entire members of her company. "The Leading Lady," interpreted by Marguerite Haney and an excellent cast will entertain with this amusing playlet and Stuart Barnes. Tom Edwards, the English huntsman ventriloquist, will make his Harlem debut, and a very pretty dancing number will be presented by The Six American Dancers. The balance of the bill is made up of Spissell Bros. & Co., in "The Continental Waiter," The Village Choir and others.

A striking feature of the remarkable audiences which continue to fill Maxine Elliott's theatre, where Forbes-Robertson appears in "The Passing of the Third Floor Back," eight times a week, is the fact that they contain a large proportion of those who have already seen Mr. Jerome's inspiring play and Mr. Robertson's beautiful portrayal of "The Passer-By" before. In fact, the famous actor-manager is beseiged by correspondents and callers who express their unqualified delight which has only been accentrated by their repeated visits, showing that the appreciation of a good play and fine acting is an acquired taste and does not dull the appetite or lose anything by repetition.

"The Chocolate Soldier" keeps on its uninterrupted way at the Casino, where it is making more friends every week, and the returns show that Mr. Whitney's beautiful production is the most popular play in town. The opera has already passed its one hundredth performance and there is every indication that it will run right through the season. "The Chocolate Soldier" is the hit of the season. In the cast are such well-known artists as Ida Brooks Hunt, Edith Bradford, Flavia Arcaro, Tom Richards, William Pruette, George Tallman and Francis J. Boyle. Matinees on Saturdays only.

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ADVERTISE IN THE DAILY PRESS

# January Wanes While Clearance Sale

## Bargains Approach Their Climax

This great merchandise movement is at the height of its value giving. Winter goods are going fast, spurred on by the sharp cost cutting that prevails in all departments. The bargain bugle blasts a clarion call that attracts throngs of buyers.

Our aim of clearing decks is being rapidly accomplished. Stocks still show surpluses so sacrifice still send prices downward. Clearance at any cost is the attainment sought. It is your opportunity for obtaining unmatched economies. Goods you need are yours at lower cost than at any other time or place.

*Proof is presented in the following items—buy now before this Sale comes to an end.*

**7c BEST CALICOS AT 5c.**
The American Printing Company's best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value; sale, a yard ..... .5

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54-inch Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard ..... .29

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, (18 to 30) .. .59

**7c APRON GINGHAM AT 5c.**
25 pieces good Apron Ginghams, blue and brown checks; a regular 7c value; sale a yard .. .5

**6c FIGURED CHALLIES AT 4c.**
40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c values; a yard ..... .4

**65c COTTON DRAPERY AT 49c.**
Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Drapery, 18 inch; 65c value; a piece ..... .49
Corticelli spool silk, black only; 100 yards spools on sale at ..... .7

**$3.50 SKIRTS AT $1.98.**
Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts made in neat, dark gray mixed Panamas; good $3.50 value at ..... $1.98

**5c TOILET PAPER, 3c.**
Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8-oz. rolls; regular 5c quality; sale ..... .3

**5c MILWARD'S NEEDLES, 3c.**
Milward's best needles, all sizes; regular 5c a paper on sale at ..... .3

Mercerized white batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide, a regular 29c quality, on sale at, yard ..... .15

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value; sale, pair ..... 10c

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale ..... 95c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale ..... 39c

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, broken sizes of regular 39c quality at ..... 29c

Boys' Heavy Ribbed Fleeced Underwear, made of combed Egyptian yarn; sizes 24 to 34, shirts and drawers; regular 50c, on sale ..... 39c

Children's Fine Broadcloth Coats, well made, pretty styles, colors Navy, Rose, Olive, Tan and Red, (broken sizes); regular $4.98, Clearance price ..... $3.85

Children's Coats, ages 6 to 14, mostly broken lots, in the different colors and qualities.
Our $4.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $3.85
Our $6.98 all Cheviot coats at ..... $5.25

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10; Clearance price ... $6.98

The Women's Coats are all reduced in this way:
Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85
Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ... $9.75
Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .. $11.15

**SUITS—For Misses and Women.**
We have grouped the remainder ow the stock of Suits on hand *in 3 Lots, as follows:*

Lot 1—Suits sold at $12.50, Clearance price ..... $8.50
(Mostly black and blue panamas)

Lot 2—Suits sold from $13.50 to $16.50, about half the lot are lined with Skinner's guaranteed satin; black, blue and colors; Clearance price ..... $10.85

Lot 3—Suits that sold at $20, $22.50 and $25, made of fine Broadcloths, Clearance price $15.75

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at ..... 39c

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LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

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### For Sale.

FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

THREE small toy poodle puppies, by champion "Sunnyboy," and champion "Snowball M.;" blue ribbon dogs. Moore, 238 East Fifth St. 1 10 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—Fine building lot on Norwood avenue, 80x179; will sell all or part. Inquire 60 Norwood. 1 17 6

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms; apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—Mann bone cutter, No. 7. Apply Charles Myers, Scotch Plains. 1 20 3

HORSE for sale; bargain; young, sound. 1020 Arlington Ave. 1 21 4

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

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### Real Estate Wanted.

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### Miscellaneous.

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# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Adolph Jones, of South Millville, fell from a box car and sustained a fractured arm.

Atlantic City Elks cleared over $2,000 from the recent minstrel show. The money is to be devoted to charity.

The Wenonah W. C. T. U. has decided to get copies of the cigarette law and distribute them to all dealers in the town.

Joseph Tozer, of Pine Grove, yesterday shot a hoot owl which measured two feet eight inches from tip to tip of the wings.

Inspectors attached to the State Tenement-House Commission spent Thursday in Camden looking over the buildings which come under the State tenement law.

Chief Smith, of the Salem Fire Department, has been requested by the Council to get estimates for three hand-drawn engines and also one one-horse combination chemical engine and ladder truck.

Burglars entered the home of A. G. Creveling at Bloomsbury Wednesday night, prepared a pot of hot coffee and after partaking of a good meal, departed with some wearing apparel and a fountain pen.

For his capture of Edward Madden, who is serving three years for robbing jewelry stores, Policeman Edgar Boulton, of Camden, has received a check for $100 from the Jewelers' Alliance of the United States.

John S. Fish, of Swedesboro, whose son Herbert was killed near Swedesboro in November last, has brought suit against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for $15,000 damages. His counsel is Samuel G. Borton, of Woodstown.

The Gloucester County Freeholders yesterday adopted a resolution asking Senator Gaunt and Assemblyman Heritage to urge the passage of a bill compelling trolley and railroad companies to place safety appliances at county road crossings.

The stoppage of a blower when the belt broke Thursday caused the pipes to fill with gas and resulted in an explosion which wrecked a cupola at the United States Cast Iron and Pipe Foundry Company's plant, in East Burlington.

Kicked out of a South Camden grocery after he had attacked the proprietor because he was refused alms, James Henderson, of Chester, Pa., was yesterday sentenced to sixty days in the county jail by Recorder Stackhouse on a charge of begging.

At the request of Horace F. Nixon, representing the New Jersey Sons of the Revolution, a committee was appointed by Gloucester County Freeholders to meet a committee was the society to adjust, if possible, the controversy over the tablets on the battle monument at Red Bank.

Adjudged guilty of having acted in a disorderly manner at the Washington public school, East Camden, where she had called to discuss with the principal efforts being made to force her son to attend school, Mrs. Stella Grossmick was yesterday fined $10 by Recorder Stackhouse.

Kate Burns, who was well dressed, and who is said to have come from Philadelphia, was arrested in Chelsea yesterday, in company with Thomas Hand and George Lehneis, who declared that they responded to her screams for help. The woman asserted that a man had attacked her on the street, but she refused to throw any light upon the identity of her assailant.

Mayor Farner, of Burlington, announced new rules yesterday in reform of the police department. He said he found that many patrolmen spent much time in moving picture shows when they should be on their beats, and he declared such derelictions would hereafter be severely punished. He complimented the department on the prompt arrest of three negroes who robbed a Burlington department store.

State Senator John D. Prince, of Ringwood, a professor of languages in Columbia College, has promised the Sunday-school in Lodi that he will deliver a lecture in seventeen languages on music in that town tonight. The extensive dye works at Lodi have attracted nearly every known race to that place, and Senator Prince says he is prepared to make himself plain to all foreigners who may attend.

Miss Lillia Mae Grohman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph W. Grohman, of Woodbridge avenue, Carteret, will be married to J. J. Lyman, formerly of Elizabeth, by Rev. Father O'Farrell, pastor of St. Joseph's church, Saturday, January 29. Following the ceremony there will be a reception at the home of the bride's parents. After their wedding trip in the South, Mr. and Mrs Lyman will live in Carteret.

Breakers at Atlantic City yesterday chased each other over the deck of the stranded schooner yacht Mist, which is now filled with water. She is sinking deeper and deeper into the sand, owing to the tons of lead on her keel. The crew has left the craft, after stripping it of most of the valuables. Marine insurance underwriters last evening gave Captain Mark Townsend, of Somers Point, the contract to float the Mist. He will employ the fishing steamer Commanche to drag her out of the grip of the sand.

Among the guests at a dinner to be tendeder tonight at Atlantic City to Postmaster Bacharach by employes of the office will be First Assistant Postmaster-General Granfield, 4th Assistant Postmaster-General De Graw, Alexander Grand, general superintendent of railway mail service; John A. Holmes, purchasing agent for the Postoffice Department; Congressman Gardner, James P. Cortelyou, postoffice inspector; State Senator Wilson and Assemblyman Walter E. Edge. Mr. Bacharach is to leave in a few days for Florida and Cuba.

## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

John Healy, in Al. G. Fields' Minstrels, at New Plainfield Theatre Today, Matinee, and Night.

The coming of Elsie Janis is always a source of infinite joy to the younger patrons of the theatre and

Elsie Janis in "The Fair Co-Ed," at the Plainfield Theatre Monday Night.

particularly to the fluffy little army of matinee misses who divide their worship between the shrines of Miss Janis and Miss Barrymore. Little Miss Janis this year is announced as the starriest kind of a star in the most ambitious comedy effort of her career. George Ade wrote "The Fair Co-Ed" and the music was contributed by Gustav Luders. When it is remembered that George Ade also wrote "The College Widow" a certainty of some delicious foolery in the realms of undergraduate student life is assured. Miss Janis comes under the management of Mr. Dillingham, who promises to present "The Fair Co-Ed" at Plainfield theatre January 24, with the same capable cast and exquisite scenic investiture so much admired during the long run at the Knickerbocker and Criterion theatres in New York.

Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival to be at the Plainfield theatre on January 26, makes a more general and genuine appeal than possibly any other attraction before the American public. The new program possesses all the elements needed to please all temperaments. Those who delight in foreign travel will find resplendent scenes of a great Mohammedan religious ceremony in Delhi, India; of winter gayeties in St. Moritz, Switzerland; and of logging through the Italian Alps. Those who are truly patriotic will be stirred by the strenuous scenes of U. S. army life in camp and action at West Point, Annapolis, Fort Myer, etc. Those who crave excitement will find it in the spectacular impact of a huge projectile on armor plate, and dynamiting a bridge by the engineer corps, U. S. A. A violent eruption of the largest volcano in Java also provides a sensation in its own way. For lovers of the sea there are thrilling scenes of a ship's struggle through tremendous seas and a heavy gale at Blarritz. For nature lovers there are fascinating studies of birds of the Hebrides and Scotland in the colors of nature, and the effect of music on wild animals. In fact the range of the program is world-wide and is therefore sure to please all.

The Women's Relief Corps will hold a meeting Friday night, January 28, which will be of special interest. The officers-elect will be in charge.

A local council of the Senior O. U. A. M. will be instituted in Coward's Hall on Wednesday, January 26. A large delegation of State officers are expected, as well as the national councilor.

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### Jan. 22 In American History.

1588—John Winthrop, colonial governor of Massachusetts, born; died 1649.

1813—Battle of Frenchtown, Mich.

1870—George D. Prentice, famous wit and for forty years editor of Louisville Journal, died; born 1802.

1874—Parepa Rosa, noted opera singer, very popular in America, died.

1894—Constance Fenimore Woolson, author of note, died; born 1848.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:02, rises 7:14; moon sets 6:04 a. m.; moon farthest north.

Plainfield, N. J., January 22, 1910.


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# NEWS IN PLAINFIELD IN THE OLDEN DAYS

(From the Plainfield Union 1862.)

It becomes our painful duty to record the most melancholy casualty that has ever disturbed the quiet of our village, in the death of Mr. Henry F. Jennings, on Wednesday evening last.

Mr. Jennings, with a number of other young men, had resolved to fire a parting salute in honor of the departure of Captain Regur's recruiting party, who were about returning to the seat of war in Virginia. He had recently taken an active part in displays of this nature, and on the evening above referred to he was, as usual, among the foremost in the preparations for the salute.

As it was intended to fire but a couple of rounds, and as no cannon powder was to be procered in the village, it was decided to use rifle powder was to be procured in the were accordingly purchased and put up in two cartridges, the first containing two and three-quarters pounds, and the other three pounds. It was remarked by several at the first discharge, which took place at about quarter past eight, that there was an unusual and peculiar sound, and some who were at a distance supposed the gun had bursted then.

The second cartridge was rammed home very hard and heavily wadded, with the intention of having a stunning report.

As the train started amid the cheers of the multiture, Mr. Jennings stepped up to the gun, as before, and applied his lighted cigar to the priming. Then followed a sharp, quick explosion, a bright flash, and amid a cloud of smoke the young man, who but that instant had been the picture of youthful vigor, was thrown forty feet into the air, and fell a mangled corpse at a distance of one hundred feet from where the gun lay.

Theodore F. French and Edward P. Thorn stood behind the cannon, about twelve feet distant, and James Robison stood opposite Mr. Jennings and about five feet from the gun, but no one else was injured. One piece was thrown a distance of more than two hundred yards, striking and considerably injuring the house occupied by Capt. Kellog's family; and several other pieces were thrown lesser distances.

Before the cannon was sent to Plainfield from the Novelty Works in New York, it was subjected to the severest tests, having been charged with five pounds of rifle powder, and was thought to be too sound to be bursted.

It was a most fortunate circumstance that there were but few persons near the gun at the time of the explosion. Almost invariably there is a large crowd in the immediate vicinity, and had such been the case on Wednesday evening, it is impossible to tell how serious the consequences might have been.

Mr. Jennings at the time the gun was fired stood on the right side with his back toward the muzzle, and it is probable that a piece of the gun passed up his right arm, tearing and breaking it in its passage and striking him in the side of the head, entirely separating the top of the skull, and causing instant death, and together with the force of the explosion, carried him the distance we have mentioned.

It is impossible to describe the effect of this sudden calamity upon the people. The whole village seems to have been wrapped in sorrow and gloom. For two days the flags were flying at half-mast, the National Reading Room and the fire engine and house were draped in mourning, and every demonstration of respect was accorded to the unfortunate dead.

On Friday at 11 a. m., the funeral services were performed in the First Baptist church. Rev. S. J. Drake spoke from Hebrews, 11: 27, to the most crowded auditory that ever filled that church. The fire company turned out with full ranks, and as most of the members of the National Club belonged to the fire department, the remaining members by invitation appeared with the latter organization, and did not attend as a distinct body.

It is hardly necessary that we should say much of Mr. Jennings personally. We desire to weave no fulsome adulation around the memory of our dparted friend; but we do bear most willing testimony to the disinterested friendship, the generous qualities, and the genial sociality that were part and parcel of his being. Thrown into daily and most intimate companionship with the deceased, in the pleasant freedom of our own social gatherings, we had abundant opportunity to become acquainted with the natural excellence of his character, and we loved him.

Mr. Jennings was widely known and very generally esteemed; was doing a thriving business, and had every prospect of a long, prosperous and happy life, having almost completed his twenty-sixth year.

Rev. Theodore S. Brown will deliver a discourse having an especial reference to this sad event on next Sabbath afternoon, at half-past three, at the particular request of Mr. Jennings' young associates.

# JUSTICES OF PEACE SEEK MORE POWERS

A permanent organization known as the New Jersey State Association of Justices of the Peace and Constables will be incorporated under the laws of New Jersey at a meeting to be held in Masonic Temple, Trenton, next Wednesday afternoon. The justices of the peace in Elizabeth favor the incorporation, it is said, and several are planning to attend the meeting.

Circular letters have been sent to each of 5,000 justices of the peace and constables in the State requesting support in the forming of a State association as well as in an effort to establish local associations in each of the twenty-one counties.

The circular letter says in part: "This movement has been going on since last June. We are numerous enough in this State to protect our rights and it is our duty to do so as holders of the titles of this ancient and highly honored office that arose at the dawn of civilization.

"In counties and cities where district courts are established we ask for jurisdiction in civil matters, such as tenant and landlord cases and writs of attachment up to $100, which would release the district courts and the poor man could get redress and protection at any hour of the day or night."

One of the principal objects of the proposed association is the enactment of laws which the justices of the peace and constables believe will give them powers which they do not have now.

### FINDS PET PUSSY BAKED TO CRISP.

Bayonne, Jan. 22.—When Mrs. Moses Herman, of 84 West Twenty-fourth street, this city, opened the oven door of her kitchen range, yesterday morning, she found her pet cat, Mollie, baked to a crisp. She remembered she had heard the cat meow when she lighted the range, but said she had no idea that it was in the oven.

As was her nightly custom, Mollie climbed into the oven of Mrs. Herman's stove after the family had gone to bed. As the fire was always allowed to go out, the oven would get cooler and cooler, so by the time the Hermans awoke in the morning Mollie would jump out and wait for the fire to be remade, after which she would lie under the stove.

But yesterday morning Mollie didn't jump out of the oven when Mrs. Herman came downstairs and began rebuilding the fire. Mrs. Herman, thinking the cat had left her cozy chamber, closed the door without looking inside after the fire had started.

Two or three hours later Mrs. Herman detected a peculiar odor. It seemed to come from the kitchen range. She couldn't think what was making it, and investigating she opened the oven dior and found Mollie done to a turn.

### LEATHER NOVELTIES.

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# SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

**Baptist.**

**First**—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 2:45, men's conference Bible class, Henry W. Herrmann and B. J. Phelps, teachers; 7:30, preaching.

**Park Avenue**—10:30, sermon, Rev. Dr. E. G. Read; 2:45, Bible school; 7:45, sermon, Dr. Read.

**Temple**—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—2:45, Sunday-school; 2:45, Baraca class; 11:00, preaching by Rev. Dr. T. L. Gardner; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching by Rev. Edwin Shaw.

**Mt. Olive**—M. W. Vaughan, D. D., pastor—11:00, preaching, 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

**Ebenezer**—Rev. G. E. Scruggs, pastor. 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., preaching; 2:00, Sunday-school.

**Calvary**—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—10:45, preaching; 3:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

**Shiloh**—Rev. Edward Roberts, pastor, will preach at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

**Reformed.**

**Trinity**—Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor; Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor-emeritus—10:30, preaching by Dr. Paul W. Harrison; 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class; 6:45, Christian Endeavor meeting, topic, "Does Religion Pay?" leader, Philip A. Vroom; 7:45, preaching by Dr. Harrison.

**Netherwood Reformed Church, Leland and Midway avenues**—Royal A. Stout, pastor in charge—10:30, preaching by Rev. Leonard L. Appeldorn, topic, "Visions to Service;" 11:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, Christian Endeavor prayer meeting; 7:45, preaching by Mr. Appeldorn, subject, "Quest of Faith."

**German**—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; no evening service.

**Marconnier chapel**—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00 Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

**Presbyterian.**

**First Presbyterian**—Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:00, Sunday-school; 11:00, morning worship; 6:45, C. E. meeting; 7:45, evening worship.

**Crescent Avenue**—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zellie, pastor—10:30, Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, of Princeton, will preach; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, organ recital; 7:45, preaching, Dr. Patton.

**Hope chapel**—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—10:30, preaching by the pastor; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching by H. W. Munroe.

**Warren chapel**—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:45, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

**Bethel chapel**—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m.; 2 p. m., Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

**Episcopal.**

**Grace Church**—Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector; Rev. Elory G. Bowers, assistant. 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. First Sunday, Holy Communion and sermon; 4:00 p. m., organ recital; 4:30 p. m., Choral Evensong and sermon.

**Church of the Heavenly Rest**—Rev. Cortlandt H. Mallery, rector—8:00, Holy Eucharist; 11:00, matins and sermon (Holy Eucharist first Sunday in the month). 7:30 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

**St. Stephen's**—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 7:45, evensong.

**Holy Cross Church**—Rector, Rev. Geo. A. Warner. Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 every Sunday morning; 9:45, Sunday-school; 10:00, rector's Bible class for young men; 11:00, morning prayer and sermon; 7:45, evensong and sermon. On the first Sunday of the month a second celebration of Holy Communion at the 11:00 o'clock service.

**Grace Church Colored Mission**—Sunday evening, 8:00, Evensong and sermon; Holy Communion on the Third Sunday in the month at 7:30 a. m.

**Methodist Episcopal.**

**First**—Rev. Dr. Charles M. Anderson, pastor—2:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching by the pastor; men's Bible class meets after close of morning service, Nelson Miller, teacher; 7:00, Epworth League; 7:45, preaching.

**Monroe Avenue M. E.**—Rev. Charles S. Kemble, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00, p. m., Sunday-school; 7:15, Epworth League; 3:00, preaching.

**Grace M. E.**—Rev. Ora J. Shoop, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "Transcendent Attainment Through Personal Persistent Efforts;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, topic, "The Superlative Significance of Salvation."

**Mt. Zion A. M. E.**—Rev. John T. Diggs, pastor—11:00, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 8:00, preaching.

**Roman Catholics.**

**St. Mary's**—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

**St. Joseph's**—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.

**Congregational.**

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching by the pastor, subject, "The Fourth Beatitude;" 11:45, Sunday-school; 7:45, short sermon by the pastor, "The Tribes that Remained with the Ships," Solo by Mrs. Guy Bender.

**Swedish Evangelical Pilgrim church**—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, Sunday-school; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching.

**Friends.**

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

**Lutheran.**

St. Peter's Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street and Mercer avenue—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, sermon in English first Sunday in each month, all other Sundays in German; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**

Babcock Building—Service 11:00 a. m., preaching.

**Unitarian.**

All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, last sermon on Dr. Eliot's Religion of the Future, subject, "Religious Compensation;" Sunday-school at 12 o'clock.

**Not Classified.**

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30.

Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting at the hall; 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class in hall; 8:00 p. m., special vocal and instrumental music with gospel address.

There will be preaching of the Gospel at 209 East Front street at 7:30 p. m.

Plainfield Rescue Mission—In W. C. T. U. rooms, 7:45, John LeMatty will speak, and C. E. Garretson will sing.

West End Tabernacle—3:00 p. m., Sunday-school and Baraca class; 8:00 p. m., Gospel address by H. W. Herrman.

W. C. T. U.—4:00, Gospel service.

Y. W. C. A.—4:00 p. m., vesper service.

Wilson Memorial Chapel—7:45, an address.

### P. A. Y. E. Cars for Hoboken.

Hoboken, Jan. 22.—It was learned today that not only will the Public Service Corporation begin to run pay-as-you-enter cars on Washington street in Hoboken early next spring, but that cars of that type will also be run on the Willow avenue and Grove street lines.


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| Bonds, Market Value | 392,162.50 |
| Demand Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Banking House and Lot | 25,000.00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 7,500.00 |
| Interest Due and Accrued | 6,608.57 |
| Cash on hand | 39,913.85 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

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| Surplus | 72,296.27 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

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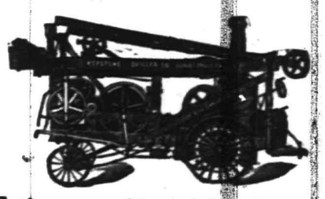

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# GUARDIAN FOR RICHES OF AGED "SIMPLE TOM"

Application has been made in the Orphan's Court at Somerville by James L. Griggs, former prosecutor of pleas of Somerset County, for the appointment of a guardian for "Simple Tom" Schenck, half witted negro, seventy years of age, who was born of a former slave mother in Somerset county. He is about to receive from a brother whom he never knew an inheritance to keep him in his old age.

"Simple Tom," like "Topsy," says he never was born, but the evidence presented to the court by Mr. Griggs shows that Tom's mother was a slave once owned by the Ten Eyck family. She had twins, Tom and Sam. Sam fought in the Civil War. He died in the New Jersey Soldiers' Home a few months ago without knowing he ever had a brother. He left an estate valued at $600 and on old will in which he bequeathed all his earthly possessions to Colonel Arthur S. Ten Eyck. The will stated that the bequest was made to Colonel Ten Eyck by Sam "out of gratitude for bringing me up and caring for me through life."

Colonel Ten Eyck died before his grateful servant, and Sam's estate, according to law, went to his next of kin. When this became known the descendants of the old Schenck and Ten Eyck families made public the origin of "Simple Tom's" birth, but the authorities were confronted by another mystery when it was discovered that Sam enlisted in the Civil War and died in the Soldiers' Home under the name of Samuel St. John.

William C. Schenck, the present custodian of "Simple Tom," clears up this mystery in an affidavit before the court, in which he states that Sam, when a young man, was very religious. Unlike most of his race at that time, he failed to become a Methodist and joined St. Bernard's Catholic church of Raritan. This caused the other negroes to ridicule him and to call him "St. John." Sam was proud of this Christian name and enlisted under it in the Civil War and retained it until the time of his death. The court appointed former Justice Arthur P. Sutphen a trustee of the estate until a final disposition is made of it.

### RAHWAY DEMOCRATS MUST RELINQUISH THEIR JOBS.

The State Civil Service Commission met yesterday in the Common Council chambers, Rahway, to classify city officers under the municipal civil service recently adopted by the outgoing Democratic Common Council. They decided that under the decision recently rendered by Justice Swayze that those whose terms of office expired January 1, 1910, were out of office, and that those employed since then or up to February 4 hold good.

Unless decision is reversed by the Court of Errors and Appeals, the officers placed by commissioners under unclassified heads are auditor and treasurer, receiver of taxes, city clerk, street commissioner, overseer of poor, city engineer, assessors, department of excise, chief of police, public schools, police justice, sealer of weights and measures.

Those classified are city physicians, chief of fire department, Board of Health and health officers, matron of almshouse, superintendent of almshouse, deputy tax collector, assistant in tax office, teamsters.

All the offices are held by Democrats. The Common Council on January 1 appointed Republicans to their places who will now succeed the Democrats.

### PASTOR CAN'T GO HOBOKEN.

**Says Place in Church was Crushing, and Seeks Happier Field.**

The Rev. William Ten Eyck Adams, pastor of the First Reformed church of Hoboken, said yesterday that he had no further use for Hoboken and was going to get out of the city in two weeks' time. He said that he had tendered his resignation as pastor and would preach only two Sundays more in his present church.

"My greatest joy," said Mr. Adams "is that I am going to leave Hoboken. My place in the church was simply crushing. Hoboken is a difficult field in which to work, and I feel that any pastor who works in it has earned a place in Heaven. The conditions were such here that I could do no effective work, and I am going to try to find a field where I can be happier."

Mr. Adams and his congregation have been at odds for some time, it is said. There is no rectory connected with the church, and Mr. Adams has been living in a boarding house. He did not like to take his wife to a boarding house, and she has been living with her parents in Brooklyn during his three-year pastorate.

**Funeral of Arthur W. Talmadge.**

The funeral services of Arthur White Talmadge were held from the late home on Belvidere avenue, yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock, and wre largely attended by relatives and friends. Rev. Dr. J. S. Zelie, of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, conducted the services. The burial was at Hillside cemetery.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

# REV. DR. E. P. JOHNSON TALKS TO MEN'S CLUB

"What you men can do to make Trinity an ideal church," was the subject of an address given by Rev. Dr. E. P. Johnson, of New Brunswick, at the annual meeting of The Dutch Arms, the men's association, of Trinity Reformed church, last night. Dr. Johnson was acting pastor of this church for about two years, prior to the calling of Rev. John Y. Broek and during that time he endeared himself to the hearts of the members.

Dr. Johnson's talk last night was plain, practical and to the point. He said that he was glad that the men of the church are coming into their own in mission work. "The women have done nobly," said the speaker, "and God bless their dear hearts, but they have been getting along too much without the men. We men are beginning to open our eyes and wake up.

"It is a pleasure for me to speak to you tonight. I have known you for three years and I know what you are capable of doing. This church is near the ideal, but not quite. First of all it is desirable to feel that your church is the best in the city. There may be richer and bigger churches, but there are few better. Still your not perfect. There are ideals yet to be reached.

"We have got to have a high ideal. The man who lives a quiet indolent sort of life will bring up in the poorhouse, be dependent on others or his wife will eventually support him. You have an unlimited range of influence here and should do all that is possible to make your church an ideal one.

"It is important that there should be harmony and good fellowship. If your pastor was a St. Paul himself he could do but little without harmony. Good leadership depends on your pastor and he has ability and talents, but you must co-operate with him. Trouble and discord in a church will do more to hurt true friendship than anything else.

"But something more is needed. There must be hospitality. There is more of that in this church than in many other churches. The railroad station, the schoolhouse and the hospital are community institutions, but a church is to serve all interests in a community. That is what a church is for, by divine right and appointment.

"We should have a spirit of friendship for other churches, but not to the extent of proselyting. If there are heathen not looked after, it is your place to do this work. You should make people feel at home, and then there should be aggressive evangelism. The test of any laymen or preacher in relation to the Bible is the spirit of aggressive evangelism.

"The time is coming when the church will seek a larger and better equipment for its work both at home and abroad. You have two pastors, your own missionary, two chapels, Marconnier and the Netherwood Reformed church, but you are not doing all you can, and I know you will do more."

Dr. Johnson's remarks were listened to with great interest by the men and he was personally thanked for coming to Plainfield to address the association.

### SWEET SIXTEEN NOW HAPPY.

Declaring that she was guilty of all the charges against her, that she was an orphan, that nobody cared for her, and that she stole because she wanted to be sent to some State institution, Mary Katolisch, sixteen years old, aroused the sympathy of Judge Scott in the Court of Special Sessions at Paterson yesterday. She had stolen sixteen times before she was caught, her loot consisting principally of wearing apparel.

Mary's method was to apply at a boarding house for board or work, and remain long enough to survey the surroundings. When arrested, a bunch of skeleton keys was found concealed in her hair. "I thought once of doing big jobs and making plenty of money to make me happy. That is why I have the skeleton keys," she told Judge Scott. The court sent her to the State Home for Girls. "That's the place for me. Now I am happy," she declared.

### MURDERER TRIED TO KILL THREE PEOPLE.

Giovanni Maroni, a Mercer county murderer, early today wrecked the death house at the State prison at Trenton, assaulted two deputy keepers and tried to kill a Catholic priest. It took fifteen men to subdue him. Dallas Fogg and Frederick Douglas, the keepers, were both injured. Maroni is under sentence of death for killing a woman at Trenton who refused to give him employment.

**Visit Glen Gardner.**

As the guest of General Manager William G. Besler, of the Jersey Central, who resides here, many members of the New Jersey Legislature today inspected the Glen Gardner tuberculosis sanitarium. They were carried free over the railroad by Mr. Besler, who resides here. Ernest R. Ackerman, of this city, is the chairman of the Legislature's joint committee on the sanitorium.

# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

**SOUTH PLAINFIELD.**

Oscar Steengraffe, of Newark, a former resident of South Plainfield, was here yesterday on business.

Mrs. Hubert, of Hellertown, Pa., is spending a short time with her son, C. Hubert, of this place.

The John Sobelski Society will hold its semi-annual ball in Washington hall tonight.

Mrs. Milton Boss has returned home after a short visit with out-of-town friends.

Frank Philip visited relatives in Somerville yesterday.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

# AUTOMOBILE BANQUET TO BE GREAT AFFAIR

Automobile enthusiasts will gather at the New Auditorium, Newark, Monday night at the annual banquet of the New Jersey Automobile and Motor Club. It is expected the affair will be attended by 250 or more, and that it will eclipse previous affairs in interest.

A feature will be the arrangement of tables and the vaudeville acts between courses. Moving pictures of famous French auto races will be given. The speakers will be: Former Governor Edward C. Stokes, former United States Senator James Smith, Jr., Commissioner of Motor Vehicles J. B. R. Smith, Commissioner of Banking and Insurance Vivian M. Lewis, Rufus L. Scott, Jr., George F. Reeve, president of the Board of Trade; Colonel Austen Colgate and President W. Clive Crosby, toastmaster. The committee in charge consists of H. D. Bowman, A. B. Le Massena and J. H. Wood. The dinner will be served by C. L. Schfeitzer, with music by Issler. The decorations will consist of streamers, flags and six dozen palms. The only Plainfield subscriber in the list of diners is C. J. Fisk.

### BEEF TRUST UNDER FIRE FROM THE GOVERNMENT.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Right in line with the general movement against high prices of foodstuffs, especially meats, announcement was made officially yesterday that the Department of Justice is about to begin proceedings against the Beef Trust. The department, it was said, would proceed against Armour & Co., Swift & Co., Morris & Co. and the National Packing Company, all of Chicago.

According to information given out, the National Packing Company is controlled by the three other concerns named. The Federal Grand Jury will meet in Chicago next Monday, and at that time the government will begin the examination of witnesses in the case.

The action will be taken under the Sherman anti-trust law. It is the idea of the Deparement of Justice that there is a combination in restraint of trade between the three packing concerns through the National Packing Company, which is a New Jersey company with a capital of $15,000,000. It was organized in 1903 and took over the stock of a half dozen or more packing concerns.

**Woman Dies in Automobile.**

Mrs. Alice Abrams, of Paterson, died in an automobile Thursday night, while being taken to the home of her sister in Brooklyn. She was in Bergen county when she died and trouble with the authorities of that county may ensue, as the body was brought back to Passaic county without a permit having been obtained. The woman had a stroke of paralysis several months ago. Her relatives realized that she could not live much longer, and an automobile was engaged to take her to the home of a sister in Brooklyn.

**Another Realty Deal.**

Charles H. Hand has purchased of Joseph T. Vail, the owner, the residential property on East Second street, next to the Salvation Army building, for investment purposes.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles L. Moore, of West Front street, are parents of a girl, born to them last night.

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FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

**Rooms and Board.**

TO RENT—Furnished room; improvements; light and airy. Inquire 334 East Fifth street. 1 21 tf

FOR RENT—April 1st, three large, sunny and connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with or without privilege of light housekeeping; best residential section, near station; private family. Address "Central," care Press. 1 21 2

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**Wanted Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—To buy six-room house, centrally located; good neighborhood. Address D. F., care Press. 1 21 6

WANTED — Second-hand chicken coop. Address Siriski, Dunellen. 1 22 3

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 19 6

**Miscellaneous.**

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

**Help Wanted—Female.**

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—White girl as cook and laundress. Call evenings, 1216 Watchung avenue. 1 19 6

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at 91 Mercer avenue after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 45 Sandford Ave. 1 20 3

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WANTED—OPERATORS ON LADIES' UNDERWEAR; ALSO LEARNERS. SCHILLER BROS., 320 WEST FRONT ST. 1 22 4

WANTED—Young girl for general housework. 315 East Second street.

WANTED—Young girl or woman (white) to do general housework. Address E. C. H., care Daily Press. 1 22 3

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

GENERAL houseworkers, white, wanted for good positions; also cooks and chambermaid. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue. 1 21 3

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

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**Help Wanted—Male.**

WANTED — Capable man and wife or woman and son to do the work of family of five, (2 adults, 3 children) in small house; cow, chickens and small garden to be cared for; $40 per month. Address Box 94, care Daily Press. 1 20 6

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WANTED—Young man stenographer for local concern; state age and salary expected. Address Stenographer, care Press. 1 20 3

**Lost and Found.**

LOST—January 20, on Seventh street, between Richmond street and Grant avenue, parcel wrapped in a rug. Finder will please leave it at this office. 1 21 2

LOST — Brown bag containing small black purse in or near Proctor's theatre. Finder please return to this office.

LOST—Brindle bull terrier, white breast, white tip on tail, wearing brass studded collar. Liberal reward and no questions asked if returned to Mrs. Snow, 1342 Watchung avenue. 1 22 2

WILL the person who got the black overcoat, marked by makers name J. J. Brill Co. by mistake, at the Foresters' entertainment at Saengerbund Hall, please return to Casey & Son, Park avenue, and receive their's; also party who got umbrella with adjustable gold head with initials J. R. kindly return to Casey & Son, Park avenue, to avoid further trouble. 1 22 2

FOUND—Pair of gloves at A. M. Griffen's store.

LOST—Last Thursday, small water spaniel pup. Please notify 614 East Sixth street. 1 2 2

LOST—White bull terrier, color all white. Return or inform owner, O. T. Waring, 900 Park Ave. 1 20 tf

**Travel.**

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS —Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

**For Rent.**

TO LET—7-room house, 118 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 [illegible] tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave. 'Phone 2[illegible]4-W. 1 11 tf

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FOR RENT—Eight-room house; all improvements; barn; $25. Geo. F. Brown, 94 Somerset St. 1 21 [illegible]

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MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Mofett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8, Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

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FOR SALE—Two small houses near Grant avenue. Inquire 13 Westervelt avenue. 1 19 4

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 3.**

## MAYOR LIFTS BAN ON SALVATIONISTS.

Following a conference with Colonel William A. MacIntyre yesterday, Mayor Victor Mravlag, of Elizabeth, lifted the ban placed on the Salvation Army. The Mayor rescinded his order prohibiting Captain John Strain from holding open-air meetings in Broad street. The conference was held in the Mayor's office in the City Hall. It was also attended by Brigadier A. E. Kimball.

The Salvation Army officers explained to the Mayor that his order was a hardship on the local corps and that it interfered with its work. They said they are satisfied that the Mayor's order prohibiting the holding of street parades after 9 o'clock should remain in effect.

Mayor Mravlag's objection to the corps holding open-air meetings at Broad and East Jersey streets was that the meetings interfered with traffic, especially Saturday night, when it was almost impossible for a vehicle to get past the crowds gathered at the corner.

He claimed that a serious accident could not be averted in the event of a hurry call for an ambulance or an alarm being sounded for a fire in the immediate vicinity. Because of the congested condition at Broad and East Jersey streets a fatal accident was narrowly averted during Old Home week, when an ambulance ran into a crowd of persons, two of whom were seriously hurt.

## EXPLORER R. E. PEARY VISITS TRENTON.

Trenton, Jan. 22.—Commander Robert E. Peary was the guest of honor at the annual dinner of the Chamber of Commerce, held in Masonic Hall last night. Commander Peary received an ovation from the more than 200 representative business men at the dinner. His story of his experiences in the Polar region was listened to with much interest.

Congressman Joseph E. Ransdell, president of the National Rivers and Harbors Congress, was another guests and speaker. The Congressman spoke of the national importance of the deeper waterways movement.

Henry C. Moore, president of the chamber, presided at the dinner, and H. G. Stoddard acted as toastmaster. During his stay in Trenton Commander Peary was entertained at the apartments of Adjutant-General Wilbur F. Sadler, Jr.

## GOOD "AGNOSTICS" IN CHURCH'S "ACQUARIUM."

Jersey City, Jan. 22.—The "agnostics" in St. John's Evangelical church on Summit avenue are good, according to Rev. E. A. Meury's latest story on the sexton's description of the handsome new edifice. The church was only recently completed and there are frequent visitors to inspect the building. Recently a party visited the church and the assistant sexton in escorting the party explained that the "aquarium," meaning the "auditorium," was the finest in the city and concluded in speaking of the acoustic proportions of the church proper by saying, "Undt der agnostics are goot in der church."

The story has made somewhat of a hit in the Hudson City section, and Rev. Meury, who loves a joke or story, tells it with glee.

## NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Trenton, Jan. 22.—Certificates of incorporation have been granted to the following companies:

Atlas Weighing Machine Company, Newark; capital, $110,000; incorporators, William H. Daly, Mabel Daly and Harry H. Poole; to manufacture an deal in novelties, machinery, etc.

Mortgage Investment Company, Newark; capital, $100,000; incorporators, Walter Heinsheimer, Philip Stone and Harry H. Poole; to deal in real estate.

Mountain Lakes (Incorporated), Boonton; capital, $200,000; incorporators, John R. Simpson, J. W. Underhill and W. J. Doyle, Jr.; to do general contracting and mechanical engineering.

Wilkesbarre Anthracite Coal Company, Edgewater; capital, $200,000; incorporators, E. J. Forhan, J. J. Harper and G. F. Martin; to mine and market coal.

The William T. Comstock Company, Newark; capital, $50,000; incorporators, Stephen J. Cox, Stephen S. Newton and Alan C. McDonnell.

The J. H. Deppeler Company, Jersey City; capital, $20,000; incorporators, John H. Deppeler, Daniel C. Woodbury and Joseph A. Carmody; to do autogenous welding and brazing.

The Greater Passaic Investment Company, Passaic; capital, $50,000; incorporators, Charles F. H. Johnson, Arthur Dyer and George H. Dalrymple; to deal in real estate and investments.

Co-operative Retail Confectioners, East Orange; capital, $100,000; incorporators, Charles O. Geyer, Frank E. Ruggles and L. Matthews; to deal in confectioner, grocer and druggist supplies.

### The Feminine Idea.

First Woman (viewing the Curtiss aeroplane)—My! What a splendid airship.

Second Woman—What a magnificent curtain stretcher!—Boston Transcript.

## SKYSCRAPER MAY RISE ON OLD LANDMARK SITE.

Elizabeth, Jan. 22.—One of the oldest landmarks in Board street here is about to be torn down to make room for the march of improvement. It is a two-and-a-half-story brick building at 122 Broad street, owned by the estate of the late Leonard Sauer, a pioneer in the shoe business in Elizabeth, which he personally conducted there more than half a century. Mr. Sauer was a founder of St. Michael's German Catholic church here. He died seven years ago, and now the estate is to be divided among his heirs, six boys and two girls.

Among them are City Comptroller John S. Sauer and Tax Assessor Leonard Sauer, of Elizabeth. Since his death the business has been carried on by his sons, Leonard and Charles Sauer. Senator Kean has purchased the property for $37,000, and it is reported will erect a modern skyscraper on its site. The closing out sale of the stock will wind up next week. When the estate is divided each heir will receive about $5,000.

## JOHN FOLEY DIES.

### Was One of the Oldest of the Singer Employes.

John Foley, for thirty-seven years with the Singer Manufacturing Company, died suddenly at the Singer gate, Elizabethport, late yesterday afternoon while on duty. Apoplexy is believed to be the cause of death.

Mr. Foley was 65 years old. He went to Elizabethport when the Singer company moved from New York and has been continually employed at the plant since. For some time past he had been employed as gardener at the factory yard in the summer and attended to the gate in the winter. He was in apparent good health up to the time of his death.

A wife, four daughters and one son survive him. He was a communicant of St. Patrick's church. The body was taken to the Foley home, 404 Magnolia avenue.

## VOORHEES SOLD PAPERS WHEN A LITTLE BOY.

The slating of State Treasurer Daniel S. Voorhees, of Morristown, for another term in his present office, has brought out a review of his early life and the fact that he sold newspapers in Elizabeth as a boy. He advanced from a newsstand to a position in a hardware store, and in 1869 he moved to Morristown, where he became interested in politics and secured a place as clerk in the county clerk's office. In 1898 he became county clerk. He was reelected to that office, serving until his election as State treasurer. The State treasurer's office, carrying a $6,000 salary, was first occupied by "Uncle Dan" on February 19, 1907, when he was chosen to succeed Frank O. Briggs, who had resigned to become United States Senator.

## HIGHER MAGAZINE P. O. RATES AND THE PRICE.

New York, Jan. 22.—Magazine owners in New York city, aroused over the effort of the postoffice department at Washington to bring about an increase in the postal rate for second class mail matter, have appointed a committee to take up their side of the matter. The committee declares that any advance in the postal rate will mean a general increase in the price of magazines to the purchaser. Periodicals which cannot for any reason increase their price will be compelled the committee says, to suspend publication.

The publishers say that they are prepared to show that the government is getting a fair postal rate for magazines at the present schedule.

## STEVENS CLAIM PAYMENT URGED BY SENATOR KEAN.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The heirs of Durham White Stevens, for many years well known in diplomatic circles, and some time ago assassinated by a Korean fanatic, may eventually obtain a small claim for salary, which he tried in vain to collect for thirty years.

A bill to this end has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Kean, of New Jersey. It provides for payment to the Stevens heirs of $1,983.66. This sum was due Stevens for serving as charge d'affairs at Tokio from October 25, 1878, to May 21, 1879.

## HAD HER HUSBAND ARRESTED.

Roselle Park, Jan. 22.—When arraigned before Justice of the Peace Noah Woodruff, Thursday night on a charge of non-support, William Munz, of Westfield avenue, said that he left his wife, who made the charge against him, because his place as the head of the family had been taken by a boarder, Joseph Matto. Munz said that he asked his wife why she did not send the children to Sunday-school and that she replied "none of your business." He also accused his wife of failing to provide a lunch for him and with locking him out when he attempted to return home after leaving home.

At the hearing Munz offered to live with his wife and support her, but she refused to take him back and left the courtroom in anger. It was decided that Munz support and provide for his children until Monday, when he is to report again to the court.


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When the agent called again a six foot man opened the door and blandly remarked:

"You're the sewing machine man, I suppose?"

"Yes; I called last week, and"—

"Yes, I know," interrupted the big man. "You don't know me, I suppose. My name's Bury of Bury & Keepem, undertakers, and I intend to prove to you that it is madness to defer purchasing one of our unequaled coffins."

The agent began to edge away.

"You may plead that you are scarcely qualified for a coffin," the big man went on. "I will remove that objection in ten seconds."

But the agent simply tore from the house.—London Tit-Bits.

## WHAT TO DO.

### Hints on First Aid to Everybody on All Occasions.

When a man rushes into your office hurriedly and says:

"By jingo, Dawson, I hate to speak of it, but I need $500 like the very old dickens today!"

Answer.—"What a singular coincidence, Binks! I do too!"

When the lovely young maiden at the seaside to whom you have been paying court all summer shakes her head violently and says:

"No, Mr. Blithers; I cannot imagine any circumstances under which I could be induced to marry you."

Answer.—"Thanks, Miss Jones. This is a great relief. I was afraid you had misconstrued my attentions and, of course, desired to live up to my implied obligations."

When you run face to face with your tailor upon the street and he turns a cold, beady eye upon you and says:

"Excuse me, Mr. Bump, but what have you to say about my little bill?"

Answer.—"I don't think I have met your little Bill, Mr. Snipperton. Indeed, I didn't know you had any children at all."

While he is recovering from this jump into a taxi and proceed to break the speed laws.—Carlyle Smith in Harper's Weekly.

### Relative Strength of Arms.

As a result of some very interesting experiments made at Washington with a view to determine the relative strength of right and left limbs it has been ascertained that over 50 per cent of the men examined had the right arm stronger than the left, 16.40 per cent had the arms of equal length and strength, and 32.70 per cent had the left arm stronger than the right. Of women 40.90 per cent had the right arm stronger than the left, and 24.50 per cent had the left stronger than the right. In order to arrive at the average length of limbs fifty skeletons were measured, twenty-five of each sex. Of these twenty-three had the right arm and left leg longer, six the left arm and right leg, while in seventeen cases all the members were more or less equal in length.—Exchange.

### Disadvantages of Poverty.

"We're goin' to move again in a month or two," said the little girl on the back porch. "We move into a new house every year."

"We don't," said the little girl in the adjoining yard. "My papa owns this house."

"And you don't never move into any other one?"

"No."

"My, my! It must be awful to be as poor as that!"—Chicago Tribune.

### A Reliable Plan.

"Whenever I don't like a man very well," remarked the cynical person, "I give him a tip on the races. I don't care how much it loses for him."

"But suppose it wins."

"Then he's unhappy because he didn't bet more."

"And if he doesn't bet at all?"

"I keep on giving tips until one does win, and then he feels as if he had missed the chance of his life."—Washington Star.

### A Rialto View.

"Do you think a little Shakespeare would go as a vaudeville act?" inquired Hamlett Fatt.

"Why not?" responded Yorick Hafham. "Everybody feels that he has got to stand for it if it comes along. No man is going to admit that Shakespeare is over his head."—Washington Herald.

### His Little Joke.

Percy—I—aw—wrestled foh an hour with me scarf this morning. Algernon—Which won the victory, deah boy, you or the scarf? Percy—Neither. Cawn't you see the match wesulted in a tie? Haw, haw!—Chicago News.

# THE GUEST OF QUESNAY

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"I think," said Mme. Brossard—"I think one would call her Spanish, but she is very fat, not young, and with a great deal too much rouge."

She stopped with an audible intake of breath, staring at my friend's white face.

"M. Saffren and I leave at once," exclaimed Keredec. "I shall meet him on the road. He will not return to the inn. We go to—to Trouville. See that no one knows that we have gone until tomorrow, if possible. I shall leave fees for the servants with you. Go now, prepare your bill and bring it to me at once. I shall write you where to send our trunks. Quick! And you, my friend," he turned to me—"my friend, will you help us? For we need it!"

"Anything in the world!"

"Go to Pere Baudry. Have him put the least tired of his three horses to his lightest cart and wait in the road beyond the cottage. Stand in the road yourself while that is being done. Oliver will come that way. Detain him. I will join you there."

I strode to the door and out to the gallery. I was halfway down the steps before I saw that Oliver Saffren was already in the courtyard, coming toward me from the archway with a light and buoyant step.

He looked up, waving his hat to me, his face lighted with a happiness most remarkable and brighter even than the strong midsummer sunshine flaming over him. Dressed in white as he was and with the air of victory he wore, he might have been at that moment a

*She screamed that he was killing her.*

figure from some marble triumph, youthful, conquering, crowned with the laurel.

But entering from the road, upon the trail of Saffren and still in the shadow of the archway, I was startled to see the discordant fineries and hatchet face of the ex-pedestrian and tourist, my antagonist of the forest.

I had opened my mouth to call a warning.

"Hurry" was the word I would have said, but it stopped at "hur." The second syllable was never uttered.

There came a violent outcry, raucous and shrill as the wail of a captured hen, and out of the passage across the courtyard floundered a woman fantastically dressed in green and gold.

She was abundantly fat, double chinned, coarse, greasy, smeared with blue pencilings, carmine, enamel and rouge.

At the scream Saffren turned. She made straight at him, crying wildly:

"Enfin! Mon mari, mon mari—c'est moi! C'est ta femme, mon caeur!"

She threw herself upon him, her arms about his neck, with a tropical ferocity that was a very paroxysm of triumph.

"Embrasse moi, Larrabi! Embrasse moi!" she cried.

Horrified, outraged, his eyes blazing, he flung her off with a violence surpassing her own and with loathing unspeakable. She screamed that he was killing her, calling him "husband," and tried to fasten herself upon him again. But he leaped backward beyond the reach of her clutching hands and, turning, plunged to the steps and staggered up them, the woman following.

From above me leaned the stricken face of Keredec. He caught Saffren under the arm and half lifted him to the gallery, while she strove to hold him by the knees.

"O God!" gasped Saffren. "Is this the woman?"

The giant swung him across the gallery and into the open door with one great sweep of the arm, strode in after him and closed and bolted the door. The woman fell in a heap at the foot of the steps, uttering a cracked simulation of the cry of a broken heart.

"Name of a name of God!" she wailed. "After all these years! And my husband strikes me!"

Then it was that what had been in my mind as a monstrous suspicion became a certainty, for I recognized the woman. She was Mariana—la bella Mariana la Mursiana.

If I had ever known Larrabee Harman; if, instead of the two strange glimpses I had caught of him, I had been familiar with his gesture, walk, intonation; even perhaps if I had ever heard his voice, the truth might have come to me long ago.

Larrabee Harman!

"Oliver Saffren" was Larrabee Harman!

## CHAPTER XI.

IF it were possible I would not speak of the agony of which I was a witness that night in the apartment of my friends at Mme. Brossard's. I went with reluctance, but there was no choice. Keredec had sent for me.

Keredec had told his tragic ward too little. The latter had understood but vaguely the nature of the catastrophe which overhung his return to France, and now that it was indeed concrete and definite the guardian was forced into fuller disclosures, every word making the anguish of the listener more intolerable. To him it seemed that he was being forced to suffer for the sins of another man.

"Do you think that you can make me believe I did this," he cried—"that I made life unbearable for her, drove her from me and took this hideous, painted old woman in her place? It's a lie! You can't make me believe such a monstrous lie as that! You can't! You can't!"

He threw himself violently upon the couch, face downward, shuddering from head to foot.

"My poor boy, it is the truth," said Keredec, kneeling beside him and putting a great arm across his shoulders. "It is what a thousand men are doing this night. Nothing is more common or more unexplainable—or more simple. Of all the nations it is the same, wherever life has become artificial and the poor foolish young men have too much money and nothing to do. You do not understand it, but our friend here, and I, we understand because we remember what we have been seeing all our lives. You say it is not you who did such crazy, horrible things, and you are right. When this poor woman who is so painted and greasy first caught you, when you began to give your money and your time and your life to her, when she got you into this horrible marriage with her, you were blind—you went staggering in a bad dream. Your soul hid away, far down inside you, with its hands over its face. If it could have once stood straight, if the eyes of your body could have once been clean for it to look through, if you could have once been as you are today or as you were when you were a little child, you would have cry out with horror both of her and of yourself, as you do now, and you would have run away from her and from everything you had put in your life. But in your suffering you must rejoice. The triumph is that your mind hates that old life as greatly as your soul hates it. You are as good as if you had never been the wild fellow—yes, the wicked fellow—that you were. For a man who shakes off his sin is clean. He stands as pure as if he had never sinned."

The desperate young man on the couch answered only with the sobbing of a broken hearted child.

I came back to my pavilion after midnight, but I did not sleep, though I lay upon my bed until dawn. Then I went for a long, hard walk, breakfasted at Dives and begged a ride back to Mme. Brossard's in a peasant's cart which was going that way.

I found George Ward waiting for me on the little veranda of the pavilion, looking handsomer and more prosperously distinguished and distinguishedly prosperous and generally well conditioned than ever, as I told him.

"I have some news for you," he said after the hearty greeting—"an announcement, in fact. Elizabeth's going to marry Cresson Ingle."

"That is the news—the announcement—you spoke of?"

"Yes, that is it."

To save my life I could not have told at that moment what else I had expected or feared that he might say, but I certainly took a deep breath of relief. "I am very glad," I said. "It should be a happy alliance."

"On the whole, I think it will be," he returned thoughtfully. "Ingle's done his share of hard living, and I once had a notion"—he glanced smilingly at me—"well, I dare say you know my notion. But it is a good match for Elizabeth and not without advantages on many counts. You see, it's time I married, myself. She feels that very strongly, and I think her decision to accept Ingle is partly due to her wish to make all clear for a new mistress of my household."

He laughed again, but I did not, and, noting my silence, he turned upon me a more scrutinizing look than he had yet given me and said:

"You look quite haggard. You haven't been ill?"

"No; I've had a bad night. That's all."

"Oh, I heard something of a riotous scene taking place over here," he said. "One of the gardeners was talking about it to Elizabeth."

"What was it you heard?" I asked quickly.

"He said that there was great excitement at Mme. Brossard's because a strange woman had turned up and claimed an insane young man for her husband."

"Damnation!" I started from my chair. "Did Mrs. Harman hear this story?"

"Not last night, I'm certain. But what difference could it possibly make whether she heard it or not? She doesn't know these people surely?"

"She knows the man."

"This insane"—

"He is not insane," I interrupted. "He has lost the memory of his earlier life—lost it through an accident. You and I saw the accident."

"That's impossible," said George, frowning. "I never saw but one accident that you"—

"That was the one. The man is Larrabee Harman."

George had struck a match to light a cigar, but the operation remained incomplete. He dropped the match upon the floor and set his foot upon it. "Well, tell me about it," he said.

"You haven't heard anything about him since the accident?"

"Only that he did eventually recover and was taken away from the hospital. I heard that his mind was impaired. Does Louise"—he began, stopped and cleared his throat. "Has Mrs. Harman heard that he is here?"

"Yes; she has seen him."

"Do you mean the scoundrel has been bothering her? Elizabeth didn't tell me of this."

"Your sister doesn't know," I said. "I think you ought to understand the whole case."

"Go ahead," he bade me.

"He's not at all what you think," I said. "There's an enormous difference, almost impossible to explain to you, but something you'd understand at once if you saw him."

"What is the change?" asked Ward, and his voice showed that he was greatly disquieted. "What is he like?"

"As well as I can tell you, he's like an odd but very engaging boy, with something pathetic about him; quite splendidly handsome"—

"Oh, he had good looks to spare when I first knew him," George said bitterly.

"No. When he came here he did not know of her existence except in the vaguest way. But, to go back to that, I'd better tell you first that the woman we saw with him one day on the boulevard and who was in the accident with him"—

"La Mursiana, the dancer; I know."

"She had got him to go through a marriage with her."

"What?" Ward's eyes flashed as he shouted the word.

"It seems inexplicable; but, as I understand it, he was never quite sober at that time. He had begun to use drugs and was often in a half stupefied condition. As a matter of fact, the woman did what she pleased with him. There's no doubt about the validity of the marriage."

George asked suddenly, "Did this marriage take place in France?"

"Yes; you'd better hear me through," I remonstrated. "When he was taken from the hospital he was placed in charge of a Professor Keredec, a madman of whom you've probably heard."

"Madman? Why, no; he's a member of the institute, a psychologist or metaphysician, isn't he? At any rate, of considerable celebrity."

"Nevertheless," I insisted grimly, "as misty a vaporer as I ever saw; a poetic, self contradicting and inconsistent orator. Harman's aunt put him in Keredec's charge, and he was taken up into the Tyrol and virtually hidden for two years, the idea being literally to give him something like an education. Keredec's phrase is, 'restore mind to his soul.' It was as vital to get him out of his horrible wife's clutches. But she picked up that rat in the garden out yonder—he'd been some sort of stable manager for Harman once—and set him on the track."

"She wants money, of course."

"Yes; more money. A fair allowance has always been sent to her. Keredec has interviewed her notary, and she wants a settlement, naming a sum actually larger than the whole estate amounts to. She refuses to budge until this impossible settlement is made. In the meantime Keredec's ward is in so dreadful a state of horror and grief I am afraid it is possible that his mind may really give way."

"When was it that Louise saw him?"

"Ah, that," I said, "is where Keredec has been a poet and a dreamer indeed. It was his plan that they should meet."

"You mean he brought this wreck of Harman, these husks and shreds of a man, down here for Louise to see?" Ward cried incredulously. "Oh, monstrous!"

"There is something behind all this that you don't know," he said slowly. "When did Keredec make you his confidant?"

"Last night. Most of what I learned was as much a revelation to his victim as it was to me. Harman did not know till then that the lady he had been meeting has been his wife or that he had ever seen her before he came here. He had mistaken her name, and she did not enlighten him."

"Meeting?" said Ward harshly.

"They have been meeting every day, George."

"I won't believe it."

"It's true. He spoke to her in the woods one day; I was there and saw it. I know now that she knew him at once, and she ran away, but not in anger. They've been together every day since then, and I'm afraid—miserably afraid, Ward—that her old feeling for him has been revived."

I have heard Ward use an oath only two or three times in my life, and this was one of them.

"Oh, by ——!" he cried, starting to his feet. "I should like to meet Professor Keredec."

"I am at your service, my dear sir," said a deep voice from the veranda. And, opening the door, the professor walked into the room.

## CHAPTER XII.

I SAID cavalierly: "This is Mr. Ward, Professor Keredec. He is Mrs. Harman's cousin and close friend. We were speaking of your reasons for bringing Mr. Harman to this place. Frankly, we were questioning your motives."

"My motives? I have wished to restore to two young people the paradise which they had lost."

Ward uttered an exclamation none the less violent because it was half suppressed.

"We should be glad of an explanation," he said, resting his arms on my table and leaning across it toward Keredec.

"It is simple," began the professor. "I learned my poor boy's history well from those who could tell me, from his papers—yes, and from the bundles of old time letters which were given me. From all these I learned what a beautiful soul was that lady who loved him so much that she ran away from her home for his sake. Helas! He was already the slave of what was bad and foolish; he had gone too far from himself, was overlaid with the habit of evil, and she could not save him then. The spirit was dying in him, although it was there, and it was good"—

Ward's acrid laughter rang out in the room.

"The inconceivable selfishness, the devilish brutality of it!" Ward's face was scarlet. "You didn't care how you sacrificed her"—

"Sacrificed!" The professor suddenly released the huge volume of his voice. "Sacrificed!" he thundered. "If I could give him back to her as he is now it would be restoring to her all that she had loved in him, the real self of him! It would be the greatest gift in her life."

"Then, my dear Keredec," I answered, "either you are really insane or I am! You knew that this poor, unfortunate devil of a Harman was tied to that hyenic prowler yonder who means to fatten on him and will never release him; you knew that. Then why did you bring him down here to fall in love with a woman he can never have?"

"My dear fellow," interposed George quickly, "you underrate Professor Keredec's shrewdness. He knows that my cousin Louise never obtained a divorce from her husband."

"What?" I said, amazed.

"I say Mrs. Harman never obtained a divorce."

"I saw notices of it at the time," I gasped.

"No. What you saw was that she had made an application for divorce. Her family got her that far and then she revolted. The suit was dropped."

"It is true, indeed," said Keredec. "The poor boy was on the other side of the world, and he thought it was granted."

I turned upon him sharply. "You knew it?"

"It is a year that I have known it."

"Do you not understand?" George interposed, "that what Professor Keredec risked for his 'poor boy' in returning to France was a trial on the charge of bigamy?"

The professor recoiled from the definite brutality.

"I conceive it very likely to happen," said George, "unless you get him out of the country before the lady now installed here as his wife discovers the truth."

"But she must not!" Keredec lifted both hands toward Ward appealingly. They trembled. "She cannot! There is nothing that could make her suspect it!"

"One particular thing would be my telling her," said Ward quietly.

"Never!" cried the professor. "You would not do that!"

"I will, unless you get him out of the country, and quickly."

"George!" I exclaimed, coming forward between them. "This won't do at all! You can't!"—

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A dress drill by Company M. preceded the dance. It was the first public appearance of the company in the new drill hall. After the reception Colonel Dungan entertained at dinner the members of the Military Board and the Board of Chosen Freeholders of Somerset county.

Captain Albert E. Case and his company received their guests in the large drill room, which was used for a receiving hall and also for the dancing. This was lighted with four big electric lights. The committee having charge the reception for the company comprised Lieutentnt Joseph V. Woodruff, Sergeant John D. Brandt and Corporal Frank L. Brokaw.

### TWO CONFERENCES ARE CALLED MY MAYOR FISK.

There are certain important questions to come before the Common Council which must be taken up at an early date, according to Mayor Fisk, who has sent out invitations to about one hundred of the largest taxpayers to meet him in conference on Wednesday night to discuss these questions.

The Mayor has promised to make the session a lively one. If it should be decided that it is for the best interest of the city to undertake these matters, which are not divulged at present, it will involve the expenditure of considerable money.

Mr. Fisk says he has also arranged for another conference to be held on Friday night, at the Council room also, of the representatives of the various public and private medical and charitable relief agencies of the city, to consider plans for co-operation, with a view to securing the maximum of general efficiency at the minimum of expense.

### LADIES' AUXILIARY, TRINITY COMMANDERY, ELECTION.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Trinity Commandery, No. 17, K. T., held a postponed meeting yesterday afternoon in Masonic Hall, when these officers were elected for the coming year:

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## MILITIA ON ARMY BASIS; DICK LAW IS IN EFFECT

The famous "Dick law," which nationalizes, so to speak, the militia organizations of the various States by placing them upon the same footing as the regular army and making them a National military organization subsidiary to the regular army in case of war, went into effect today. This law, framed by United States Senator General Charles iDck, of Ohio, was originally passed by Congress in 1903 and was intended to become operative at once. It was readily seen, however, that the States could not change their systems so soon, and that much time would be needed for the reorganization. Then it was decided that the law should go into effect in 1908, but when the five years had elapsed it was found that even then several of the States, among them Pennsylvania and Delaware, were not quite ready for the change and the time was once more extended to January 21, 1910.

The law provides that the militia shall consist of every able-bodied male citizen of the respective States and territories and the District of Columbia, a nd every able-bodied male of foreign birth who has declared his intention to become a citizen, who is more than 18 and less than 45 years of age, and shall be divided into two classes, the organized militia and the reserve militia. The regularly enlisted, organized, and uniformed active militia in the several States and territories and the District of Columbia who have heretofore participated or shall hereafter participate in the apportionment of the annual appropriation, shall constitute the organized militia and shall, from now on, have the same organization, armament and discipline as that which is now or may hereafter be prescribed for the regular army of the United States, subject in time of peace to such general exceptions as may be authorized by the Secretary of War.

### HE OWNS DONKEY, DIDN'T KNOW IT.

Supervising Principal Arthur L. Johnson, of the Cranford schools, is the proud owner of a donkey. The animal was presented to him last summer while he was touring Ireland in the interests of industrial education.

Principal Johnson forgot that he owned the donkey until yesterday, when he received a letter from his foreign friend telling him that the donkey is still in Ireland awaiting his orders. Principal Johnson is considering whether or not to have the donkey brought to his home at Cranford.

Assessor Swackhamer has threatened to assess the donkey dog tax when it arrives.

### First Grand Ball.

The first grand ball of the Plainfield Typographical Union, No. 399, will be held in Saengerbund Hall, Friday night, January 28. The music will be furnished by Suhr's Imperial orchestra. The proceeds will go toward entertaining the typographical union convention here in the spring. The committee in charge compromises C. W. Francisco, M. A. Nichols and F. C. Putnam.

## MELTING SNOW SWELLS THE BROOK STREAMS

Residents along the line of Greenbrook from Feltville to Dunellen are making preparations for a freshet which is bound to occur in the next few days. Owners of the Feltville mill yesterday took steps toward protection from damage from a possible overflow by cutting the ice in huge cakes and forcing it over the dam.

The moderated weather, accompanied by the rain of yesterday, had a tendency to wipe out the snow in this city and borough, but the mountain streams are expected to create considerable trouble within the next few days if the temperature remains as it has been for the last two days.

Pedestrians in this city experienced a lot of difficult in reaching their homes last night between the icy surface and submerged sidewalks and few escaped getting to their domiciles without getting wet feet.

The streams in Washington Valley, which are fed from the mountain rivulets are swollen, and the residents along Stony Brook are fearful of the results of the melting of the snow. Greenbrook, in this city, so far has displayed no tendency to overflow its banks, but considerable apprehension is felt among those who live in properties on the stream.

All danger of a flood or unusual high water at Bound Brook is now past and the residents of that place are greatly relieved. About 11:45 o'clock last night the immense quantity of ice stored up in the river near the town began to move slowly, and by an early hour this morning it was pretty well cleaned out.

With the gradual removal of the ice the water receded to its natural course and prevented the unexpected overflow into the town streets. Yesterday afternoon the situation was so grave that it was feared that dynamiting would have to be resorted to so that the ice could be started. Watchers were appointed to stay up last night to watch the conditions. When the ice began to move at 11:45 there was general rejoicing and the news spread rapidly throughout the town.

## BOYCOTT BUTCHERS THROUGH THE COUNTRY

These are the States in which the boycott against meat because of the high prices is rapidly spreading: Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Iowa, Maryland, Delaware, Connecticut, Michigan, Massachusetts, Nebraska, Kansas, Missouri, Wisconsin.

Labor unions are taking the lead in most of the large cities in declaring a meat boycott.

In St. Louis forty-two doctors have advised workmen that it will be generally beneficial to refrain from eating meat for a time. In Connecticut workmen have included butter and eggs in the boycott pending reductions in prices. In Cleveland, where the boycott began, the first result has been obtained, dealers reducing the price of pork two cents a pound. New York has joined in the crusade.

Asbury Park is to join the boycott on high food prices. With a view to having the New Jersey Legislature pass resolutions calling upon the people to abstain from eating meat for a period of sixty days, resolutions are to be introduced in many of the lodges of the city urging the members to stop eating meat for sixty days and urging Senator Oliver H. Brown, of Spring Lake, to begin the crusade in the Senate.

The first of the resolutions was adopted last night by Asbury Council, Jr. O. U. A. M. Other organizations will soon follow suit, it is said.

### SECOND CABINET SESSION IS HELD BY THE MAYOR.

The question of defining the banks of Green brook in the city was the principal topic for consideration at the meeting of Mayor Fisk and his cabinet at the weekly conference held yesterday afternoon. Certain improvements are desired, but until the exact lines are defined nothing can be done. The Mayor has tried to ascertain the facts, but has failed. It is understood that the property owners along the brook own to the middle of the stream, but just where the banks are located according to the law cannot be determined at this time.

The matter has been referred to Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh with a request for an opinion as to what to do and how to proceed. For sometime there has been a desire to make improvements along the brook in the city and borough. The Freeholders have disclaimed jurisdiction and the city and borough authorities have likewise shirked the responsibility not knowing their powers. Now it is hoped that definite information may be secured.

### Gave a Sleighing Party.

Miss Sarah Cutting, of Arlington avenue, gave a sleighing party to about twenty of her friends Thursday night. They went to Milburn, where they had supper, returning home at a late hour.

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## DUNELLEN FIREMEN TURN OUT IN NEW UNIFORMS

Dunellen's volunteer firemen had a gala time in their new uniforms last night despite the inclement weather. In November the department placed an order for uniforms, the first in the history in the department, and last night was the date set for the "coming out" occasion. Arrangements had been made to make it a big affair and invitations were extended to all nearby firemen to participate in the festivities, but owing to the storm only a few representatives from out of town companies were present.

The rain kept Mayor W. A. Sanford at home, but nearly all of the living ex-Mayors and councilman of the borough were present. There was plenty doing in the line of speechmaking and one of the best addresses of the evening was made by former Mayor Harry Swackhammer. Mr. Swackhammer took the opportunity to congratulate the progress of the company and its efficient service rendered to the borough since its organization.

Chief C. M. Wyhuskey also gave an interesting talk in which he advocated the purchase and installation of a water pressure meter, with a daily dial, and telephone connections. The suggestion of Chief Wyhuskey was instigated by the conditions of water supply prevailing at the fire at the Hall Printing Press Works last Saturday, when the firemen were handicapped by a low pressure of water. Chief Wyhuskey's suggestion was favorably received and the company will ask the Council at its next meeting to purchase a water pressure meter.

Several members of the company also made speeches of a reminescent nature. Following the oratorical fireworks the firemen and their guests enjoyed a repast which was enjoyed by all. The committee in charge of the celebration consisted of Harry Shugar, Charles H. Dodwell, William Brokaw and Charles E. Vail.

## EVERETT PECK WEDS MISS CORNELIA KAHLE

Miss Cornelia Kahle, daughter of Mrs. Marcell Kahle, of West New Brighton, S. I., and Everett Peck, son of Mr. and Mrs. James C. Peck, of Myrtle avenue, were married at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at St. Luke's Episcopal church, New Brighton, only the relatives and few intimate friends being present. Rev. Dr. Frost, rector of the church, officiated. A reception followed at the home of the bride's mother.

This morning the couple left for Bermuda, where they will spend their honeymoon. Upon their return they will reside here. Mr. Peck is a patent lawyer with offices in New York city.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Hughes Fawcett will preach the gospel in the hall, 209 East Front street tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. All are invited.

An informal vesper service will be held at the Y. W. C. A. tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, when C. H. Robertson, who has been in China for several years, will speak.

The members of the Sunday-school class at Hope chapel taught by G. Stuart Simons, are requested to be at the chapel tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of having a picture taken.

Rev. Dr. Forest E. Dager, of Temple College, Philadelphia, will teach the Sunday-school lesson in the lecture of the First Baptist church, Tuesday night at 8 o'clock Strangers will be welcome.

"Samantha and Her Village Choir" will be at Vincent chapel, Tuesday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Societ yof the First M. E. church. Mrs. Robert Davelle Gillson, impersonator and reader, will have charge.

### Boom in Local Real Estate.

The Home Real Estate Company yesterday purchased the residential property at Watchung avenue and East Second street, owned by Mrs. Mary Stevens; also the Baker estate on East Second street, nearly opposite fire headquarters. This boom in real estate in that vicinity is due to the announcement made in The Daily Press yesterday that the Government had purchased property on Watchung avenue for the new Federal building.

### Dr. Francis L. Patton to Preach.

Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, president of Princeton Theological Seminary, will preach at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church, tomorrow morning and night.

Two big games are carded at the Y. M. C. A. tonight. Red Bank will play the first team and the Loeser Brothers team, of Elizabeth, will be the opponents of the second team.

—Under the auspices of the local Scandinavian Society a dance will be held in Coward's Hall, Thursday night, January 27.

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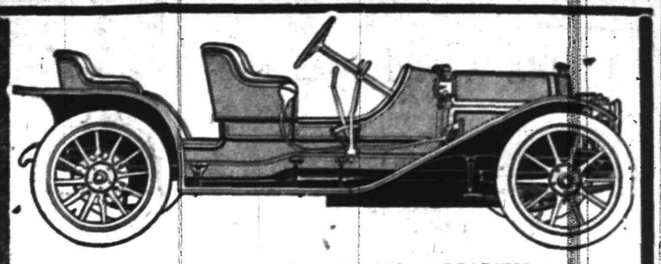

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## BRIDGE WHIST TABOOED

### But Mrs. Mary Wilkins Book Has Nothing to do With Reform.

ALL METUCHEN IS STIRRED.

*Social Calendar Erased — Players Are "Conscious Stricken"— Hubby Will Save Money By the New Edict.*

No more will there be bridge whist parties in Metuchen. No more will husbands be asked to draw checks for incidentals several times a week, and no more will women borrow small sums from one another. Bridge whist has been tabooed. In fact, it has been wiped off the social calendar as completely as if the game never existed.

Just what brought about this radical change, and whist, bridge whist, of course, used to be so popular, none of the women will state. They are emphatic, however, in denouncing as untrue that the book of Mrs. Mary Wilkins Freeman, who is a resident of Metuchen, has anything to do with their determination not to play bridge. Mrs. Freeman's book is "The Winning Lady," a satire on women who play bridge for prizes. She declares, it is stated by society women, that the book does not refer to the Metuchen women who play the game. It just generalizes bridge whist players, of course, so the club women say.

When the advance notices of Mrs. Freeman's book appeared several months ago, Metuchen was interested in learning that the chief story concerned a suburban bridge whist club in whichone woman went to desperate ends to win a cut glass punch bowl. Conscience stricken by her success, she went several days later to the hostess of the club and told her that there was something wrong about the prize. The hostess flushed up, Mrs. Freeman narrates, and finally confessed that the prize was not cut glass, but only the ordinary kind, cheap at $2.98. Both were culprits and the social felony was compounded no one being the wiser.

Neighboring places asked if Mrs. Freeman could be referring to Metuchen, and when the book was published copies were eagerly sought. To Metuchen's satisfaction it was found there were no local types and that the scene of action might have been in Plainfield, Scotch Plains, New Brunswick, or any of the places adjacent to Metuchen. The story might even have taken place in New England, where Mrs. Freeman resided when she was known only as Mary E. Wilkins, before she married Dr. Freeman, of Metuchen. That closed the incident, except for the disappointment expressed by some persons who thought that Mrs. Freeman would some day "show up" New Jersey scenes and characters.

Ever since Mrs. Freeman moved to New Jersey it has been expected that she would picture New Jersey types, but each volume has been impersonal and eager and minute searching of her writings has not revealed one jot of what Henry Mills Alden, also a resident of Metuchen's literary colony, has termed "focussed local color." Miss Carolyn Wells, who is another resident of the section, has stated that she has found no indication of it, either.

### ELSIE JANIS TONIGHT.

Elsie Janis, the dainty little comedienne, who won all the favor critics had to bestow when she appeared here last in "The Hoyden," is coming to the Plainfield theatre tonight in "The Fair Co-Ed." This youngest of American stars has achieved the most brilliant career of any girl of her age before the public. Only twenty years old, Miss Janis has attained a position in her profession both as regards artistic prominence, and financial emolument, which is seldom reached by any actress before she is well along in the thirties. Of course, little Miss Janis' marvelous talent for impersonatoins gave her a good start toward almost any kind of a dramatic career she might essay to adopt.

### Miss Borrup Surprised.

Miss Carrie Borrup was tendered a surprise party Saturday night at her home on Central street. The affair, which was arranged by her sister, Miss Helen Borrup, was a most successful one, Miss Borrup finding about thirty of her friends present to greet her upon her return from a trip downtown. She was equal to the occasion, however, and after the first shock was over was ready to welcome all and played the part of hostess to perfection. Games and music were the features of the evening's pleasures, after which refreshments were served.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## HE ASKS ASSISTANCE FOR HEAVENLY REST

Prior to the preaching service at Grace church yesterday morning, the rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, made an urgent appeal to his parishioners to assist the Church of the Heavenly Rest. He said that he had always felt that Grace church should be well represented in the western end of the city and in view of the excellent work being done there, he knew that his people would respond to his appeal.

Mr. Stevenson said that the total yearly receipts at the church in question last year were $1,200 from which amount the rector has to be paid. This he said was not sufficient in an expensive city like this. Then there is a possibility of $200 being cut off from the receipts this year, which he hoped would be met by his parishioners.

## STATE LABOR MEN FIRE FIRST GUN IN BEEF WAR

Union men of New Jersey joined the ranks of their Western brethren in protest against the rise in prices of meat, butter and eggs yesterday when the executive board of the New Jersey State Federation of Labor, representing 100,000 workmen, adopted resolutions calling upon organized labor in the State to use any practical plan to better present conditions.

The solution of the problem was left entirely to the various labor associations which comprise the federation yesterday, no definite method was outlined, but the Meat Trust was roundly scored as "an unrelenting union hater," and denounced as the principal factor in the present general suffering. Although no plan was outlined, it was made clear in the resolutions that the federation would approve of any practical plan of relieving consumers of the exactions now forced from them by the food trusts of the country.

## APPEALS FOR HELP FOR ITS CHAPELS

The Session of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church at the services yesterday, distributed a statement of the financial condition as regards the support given to Hope, Warren and Bethel chapels during the past five years, in order that the members might know how much has been actually appropriated by the church for the chapels and the amounts contributed by the chapels toward their own support. The figures given below are for last year:

Contributed by Bethel chapel, $576.26; contributed by Crescent Avenue church, $1,120.07; contributed by Hope chapel, $2,519.29; contributed by Crescent Avenue church, $2,035.04; contributed by Warren chapel, $2,933.29; contributed by Crescent Avenue church, $2,120.99.

The total amount contributed in 1905 by the chapels, $4,234.26; by the Crescent Avenue church, $5,561.69; 1909, contributed by chapels, $6,028.84; by Crescent Avenue church, $5,276.10, making a grand total of $11,304.94.

The statement says that there is a continued deficiency in the chapel fund, extending over a period of years, which now aggregate about $2,500. An opportunity is given all members of the church and the chapels to subscribe toward this fund that the deficiency may be met and liquidated.

### Mike Heffernan in Bad.

Michael Heffernan was arrested at the Plainfield depot on Saturday night for drunkenness. Heffernan resisted stoutly to being arrested and it took the combined efforts of Patrolmen Saffron and Anderson to land him in the lockup. This morning in court Judge Runyon gave Heffernan the choice of paying a twenty dollar fine or spending forty days in the county jail. Heffernan was arrested on a similar charge last October by Patrolman McDonald when sentence was suspended.

### Negro Held for Theft.

Charged with the theft of forty dollars from the trousers of Frank J. Lynn, of the Iroquois Hotel, Thomas Johnson, colored, was arrested at his home in the rear of French's Mills on Saturday night by Detective Sergeant John Flynn. In court this morning Johnson was remanded for a further hearing tomorrow morning. Lynn charges that Johnson took the money early Saturday morning when the former returned to the hotel after closing up his pool room on West Front street.

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## CANON MACNAB'S SERMON

### Canadian Clergyman Preaches at Grace Episcopal Church.

THE REAL CONQUERER CHRIST.

*The Saviour Won the World—One Who Is Friend of the World Is an Enemy of Christ.*

Rev. Alexander Macnab, resident canon of St. Alban's Cathedral, Toronto, Canada, preached at Grace church yesterday instead of the rector, Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson. Canon Macnab was closely associated with the late Archbishop of Ontario, Dr. Sweatman, who died a year ago.

Canon Macnab took for the theme of his discourse the words, "Be of Good Cheer, I Have Overcome the World." He pictured Christ as the conqueror of the world, although so far as known he never had a sword in His hand. He referred to many so-called conquerors, including Napoleon Bonaparte, who sighed because there were no more worlds to conqueror, but with Christ the regimentals were supplanted by the Cross, and under the standard of the Cross, Christ conquered the world.

The preacher said that some people felt as though the world had overcome Christ, but this he said was not so. There were dark days when a person needs all the help and strength possible, and it is then that a Christian not boastfully, but hopefully should look to Christ to overcome the evil one. He said that many were familiar with the saying that every man has his price, but of course, they did not believe it. The world often praises men who have never been on their knees in prayer. The smiles of the world are dangerous. One who is a friend of the world is an enemy of God.

In conclusion the preacher urged his hearers to let their light shine, and to walk humbly before God at all times, unmindful of the charms of the world which only tend to lead one astray.

### FRED IVAMY'S NEPHEW IS DEAD IN LONDON.

Fred Ivamy, of West Second street, has received information concerning the death in London, England, of his nephew, Harvey Greenaway, one of the best known sporting writers in London. He died about ten days ago at Guy's Hospital from inflamation of the brain.

Mr. Greenaway was for many ears the principal cricket reporter for the Exchange Telegraph Company, of London, and was not only a painstaking and accurate reporter, but his skill in telegraphy enabled him to transmit with great celerity over the Exchange Company wire a lengthy description, often reaching 3,000 words, of the particular event which engaged his attention. He was in the habit of carrying an autograph book with him during the summer months. This belonged to his little daughter, and the book was filled with signatures and comments of many well-known journalists and players. Mr. Greenaway was ill for three days.

### Will Return to Burma.

Professor and Mrs. Wallace St. John, who have spent the winter in New York, were the guests over Sunday at the home of George H. Batchelor, of West Seventh street. Mr. St. John, who has finished his course in philosophy at Columbia University, will return February 5 with Mrs. St. John to Rangoon, Burma, where he is professor in the Baptist college. Mrs. St. John was Miss Julia Shinn, for seven years a successful teacher in the Kemendine Girls' School, Burma, and later secretary of the Home Department of the Woman's Baptist Foreign Missionary Board at Boston.

### Son Long Ill, She Ends Life.

Mrs. Elizabeth Becker, forty years old, drowned herself in Staten Island Sound, at the foot of Bay street, Kreischerville, S. I., yesterday morning. She arose early, saying she was going down stairs to get some medicine, but instead left the house, walked to the sound and leaped in. Her body was recovered. She had become despondent over the protracted illness of her son Frederick, nineteen years old, and frequently said she would kill herself if he did not recover.

### Somerville Boy in Custody.

Frank Conder, twenty years old, of Somerville, was found at the depot at 5:30 o'clock this morning acting in a strange manner. Conder is being held at local police headquarters to await the arrival of his parents.

### Rasores Club Meeting.

The Rasores Club will meet tomorrow morning with Mrs. Leander N. Lovell, of Crescent avenue. The subject will be Thomas Bailey Aldrich.

## STATE Y.M.H.A. BANQUET

### Samuel Rothberg is Installed as Presieent of Prominent Association

JUDGE NEWCORN PRESIDES.

*Many Speeches Are Made at Banquet Which Follows at the Business Session Held at Hotel Navarre in Newark.*

The banquet and installation of the Young Men's Hebrew Association of New Jersey, was held at the Hotel Navarre, Newark, last night. Samuel Rothberg, of this city, is the president-elect, and among the speakers was Judge William Newcorn, of this city. There were about seventy-five guests.

Judge Newcorn was in charge of the installation in the absence of Rabbi Solomon Foster, of Newark, who was detained in Bayonne. A. S. Kanengeiser was the toastmaster, and there were speeches by the newly-elected officers.

J. L. Stricker, of Perth Amboy, spoke on "The Advantages of the Y. M. H. A.; Albert Leon, of Perth Amboy, on "Reminiscenses of the Y. M H. A. Twenty-five years ago;" former Assemblyman Myron Ernst, of Jersey City; Judge Newcorn, "The Y. M. H. A. from a Professional View;" Miss Sadie Kaufman, president of the Y. W. H. A., of Newark, also spoke, and Samuel Rothberg, the State president, made a few remarks on "The Prospects of the Y. M. H. A." There were also remarks by Meyer Friedman, of Perth Amboy, first deputy State president; Louis Levy, of Newark, State recording secretary, on "The Educational Value of the Y. M. H. A., and Herman Levine, of Jersey City, State financial secretary, on "Athletics."

## IMPORTANT MEETING ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT

It is expected that there will be a hearty response to Mayor Fisk's public invitation for the larger taxpayers to meet him at the Common Council chamber on Wednesday night when there will be "something doing." The municipality's executive has several important matters to lay before the people at that time. Each of these will involve a large expenditure of money and consequently before anything is done he desires to feel the public pulse. Free expression of opinion is what the mayor desires and he will be guided, he says, entirely by that opinion. As the accommodations at the Councilmanic chamber are somewhat limited, his honor has sent out but one hundred invitations and these are to the largest taxpayers. But it should be understood, he states, that anyone is cordially welcome and will be given an opportunity to speak.

There is some mystery as yet as to what the important matters really are. It is known, however, that among them will be the proposition to abandon the present sewage disposal plant and to build one outside of the city's limits which will answer the needs now and for a long time in the future. Whether the question of public ownership of the water supply will be brought up at that time is not known. The commission's report has never been formally approved by the Common Council and it is still debatable whether the people should either buy the private concern's plant or build one.

From the Mayor's friends, it was learned today, that there is a far more important matter to be presented to the taxpayers at that time. The Mayor himself will not talk about the subject. "Come around on Wednesday night and you'll get a good story," is the way he dismissed the matter when talking with a reporter.

This will be the first of several such meetings to be called by Mr. Fisk, according to his own statement "I will go ahead with nothing that means expense to the people, unless I find that they first approve of it," he declared.

### Miss Nellie Kline.

Miss Nellie Kline, aged 24 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge Kline, of 303 East Fourth street, died on Saturday after a long illness. The funeral will be held from the late home tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

### Local Exhibit in Chicago.

The Motor Parts Company, of this city, will be among the exhibitors at the Chicago automobile show which will open at the Coliseum and First Regiment Armory on February 5.

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## WILLIAM F. HALL DEAD

### Former Assemblyman Passes Away at Cranford Yesterday.

ONCE A BIG POLITICIAN.

*Member of Legislature in 1902—Prominent in Home Town—Aged Forty-three Years.*

After an illness of several weeks, former Assemblyman William F. Hall died at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home at Cranford. His death was due to a complication of diseases. Arrangements for the funeral have not yet been made.

Mr. Hall was one of the most prominent politicians in Union county. He was a member of the Union County Republican Committee, and was a member of the county executive committee. In addition he was a member of the executive committee of Cranford, a position which he had held for many years. Mr. Hall was elected a member of the Assembly from Union in 1902. At that time he was chairman of the Cranford committee, but resigned because he would be compelled to spend some of his time in Trenton. He retained, however, his membership in the city committee.

Former Assemblyman Wm. F. Hall.

Former Assemblyman Hall was born in New York 43 years ago. He went to Cranford about twelve years ago, and immediately took an active interest in politics. He organized the Cranford Golf Club, which is now one of the most influential golf clubs in this section of the State. He was a member of the Cranford Casino and of the Elizabeth Lodge of Elks. Before coming to Cranford he was a member of the New York Athletic Club, and for three years held the title of championship boxer of the organization.

After being graduated from the public schools he entered the wholesale dry goods business. In a few years he became an expert in cotton goods. In addition to being an expert salesman he was also a well-versed seller. He rose rapidly, and several years ago formed the Metropolitan Dry Goods Company, with Samuel McShack, who died three years ago. He then formed a partnership with Emanuel Carago'. The latter died a year ago, and the firm was made a corporation, with Mr. Hall one of the heads.

Although he had been suffering for several months, it was not until two or three weeks ago that he was forced to give up his business. He was a son of John E. Hall, of New York. He leaves a widow and four children. Gladys, William F., Jr., Jeanette and Charles. He also leaves a brother, George Hall, a Philadelphia newspaper man, and a sister, Countess Edholm, of Sweden.

### Services at Hope chapel.

Rev. L. R. Howard occupied his pulpit at Hope chapel yesterday morning, returning on Saturday from Atlanta, Ga., where he conducted evangelistic services at Atlanta University. Mr. Howard spoke briefly of his visit in the south. The evening service was in charge of G. R. Munroe, secretary of the Anti-Saloon League. Miss Bertha A. Jones was the organist at both services, in the absence of Mrs. L. R. Howard, who played at Warren chapel for Mrs. McKelvey.

### Office of Secretary Vacant.

Harry Wierenga has resigned from the secretaryship of the Alcove Social Club. The club will elect a successor at its next meeting. It is understood that there are three candidates for the position, William Mahoney, Henry Forristel and Chas. Curran.

### Gave Birthday Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Jr., of West Fifth street, entertained a number of Plainfield friends at a dinner given in New York yesterday. The event was given in honor of Mr. Blimm's birthday.

## MRS. CATHERINE ZELLER, AGED EIGHTY-NINE, DEAD

Mrs. Catharine Zeller died at her home on Center street, Dunellen, on Saturday, aged eighty-nine years. Mrs. Zeller was a native of Germany and had been a resident of Plainfield and vicinity for about forty years and was well known here. Five years ago she removed to Dunellen where she lived with a son, Theodore Zeller. Five other children survive her, Mrs. Josephine Burns, a daughter, of Brooklyn; and four other sons, John A., of this city; George, of Brooklyn, Joseph, of New York, and Frank, of Chicago.

The funeral services will be conducted tomorrow. A service will be held at her late home at 9:15 o'clock and a requiem mass will be celebrated at St. John's church by the recor, Rev. Edward Dunphy, at 10 o'clock. Interment will be made at St. Mary's cemetery in this city.

## PRESBYTERIANS HEAR THE REV. F. L. PATTON

A large congregation greeted the Rev. Dr. Francis L. Patton, president of Princeton Seminary, who occupied the pulpit at the Crescent Avenue church yesterday morning. Dr. Patton preached a powerful sermon, the text of his discourse being "Pressing forward to the mark of the high calling of Christ Jesus our Lord."

Dr. Patton dwelt at length on the life of St. Paul, after the apostle's conversion. He urged his hearers to do as St. Paul did, to forget their sins and forthcomings, and press forward to the high mark. In trying to emulate this example, Dr. Patton declared, it would offer encouragement to others in their efforts to lead Christian lives.

The course that St. Paul pursued, Dr. Patton declared, had resulted in the winning of thousands of souls over to the Master's cause. This grand work could be repeated in this age if the Christians would follow St. Paul's example.

## C. W. M'CUTCHEN TO PRESIDE AT MEETING

Charles W. McCutchen, who is known for his activities in local and outside religious enterprises, will preside at the men's massmeeting in the First M. E. church next Friday night. Mr. McCutchen for several years past has been identified in Y. M. C. A., First Baptist and Holy Cross and other circles, and was one of the local laymen who participated in the recent greater New York convention of the Laymen's Missionary movement, and is actively interested in the national campaign of which the meeting in this city is a part.

An attractive musical program is being arranged for the service one of the leading features of which will be singing by a quartet consisting of Mssrs. Smith and McDonald, of the First Baptist church choir, and Messrs. Tallamy and Osmun, of the First M. E. choir. J. Edmund Skiff will preside at the organ.

### HOPE CHAPEL JUNIORS DEFEAT THE FAIRVIEWS.

The Hope chapel juniors defeated the Fairview A. C. in an exciting basketball contest on Saturday night by the score of 27 to 26. At the end of the first half the score stood 14 to 10 in favor of the Fairviews, but in the final round, the Hope chapelites forced matters and finally squeezed over the line a winner with one point to the good. The lineup:

Hope chapel—T. Heron, J. Heron, forwards; G. Leighs, centre; G. Snyder, L. Brown, guards. Fairview A. C.—J. McName, J. Buckle, forwards; Zerega, centre; Holstein, Molten, Goldsmith, guards.

### Mr. and Mrs. Hendry to Entertain.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hendry, of 925 West Fourth street, will give a social tomorrow night at their home, to which all the adult members of the chapel and Sunday school are urged to attend. Fitting recognition will be made of the anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns, which occurs tomorrow.

### Equal Suffrage League to Meet.

The Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield and North Plainfield will meet with Mrs. A. C. Nickerson, of Kensington avenue, this afternoon. Mrs. Isaac L. Miller will read a paper on "The Rights and Obligations of Citizenship."

### Received Their 1910 Chalmers Cars.

Wilbur Rogers, of West Seventh street, and W. F. Austin, of Netherwood, have just received their 1910 Chalmers-Detroit cars. ***

## SCORES TRUST BARONS

### Clergyman Says That Awakening of Social Righteousness is Sorely Needed.

MEN SELL THEIR CONSCIENCES.

*Do as Corporations What They Would Scorn as Individuals—Result is High Cost of Living.*

Having in mind the fabulously high cost of living, Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, delivered a special sermon last night on the rule of the trust barons, who monopolize the necessities of life and bring distress to the poor of the land. He did not specifically mention the beef trust, but from the tenor of his remarks it is evident that he had been prompted by its conduct to speak to his people as he did.

The clergyman said in part:

"Thy kingdom come, Thy will be done in earth as it is done in heaven." You recognize this as part of the Lord's Prayer. You use it as your prayer and you teach it to your children. But think of all you pray for when you utter these words. The kingdom of God is the rule of God, in our heart and in society. The rule of God is not fully realized in the world as yet, but you pray that you may more and more recognize God as King. The purpose of the Gospel is not only to bring men to heaven but to bring heaven down to earth. In the Lord's Prayer, we pray that heavenly principles may govern our social, business and political life as well as our individual life.

Much of the business of the world, today, is in what Emerson called the "quadruped state." For the same principles which govern the lower animals when seeking for a living govern men in their business. There are men who "in private life are model citizens but who will do as members of a corporation what they would scorn to do as individuals; because they have sold out their conscience to a combine. We have had great religious awakenings in the past. We have hopes that the next great awakening will be as Josiah Strong says it will be, the awakening to social righteousness.

We are living in strange times. The cost of the necessaries of life are becoming fabulously high. Many reasons have been given for the present increased cost of living. Some have said that it is due to the increased supply of gold. Others have found a reason in our extravagance. Another thinks that he has found a reason in the tariff, etc. I wonder if much of it cannot be traced to the insatiable greed of men. Our protective laws are too frequently in the interests of the few, and opposed to the rights of the many. We have a tariff on wool that deprives the people of an adequate supply of clothing; for our winter clothing has deteriorated 33 1-3 per cent. in weight, and this is not due entirely to the increase in the price of the raw material.

It is possible today for great combines to get possession of the necessaries of life and store them for long periods until they can get their prices for them, thus extorting undue profits from the people. "It is by reason of modern warehousing facilities that corner in food stuffs is possible with the resulting exaggerated scale of prices such as is now in effect."

What is the radical solution of the difficulty?

Let me answer in the words of the great economic expert, Mr. Carroll D. Wright.

"After many years of investigation into the social, moral and industrial condition of the people, I came to the conclusion that in the adoption of the religion of Jesus Christ, as a practical creed for the conduct of business, there was to be found the surest solution of the difficulties that excite the minds of men and which lead many to think social, industrial and political revolution is at hand. I am still of the same opinion."

### Men's Club Banquet.

The Men's Club of the First Presbyterian church will hold a banquet Monday night, February 21, at which time the speaker will be Rev. Dr. F. C. Iglehart, who is the head of the Anti-Saloon League in New York. His son, F. C. Iglehart, who was a member of the church choir for some time, will be the soloist at the evening.

—Thursday evening, this week, concert of old familiar songs. High School auditorium. Tickets $1.00, at Armstrong's. **1 24 2

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LAST WEEK OF THE

# Great January Clearance Sale.

This last week of the most successful Clearance Sale we have ever held will be devoted to clean up broken lots, remnants, odds and ends from various departments which we find have accumulated during the three weeks of this Clearance Sale. And it will prove the most interesting, important and profitable to the purchaser, because we will not inventory them. They must be closed out this week, no matter what the cost to us.

## In the Lots That Must Be Closed Out the Following Are Conspicuous

Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Linens, Domestics, White Goods, Linings, Embroideries, Laces, Ginghams, Ladies' Waists.

**ODD SIZES** in Corsets, Sweaters, Boys' Tam Caps, Wool Shawls, Outing Flannel Gowns, Corset Covers and Drawer Combinations, White Muslin Underwear.

**BROKEN SIZES** in Men's Underwear, Boys' and Men's Sweaters, Boys' Blouses, Gloves, and odd lot of Men's Ties.

**ALSO BROKEN LOTS** of Ladies' Neckwear, Gloves, Hand Bags, Hair Brushes, Mirrors, Scissors, Hair Rolls.

**SHORT LENGTHS** of Cretonne, Silkaline, Curtain Swiss and Matting, several lots of Chinaware.

**MILLINERY**—We have a few lots of fine Trimmed Hats that you can buy at less than cost of material.

**ODD LOTS** of Ladies' Kimonas, Dressing Jackets, Wrappers, House Dresses, etc.

## In the Suit and Coat Dept. Cost Price is Not Considered

Every vestage of the present season's stock must be disposed of to make room for our spring stock.

If you fail to avail yourself of this most exceptional sale you will miss a bargain event that will not come your way again for some time.

## It's a Half Price Sale

of high class Tailored Suits and Coats for ladies and misses, magnificently tailored, made of the finest and best materials, in this season's most artistic styles. Here are a few of the cut prices:

$20.00 Ladies' Tailored Suits for.....$10.00
$25.00 fine Tailored Suits for.....$12.50
$30.00 superior Tailored Suits for.....$15.00
$35.00 High Grade Suits for.....$17.50

## Ladies' Black and Colored Coats

$10.00 Coats, plain and mixtures, for.....$5.00
$15.00 Covert and Black Coats for.....$7.50
$19.00 High Class Coats for.....$9.98
$30.00 Super Grade Coats for.....$15.00

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When this sale ends, January 1910 will go down in the history of this store as a record-breaker. We mean to keep up the buying and selling enthusiasm until the last moment. The spirit of progress is back of this January Sale. It's splendid to be actively and serviceably aggressive. It oils the machinery of human or store life, circulates human or mercantile blood, substitutes activity for inactivity, energy for enervation, expression for suppression, and so on. And so with a thorough knowledge of the worth of progress, and with a more thorough esteem for our custom than ever before, we'll replenish all along the line, so that there shall be no dearth of bargains any day throughout the week.

**IF YOU WRITE BY POSTAL CARD TODAY WE WILL MAIL TO YOU THE NEW 1910 PURSE OR VEST POCKET CALENDAR.**

This is a very unique little calendar and stamp case combined. It contains a great deal of information concerning the religious holidays; also other useful information, such as foreign and domestic postal stamp rates; foreign and domestic postal money-order rates; identification card; symbols of the moon's phases, etc.

These calendars are gotten up in very nice manner, having a beautiful floral design celluloid cover.

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### SOMERVILLE.

James O'Hara, of Bound Brook, sang three selections yesterday afternoon at the Bible fellowship class of men in the Second Reformed church. J. Bromler Voorhees, of New York, delivered the lecture in the absence of the pastor, Rev. A. A. Pfansteihl.

Miss Blanche Van Fleet, of West End avenue, is taking professional courses in classical, national and folk dancing at a school of dancing in New York.

Miss Beatrice Saffoul, of West Cliff street, who has been spending a month in Massachusetts, returned to her home on Thursday.

The Grand View Sunday-school will hold a competitive sociable at the home of A. E. Miller on the evening of January 26.

The West End Hose Company has started rehearsals for their play, which will be given shortly after Christmas.

Newton C. Porter, of New York, spent yesterday with his sisters, the Misses Porter, in West Cliff street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, of Middaugh street, have taken up their residence in Jersey City.

### RARITAN.

John Burns, Jr., has secured a position with the Hall Press Works at Dunellen, and commenced his duties today.

Miss Bernadette Barry, of Trenton, is visiting at the home of Miss Marion Enright, on Somerset street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reger attended the reception at the new armory in Somerville Friday evening.

A large boiler is being installed in the D. R. Kenyon & Son shops.

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### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. George Fedock was buried yesterday at St. Stephen's church in Perth Amboy.

The local branch of the John Sobieski Society held a successful dance Saturday night in Washington hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Reilley, of Newark, visited relatives here yesterday.

Michael Kaine, of New York, is spending a short time with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Teeple are entertaining out of town friends.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The funeral of Mrs. William E. Davis, sixty-eight years old, will be held in the Reformed church at Lebanon this afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Lucas Boeve, the pastor, will conduct the services, assisted by Rev. William H. DeHart, pastor of the Third Reformed church in Raritan, and Rev. B. V. D. Wyckoff, of the Reformed church at Readington. Mrs. Davis was the wife of Rev. William E. Davis, pastor of the Reformed church at Marlboro, and with her husband was located at South Branch for four years and at Lebanon for twenty-two years. She died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sanford R. Ramsey, in New Market, Thursday. While on a visit there she fell and fractured one of her ribs. A complication of troubles resulted which ended in her death. Besides her husband she leaves three children, Mrs. Leander T. Stryker, of Lebanon; Mrs. Ramsey, of Dunellen, and William E. Davis, Jr., of Long Branch.

Mrs. William P. Dunn, aged 73, died Friday morning at her home at Stelton, where she and her husband had lived for close to fifty years. An attack of grip hastened the estimable old lady's end, for she had been in fairly good health. Mrs. Dunn was the mother of the two Dunn brothers who were killed at the Stelton crossing a few years ago. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Herbert Runyon, of New Durham, and Mrs. E. C. Potter, of Metuchen, wife of the Manager of the American Press. The funeral will take place from the home this afternoon, Rev. Dr. W. T. Dorward being in charge of the service. Interment will be in the Presbyterian cemetery, Metuchen.

H. C. Krebs, superintendent of the North Plainfield public school, will address teachers of the local schools tomorrow afternoon.

The New Market fire department at its next meeting will make arrangements to conduct a dance before the Lenten season.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hawkins had a party of friends and relatives of New Brunswick as their guests yesterday.

Constable Robert L. Reeve, who has been laid up with rheumatism for several weeks, is on the mend.

Mrs. James Wotton, of Plainfield, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Frank Reynolds, for a few days.

Miss Ethel Garretson entertained friends from out of town over Sunday.

Miss Iva Dayton was in New York on Saturday afternoon.

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The fight over the election of Charles Meyer as chief of the fire department did not help toward creating a good feeling among the members of the two fire companies as the B. & E. Co. members feel sore over Excelsior Company contesting his election.

A number from here and Plainfield tendered a surprise masquerade party Saturday night, to Miss Charlie Clark, of Union avenue. Music, games and dancing were enjoyed.

The fourth of the series of winter dances being held by the Bachelors' Club, will be held in the hall Tuesday night, February 1. Admission will be held strictly to invitation.

Not a gutter was opened in town after the heavy snow storm last week. The result was the sidewalks were running rivers during the rain storm Friday night.

A number from here attended a surprise party tendered to Miss Carrie Borrup Saturday night, at her home on Central street, Netherwood.

Mrs. Franklin K. Mathews led an interesting weekly meeting of the B. Y. P. U. held last night in the parlors of the Baptist church.

The weekly meeting of the Epworth League was held last night in the class room of the Methodist church.

Miss Lillian Frazee, of Newark, is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Hull, of Westfield avenue.

Albert Meyer, of Front street, was the guest of friends in Newark yesterday.

### CHIEF JUSTICE WILL SIT IN THE SNEAD CASE.

While no formal announcement has been made, it was learned Saturday morning that Chief Justice Gummere will preside at the trial of the three Wardlaw sisters, indicted for the alleged murder of Orey W. M. Snead, the East Orange bathtub victim. A date for the commencement of the trial will be set as soon as the defendants plead to the charges made against them.

When the pleas of the women will be entered will be determined after Prosecutor Mott, of Essex county, has conferred with Franklin W. Fort, counsel for Miss Virginia O. Wardlaw, one of the defendants, and Chandler W. Riker, who will appear in the case for Mrs. Caroline B. Martin, another of the prisoners. Counsel to defend Mrs. Mary W. Snead, the other sister, has not yet been selected.

Chief Justice Gummere agreed to appear at the trial after the importance of the case had been explained to him by both Mr. Mott and Mr. Fort.

Mr. Riker's entrance into the case as counsel for Mrs. Martin is a matter of recent occurrence. Since her arrest in New York, Mrs. Martin has had several lawyers representing her, all of them New Yorkers, but has acted on Mr. Fort's advice that a Newarker be retained to look after her interests. It is probable that Mr. Riker will also join with Mr. Fort in taking care of Mrs. Snead's defense, although this has not been decided as yet.

### THEIF ROBS OFFICIAL.

**Enters Home and Escapes with Many Valuables.**

New Brunswick, Jan. 24.—While the family of William H. Van Sickle, a local tax assessor, were all out Saturday evening a thief gained an entrance into the house and ransacked three bedrooms, securing two $10 gold pieces, a gold watch, several stickpins and rings, including jewelry belonging to Walter D. Van Sickle, a local lawyer and former court clerk. When Mr. Van Sickle returned to his home at 11 o'clock all of the windows and doors were securely locked.

The police believe that the thief entered the front door with a skeleton key.

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New attractions each day. As previous lots dwindle or disappear new items are brought forward and given bargain emphasis through the medium of cut prices. See the racks of Ready-to-Wear Garments—marked down to lower price levels.

**6c BLEACHED TOWELING CRASH FOR 4c.**
20 pieces full Bleached Twill Toweling Crash, 17 in. wide; 6c value; on sale, yard .... .4

**12c STAIR OILCLOTH AT 7c.**
16 and 18 inch Stair Oilcloth; regular 10c and 12c value, at, yard .... .7

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM AT YARD 25c.**
The regular 39c Genuine Heatherbloom, in a big variety of colors (except black), on sale at, yard .... .25

**18c TAFFETA RIBBONS AT 11c.**
No. 60 and 80 all silk Taffeta Ribbons, good range of colors and black; regular 15c and 18c, on sale, yard .... .11

65c Cotton Diapery at 49c—Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Diapery, 18 inch, 65c value, at, piece .... .49

Corticelli Spool Silk, black only; 100 yard spools; on sale at .... .7

5c Toilet Paper, 3c—Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8 oz. rolls; regular 5c quality, sale .... .3

5c Milward's Needles; 3c—Milward's best needles, all sizes, regular 5c, on sale at, paper .... .3

Mercerized White Batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide; a regular 29c quality; on sale at, yard .... .15

7c Best Calicos at 5c—The American Printing Co.'s best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value, sale, yard .... .5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard .... .14

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, sale .... .59

54-in. Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard .... .29

6c Figured Challies at 4c—40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c value, at, yard .... .4

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale .... .39

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value, sale, pair .... .10

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS at $1.49.**
25 Black Heatherbloom Petticoats, made with full deep flounce, label on every petticoat, on sale .... $1.49

**CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES, AGES 6 TO 14.**
The balance of our stock of Girls' Wash Dresses, ages 6 to 14, grouped in two lots to clear out before the new ones arrive.

Lot 1—Wash Dresses, sold up to $1.69, at .... .85

Lot 2—Wash Dresses, sold up to $2.98, at .... $1.39

**WOMEN'S SILK RUBBERIZED COATS, $10.00 and $12.00 Values, at $7.85.**
Here is the way we cut the price during the January clearance. We offer about 25 Women's fine Silk Rubberized Coats, with satin stripes and some plain, all in the newest style; regular $10.00 and $12.50, on sale at .... $7.85

$3.50 Skirts at $1.98—Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts, made in neat dark grey mixed Panamas, good $3.50 value, at .... $1.98

**WOMEN'S TAILOR SUITS AT THIS CLEARANCE SALE.**
Women's all-wool Cheviot and Broadcloth Suits, good workmanship; sold at $16.50; sale .... $10.85
(Broken sizes only.)

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10.00; clearance price .... $6.98

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at .... $11.15

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale .... .95

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at .39

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## Prices Thruout the Stock Reduced 10, 33⅓ & 50 Per Cent.

This great January Furniture Sale, which is about to enter upon its last week, has saved to the people of New Jersey many thousands of dollars, and will save thousands more this last and always big week of the sale. Those who have procrastinated or who have deferred buying for any reason, must act this week if they wish to buy furniture most economically.

Everything on this great furniture floor is reduced not less than 10 per cent.; many things may be had for one-third less than usual, and some of the prices are cut in two—it all depends upon how anxious we are to sell the furniture this month—and the best part of it for you is that the things most heavily reduced are just as likely to be exactly what you want as those reduced the least.

If we happen to have an odd chair or a chiffonier, a bed, a dining room table or a parlor suite that we do not expect to duplicate and of which we have only the sample left, we are likely to cut the price deeply to be sure of selling it before inventory, for we have not room for these odd pieces, especially for the discontinued patterns, tho they are just as useful to you as anything in the house.

We invite your particular attention to the magnificent display of Mahogany, Dining Room Furniture which we are making, all of which is cut in price thruout this month. We invite your attention, also, to the great display of Bed Room Furniture, which is now being offered at the lowest prices of the year—suites and single pieces in mahogany, walnut, oak and white enamel, reduced not less than ten per cent. and many metal bedsteads reduced 25 per cent.

If you would like to take advantage of the special prices now ruling do not hesitate because of lack of cash, for our Club Plan makes it easy for you to pay even a big furniture bill.

# Mission Furniture

## TO THE FORE

Mission Furniture is so distinctly American in its origin as to make it more or less a patriotic duty for every American to give it a place in his home or office or both.

What were practically the first manual training schools in the country produced the first of our Mission Furniture. These schools were the missions established every forty miles or so along the California coast by Junipero Serra, who wrought a miracle when he took savage Indians and made artisans of them—and they produced the originals of the types of Mission Furniture now so popular. It is more than a century since the founder of these missions ended his task, and, naturally, there have been many changes, modifications and improvements in the style and construction of mission pieces, but the basic principles of the original—simplicity and sturdiness—characterize the Mission Furniture of today.

The collection of Mission and Arts and Crafts Furniture from which we invite you to choose at prices reduced not less than 10 per cent. this month, is not surpassed by any store anywhere. There is practically everything here that might be wished for—pieces for dens, sitting-rooms, living rooms, dining-rooms, bedrooms, halls, offices—and all are fairly priced.

**Tables, Rockers, Arm Chairs, Hall Chairs, Dining Room Chairs, Settees, Taborets, Foot Stools, Desk Chairs, Morris Reclining Chairs, Hall Clocks, Dinner Gongs, Magazine Racks, Hall Racks, Bookcases, Desks, Hanging Hat Racks, Sideboards, Extension Tables, China Closets, Smokers' Tables, Umbrella Stands, Chiffoniers, Dressers, Writing Desks, Lamps, Cellarettes, Office Desks, Office Chairs, Costumers.**

**We control exclusively in Newark and suburbs the celebrated product of Stickley Bros. Co., of Grand Rapids, Mich.**

**TABLES.**
Constructed of nicely figured oak; fumed finished of nut brown shade; size of top 26x40; drawer full length of the table; Stickley Brothers' make. Regular price $15.00; January Sale Price .... $11

**ROCKERS.**
Built of solid oak and finished in Early English and Golden. The design is on straight lines, has flat, comfortable arms, set-in panel on back; upright slats in back, box frame seat; strongly constructed; the seat is upholstered in dark green genuine leather and is removable. Regular price $5.50. January Sale Price .... $4.25

**MISSION TABLES.**
Made of oak in fumed finish; octagon shape top; size 26x26; has square shelf underneath; the Celebrated Stickley make and first-class in every respect; regular price $6.00; January Sale Price .... $5.00

**ROCKERS.**
Has slat back and flat arms; and is equipped with loose Spanish Morocco leather cushion; regular price $10.50; January Sale Price .... $7.50

**MORRIS CHAIRS.**
Mission style, built of oak, in Early English Finish; with straight flat arms and a back that can be adjusted to many comfort-giving positions.

**Cushions** are made of plain green and red velour, also fancy figures and wale stripe; edges finished; round corners, nicely tufted; regular price $12. Special for January Sale $9.00

**BOOK CASES THAT GROW.**
**Danner Sectional, Colonial Style.**

Here are Sectional Book Cases of the famous **Danner** manufacture in the rich Colonial designs in keeping with modern furnishings for libraries or offices, so constructed as to make it easy to clean underneath, with no place for dust to accumulate.

All parts of these book cases are solid, beautiful quartered oak, richly polished. They are plain, square and massive in effect, 33 inches wide, 60 inches high, with adjustable shelves that can be made any desired length; have convenient sliding doors. These cases can be made up in any desired combination, with or without drawer base, high or dwarf size; also with desk sections.

We have the **exclusive sale** in Newark and vicinity for the **Danner Book Cases.**

**BOOK CASES.**

Golden Oak or Early English, leg base, **$20.25.**

Golden Oak or Early English, with drawer base, **$24.25.**

Mahogany, with leg base, **$28.50.**

Mahogany, with drawer base, **$32.00.**

Many other styles or designs to choose from at prices ranging from $6.75 and upwards.

If bought this month **you can save 10 per cent.**

## Hahne & Co. Broad, New & Halsey Sts., Newark, N. J.


## PERSONAL.

Miss Agnes DeCamp, of Franklin avenue, is improving from an attack of rheumatism.

John Van Pelt, of Millstone, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned home.

Miss Nellie Vermeule, of Jackson avenue, is ill at home with an attack of scarlet fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. Daudt, of Somerset street, have removed to New York city.

Herbert L. Templin, of Keyport, is the guest of Mrs. Hattie L. Demler, of Grove street.

Miss Ella Brown, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Charles Morris, of Jersey City, has returned home after a visit of several days with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bennett, of Watchung, are parents of a girl born to them a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, of Flemington, who have been visiting here, have returned home.

Miss Ruth VanVliet, of the borough, is visiting friends in Washington for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. George T. Hughes, of Watchung, who has been detained at home by illness, is improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dorflinger, of Bayonne, who have been visiting relatives here, have returned.

Mrs. Peter Runyon, of Flemington, has been visiting her brother, William E. Runyon, of Somerset street.

James E. Church, of Somerset street, who has been detained at home with rheumatism, has recovered.

Mrs. William L. Murray, of the borough, who has been spending a few weeks in New York, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Kulp, of Monticello, N. Y., are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Voehl, of Grove street.

Letter-carrier Harry C. Carr, of Somerset place, who has been detained at home with rheumatism, is able to be out again.

Miss Edna Runyon, of Flemington, who has been visiting her cousin, Miss Clara B. Runyon, of Somerset street, has returned home.

Frank Herrman, of East Third street, who fell several days ago on the icy sidewalk and broke his leg, is improving slowly at Muhlenberg Hospital.

Miss Jessamine Burd, contralto at the First Presbyterian church, is detained at home with quinsey sore throat, and Mrs. S. H. Tugwell took her place at the services yesterday.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. J. W. Musson, of Temple Baptist church, is spending a week in Washington.

The regular business meeting of the First Baptist church will be held Wednesday night.

The Men's Club of Warren chapel will give a dinner in the near future, and there will be interesting speeches.

Prof. Mitchell, of Columbia University, will deliver an illustrated lecture on "Astronomy," at the First Presbyterian church, Friday night February 11.

The Men's Bible Conference class of the First Baptist church will hold interesting exercises Thursday night consisting of a program of music, speeches and refreshments.

Rev. Edwin Shaw, of the Seventh Day Baptist church, preached at the Mary E. Wilson Memorial chapel, Watchung, yesterday morning. H. C. Krebs made an address there last night.

Services preparatory to the laymen's missionary meeting to be held at the First M. E. church, Friday night, will be held at the First Presbyterian church, Wednesday night. W. D. Murray will speak.

The Young Women's Missionary Band, of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Robert W. Barnes, 22 Mountain avenue, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Robin C. Brown will be the devotional leader and Miss May S. Shreve will read a paper on "Labrador."

## VICTOR'S BAND.

**Will Play for Five Weeks at Hahne & Co.'s Store.**

Those who go to Newark often will be delighted to know of the return of Victor's Royal Venetian Band to Hahne & Co.'s this week. This band has been playing engagements annually at the big Broad street store to the great pleasure of thousands. This year's band is fresh from a tour which covered the Southern States, the Middle West and West as far as Kansas City, embracing many of the larger cities, and is better equipped than ever before to render the productions of the masters pleasingly and effectively.

Signor Calefaty Victor will direct the band, as usual. In addition to the usual instrumentation there will be, this year, a saxophone quartet and a set of chime bells, both of which are used for solo purposes.

During the engagement, which will last about five weeks, there will be vocal, violin and piano solos to vary the program. Seats are free, and hundreds can be accommodated at each concert.

## Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132 134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath, also double and single rooms table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

FURNISHED rooms with improvements, for light housekeeping. 445 Orchard place. 12 24 tf

BOARD—Furnished rooms with or without board; two minutes from station; telephone; reasonable. Cruickshank, 215 Church St. 1 21 3

TO LET—Furnished rooms in private family. For particulars address East Fifth Street, care Daily Press. 1 19 3 eod

DESIRABLE rooms to let with board 21 Sandford avenue. 9 8 tf

FURNISHED rooms, high and airy, in nice neighborhood near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates, money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—Yearling bull for sale; first-class registered stock. Address Yearling, care Press. 1 22 3

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms, apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

HORSE for sale; bargain; young, sound. 1020 Arlington Ave. 1 21 4

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately; commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Last Thursday, small water spaniel pup. Please notify 614 East Sixth street. 1 2 2

LOST—White bull terrier, color all white. Return or inform owner, O. T. Waring, 900 Park Ave. 1 20 tf

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

THE ACKROYD Gas Radiator will heat your dining-room in ten minutes these cold mornings. Demonstration at Woodhull & Martin Co 1 10 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

PAINTING and paperhanging. 1910 wallpapers; liberal discount. Francis Bartels, Watchung, N. J. 1 18 7

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

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# JANUARY O'COAT SALE

**Our Annual Sale Starts Off on Monday—**

for Bargains in Ocoats and Ulsters. We reserve nothing. Prices are in reach of everyone's purse. We have those with the Presto collars, also military collars, in fact, all styles and up-to-date models. See our window display for styles and prices.

# Werner's Clothing House

## 206 West Front Street



## THE PLAINFIELD SILK STORE COMPANY

Why go to New York for SILKS, when you can get them in your own Town at New York prices? If we have not what you want in stock, we will gladly get it for you.

We have an exclusive line of Japanese drawn work, including scarfs, centre pieces, lunch cloths and all size doilies and handkerchiefs.

Raymond Germain, Manager.

**155 EAST FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.**


## APPROVE A METHOD OF SHARING FIREMEN'S FUND.

Passaic, Jan. 24.—An act providing for a division of the insurance company's contributions to the firemen's benevolent fund on the basis of forty per cent. to the volunteers, and twenty per cent. to the firemen's home was approved by the meeting of exempt and volunteer firemen's associations of the Sixth Congressional District. The meeting was held here Friday night in the municipal building.

The State law provides that on all premiums for insurance written by foreign insurance companies in the State, a percentage shall be paid to the firemen's benevolent fund. In the beginning, when all the firemen of the State were volunteers, the control of the fund by the volunteers was accepted as a matter of course. With the growth of paid departments and the decrease of volunteer organizations there has been constant strife over the control of the principal and additions to the fund.

David B. Martin, of West Third street, is detained at home by illness.

Alexander Milne, of Willow avenue, is spending several weeks in Florida.

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### Jan. 24 In American History.

1733—Benjamin Lincoln, Revolutionary general who received the sword of Cornwallis at Yorktown, born; died 1810.

1820—Henry James Raymond, distinguished journalist, founder of the New York Times, born; died 1869.

1870—The United States warship Oneida run down off Yokohama by the British merchant steamer Bombay; 20 officers and 150 of the crew lost.

1898—United States battleship Maine ordered on her memorable mission to Havana.

1907—General Russell A. Alger, United States senator from Michigan, prominent Federal general and former secretary of war, died; born 1836.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:04, rises 7:12; moon sets 8:04 a. m.; 6:42 a. m., eastern time, full moon; 5:24 a. m., moon at greatest libration west.

Plainfield, N. J., January 24, 1910.

## THE FORUM.

### POSTOFFICE SITE.

Editor, The Daily Press:

When New Brunswick obtained its postoffice from the United States government the most expensive, sightly and central corner lot was obtained for its site, that they could find, viz., at the south corner of Albany and George streets; when Elizabeth obtained her postoffice, the best that city could offer was deemed none too good, and the corner on Broad street occupied by the First National bank and the Woolworth store was taken, and a four story stone block was torn down to make room for it; Newark and Trenton both have their postoffices on their main business streets, where they can do the most good to the most people.

Why is not Plainfield entitled to the same consideration? Our postoffice should be placed at the corner of Somerset and West Front streets, where it will be central to all of our business interests and to North Plainfield.

The expense of obtaining such a corner should not enter into the question at all. What is good enough for New Brunswick and Elizabeth should be held also necessary and proper for Plainfield.

This building is not to be erected for a day. It will stand perhaps for a century.

I ask on behalf of at least nine-tenths of our citizens and business men, fair treatment in this matter.

The present lot at East Second street and Watchung avenue, now purchased by the Government, should be sold again as soon as possible, and a proper site obtained either by purchase or condemnation.

If we are to have a postoffice it should be placed where it will benefit the city at large and not a small section.

WM. M. STILLMAN.

### THIS AUTO A WONDER.

**Runs Equally as Well on Water as on Land.**

Atlantic City, Jan. 24.—Captain George Bartlett, a retired skipper of Pleasantville, has invented a combination auto boat and automobile, which he claims, will run on either land or water. The vehicle is built like a boat, but mounted on wheels which are armed with paddles when the craft is launched overboard.

The inventor is now working on a plan to add further attachments which will make his odd vehicle into a flying machine.


Headquarters for
**Gibson's**
RYE.
E. C. Westcott, Agent.
115 East Front Street.



# Woodhull & Martin Co

Plainfield's Largest and Best Store.

## The Last Week of the Great
# JANUARY WHITE SALE.

**Don't Miss this Great Money-Saving Opportunity**

This Sale represents the biggest and best bargains we've ever offered in strictly high-class, well-made Underwear. It will more than pay you to anticipate your wants and buy now

**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 50c
Lot 1—Night Gowns, Drawers, Short Skirts and Corset Covers. Sale Price **29c**

**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 75c
Lot 2—Corset Covers, Night Gowns, Long and Short Skirts, Drawers and Combination Suits. Sale Price - - - **49c**

**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 1.25
Lot 3—Combination Suits, Long and Short Skirts, Corset Covers, Drawers and Night Gowns. Sale Price - - - **75c**

**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 1.50
Lot 4—Long and Short Skirts, Combination Suits, Drawers, Night Gowns and Corset Covers. Sale Price - - - **98c**

## MILLINERY CUT IN HALF

We want to close out promptly every trimmed and untrimmed hat in the store and offer you your choice of any of them at just one-half the marked prices.

## Sale of Boys' Overcoats

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| Gray Chinchilla, wool lined, | 5.98; | former price | 7.98 |
| Blue " " " | 4.98; | " " | 6.98 |
| Plain Blue & Brown Kersey | 4.98; | " " | 6.98 |
| Fancy Stripe Worsted - | 4.98; | " " | 6.50 |
| Grey Astrakan, wool lined, | 3.98; | " " | 5.98 |
| Fancy Check Worsted - | 3.98; | " " | 5.98 |


## CAMPAIGN ON FOR OPEN SUNDAY LAW

The third week of the Legislature beginning at Trenton this evening will be marked by the opening of a vigorous campaign in behalf of open Sunday legislations, especially for the benefit of Atlantic City.

Atlantic City citizens resent parts of the Governor's message as directed at them. They declare the hotel business on Sunday is warranted by the cosmopolitan character of the crowds which flock to the place. They contend that the right to cater to the desires of these pleasure seekers should not be curtailed. They insist that these practices be continued.

Senator Wilson and possibly Assemblyman Edge, the Republican leader in the House, will introduce open Sunday legislation, asking the enactment of a law which will give municipalities the right to vote to permit hotels and saloons to be open every day. The Atlantic City forces will make a determined effort to get such a bill through at this session of the Legislature and profess to believe that they have good chances of success in spite of the vigorous opposition that is sure to follow from the church and temperance forces of the State.

Senator Osborne, of Essex, will also seek to obtain the enactment of a Sunday selling law. He declares there is a great demand for such a measure in the larger cities of the State. Senator Osborne has already introduced a bill for this purpose.

In addition to these measures Assemblyman Olwel, of Hudson county, will make a hard fight for the passage of his bill to permit baseball games and other sports on Sundays.

### NO DECISION ON CIVIL SERVICE ACT.

The Court of Errors and Appeals has made no announcement after its conferences. The much-looked-for decision on the civil service act is still on the scales of justice, with no decision in sight.

Attorney General Edmund Wilson and Assistant Attorney General Nelson B. Gaskill made an effort to present to the court an application looking toward a reargument of the proceedings instituted by eneral Edward A. Campbell, in which the Vredenburgh retirement law of last winter was declared unconstitutional. Next Thursday was set for the Attorney General to make his argument to the court, giving reasons why the case should be reargued.

Under the regular practice of the court the remittitur carrying back to the Supreme Court the mandate of the higher court setting aside the order under which General Campbell was retired may be returned at any time now.

### Memorial Service at Brick Church.

A memorial service for the late Rev. Dr. William R. Richards will be held Sunday night, January 30, at the Brick church, New York, of which he was pastor for several years. The Session of the Brick church has invited the members of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church to attend this service.

### PROPER CARE OF MY LADY'S GLOVES.

Gloves are a necessary luxury these days. We have accepted the fact that they are indispensable to the well-dressed woman, and it behooves every one of us to give a thought to their care.

Nothing is more reprehensible than gloves that allow the outsider a peep at the fingertips—which is putting it mildly. In the matter of gloves, the old proverb of a stitch in time is particularly applicable. And let that be of cotton please. Silk cuts very easily and does not last long enough to repay you for your industry.

Match the color of your gloves and overcast each edge of the finger separately. Then, holding your finger in the glove, if you have no regular darner, sew the sides together, using a fine buttonhole stitch.

Black kid gloves frequently become worn or rubbed and show their age by white or gray marks. Mix black ink with a small quantity of olive oil and touch up the spots, using a small brush. The ink gives blackness and the oil supplies the lustre. Suede may be treated in the same way.

Speaking of suede, your white gloves of this undressed quality can be freshened up by an oatmeal bath. The finely powdered meal which sifts to the bottom of a box is the best. Dust this powder over the suede and take it off with a stiff brush.

Your white kid gloves can be effectually cleaned by any pure white soapsuds. Apply only the suds with a soft flannel cloth. It is not necessary to moisten anything but the surface, and they will soon dry on the hands.

Of course, there are many little precautions which the wise woman observes. She always shakes powdered soapstone into new gloves before trying them on. She observes a certain way of adjusting a new glove at any glove counter, and the removal of a glove is accomplished by turning the wrist over the fingers and "peeling" it off from the hand.

Gloves should be kept flat in a glove box. Tiny sachet bags, redolent of a characteristic perfume, should be placed in the holder. From the scented resting place they may be taken in all of the glory of good condition due to the care of their owner.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. Florence Shepard, and son Alexander, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Hubbard, of West Fifth street, have returned to their home in Chicago.

Rev. Dr. C. E. Herring, of the First Presbyterian church, goes to Carmel, N. Y., tomorrow night, where he will deliver an illustrated lecture for Rev. Dr. George P. Noble, at the Presbyterian church on "Palestine."

### Reception to Pastor and Wife.

Under the auspices of the Pastor's Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church, a reception will be given at the church Thursday night, February 3, in honor of the first wedding anniversary of Dr. and Mrs. Herring.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

### FASHIONS AFTER BONAPARTE.

The military note is strong among the street costumes of Paris. The two and three cornered hats of Napoleon made their way first, and then followed all manner of garments carrying the insignia of battle, or at least of standing armies.

Soldier clothes are at their best in cloth, although the velvet costume has borrowed a gay trapping now and again. The court suit glitters with gold frogs and brass buttons, and the one-piece frock has a "one-sided" martial fastening. The fur coat has taken on regimental lines, and the military cape is found in evening materials for the opera and in cravenetted surface for stormy winter days.

Brass buttons abound, the loose leather belt hangs low, suggesting a place for the saber, and gold fringe may be found for the looking.

The so-called blouse of the Russians is a Cossack uniform, and it is not straining a point to decorate it with straps and buttons.

Dinner and opera gowns alone have escaped this touch of the soldierly, but its predominance at every other point in the costuming of women has made up for that one omission.

On the fur coat we are shown metallic buttons fastened up each side of the front, a braided belt, a straight collar, metal trimmed. This is equaled in correct outline by cloth street suits, the skirts of which are straight and plain (far more like trousers than a pleated skirt would be) and the coats of which resemble closely the best military cut. They are strapped across the chest with wide or narrow braids; they are fastened with regular army frogs or they are decorated with horizontal bands of narrow fur from button to button down the double-breasted centre panel.

Embroidery and curious cross-stitching in corse yarn are used to repeat the customary Cossack decoration on Russian belted-in frocks and coats, while the beloved one-piece frock, which even an army cannot wrest from us, still retains the moyen-age cuirass outline, although it is rendered military by a strange jumble of side fastening and brass buttons with its medieval hand-embroidery.

Children's clothes necessarily repeat the same lines, and much that is military is adaptable to the straight cut of childish garments. The Napoleon hat, a two-cornered, has been restored to favor and the well-dressed child, whether boy or girl, appears also in the tight Russian cap of fur.

Whether we rage in battle or roll peacefully over the asphalt in automobile or trolley car, military is the stamp that marks the modes.

### A Midwinter Tea.

In honor of Mrs. Boardman Tyler, of West Seventh street, Mrs. William G. Wright has sent out invitations for a tea to be given on Wednesday, January 26, from 4 to 6 o'clock at her home, 648 West Eighth street.

Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor of the Calvary Baptist church, was presented with a handsome Bible yesterday, by Mrs. A. N. Selter, of North Plainfield.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.


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### Annual Statement
OF THE
## Plainfield Savings Bank,
OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.
January 1, 1910.

ASSETS.

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| Bonds and Mortgages, First Liens | $ 550,950.00 |
| Bonds, Market Value | 292,162.50 |
| Demand Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Banking House and Lot | 25,000.00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 7,500.00 |
| Interest Due and Accrued | 6,608.57 |
| Cash on hand | 39,913.85 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

LIABILITIES.

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| Amount Due Depositors | $ 950,838.65 |
| Surplus | 72,296.27 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

WILLIAM F. ARNOLD, President.
H. G. RUNKLE, Vice President.
A. C. STEBBINS, Vice President.
J. C. POPE, Treasurer.
H. A. POPE, Ass't Treasurer.

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# NEWARK MAN BUYS "THE FAIR" STOCK

The goods and fixtures of "The Fair," a store on West Front street, owned by a concern of which David Danziger, who committed suicide in New York several days ago, was the head, were sold on Saturday under bankruptcy proceedings, as a result of an order by the U. S. District Court. The sale was conducted by Sergeant-at-Arms Oliver Conlen, of Elizabeth, and the perchaser was a Newark jobber who took all the stock and fixtures at a bulk price The Newark parties also purchased the stock of the Elizabeth store.

Several jobbers from surrounding cities attended the sale and bid on the stock. Under the United States bankruptcy laws bids on individual articles had to be taken at first and then all the contents of the store were offered for sale in a lump. By selling the goods altogether, several hundred dollars more was realized than would have been had the goods been sold in separate lots. The man who purchased the goods represented most of the jobbers who were present and who bid on individual articles at first. They clubbed together and raised the purchase price.

### TRENTON POLICE ARE AFTER FORGER TOO.

Trenton police are evidently looking for a fellow who forged the names of the Revs. B. M. Bogan, E. Vicars Stevenson, James C. Field and James R. Blair, to checks here a few weeks ago. In Trenton on Saturday it was reported to the police of that city that the names of two clergymen of that city for checks. The fellow made small purchases at two stores, got the change and disappeared, or the same manner in which the crook operated in this city. In each instance the man gave the name of C. Blake.

### DEATH OF EZRA KENDALL.

**Was Highest Priced Monologist on the Stage.**

Ezra Kendall, the actor, died at his home at Cleveland, Ohio, yesterday. He was born in 1861 on a farm in Allegany County, N. Y. After a common school education he learned the trade of a printer Later he worked on a New York newspaper as a reporter.

His professional debut was made in Elizabeth, N. J., in 1880, in a farce called "Rascal Pat." He was with Lillian Cleves-Clark in "Only a Farmer's Daughter," at a salary of $4 a week and expenses. Before he died he became the highest salaried monologist on the American stage.

### ICE YACHT HITS SKATERS.

**Man Hurt Seriously and Young Woman Slightly on the Shrewsbury.**

John Manning of Fair Haven and Miss Horrigan, of Red Bank, were skating opposite Paterson's Cove on the Middletown side of the Shrewsbury river near Red Bank on Saturday afternoon. The Silver Heels, an ice yacht, sailed by Reuben White, containing a party of women, was skimming up the river under full sail at a rapid rate. White did not see the skating couple and ran into them head-on. Manning was seriously bruised about the legs and body, and it is thought was injured internally. The young woman's head was cut, but she was not seriously hurt.

**Elizabeth is Interested.**

Elizabeth, Jan. 24.—An effort will be made through P. J. Donovan, president of the Central Labor union, at the meeting of that organization to be held Thursday night, to arouse interest among the members of the local labor organizations in the fight being made against the high price of meat in various States throughout the country, and if possible to get all the locals to unite and abstain from meat the same as laboring men and their families in Cleveland, Omaha and other cities are doing.

**Found Valuables.**

Track hands at work on the Central R. R. of New Jersey near Whitehouse have made their headquarters in an abandoned telegraph shanty. Yesterday while they were rummaging about they came upon a number of insurance papers, receipts and check books—part of the plunder taken from the store of S. M. Bonnell in Whitehouse several weeks ago. The thieves evidently threw thew away as valueless.

**Proctor's New Bill.**

The new bill at Proctor's theatre today is a pleasing one and is a varied one. Sully Guard & Co. will present a sketch "Mr. Reynolds," which has made a big hit. Barrett & Scanlon, who are real acrobats, do clever work. Rose Berry will appear in a clever and interesting pianologue, and there will be catchy and classy dances by the Clarks, together with the usual high-class films d'art.

**A. M. Harris Made Superintendent.**

Arthur M. Harris, of Central avenue, has been appointed superintendent of the junior department of the First Baptist church Sunday school, succeeding Miss Perry, who resigns because of ill health.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

# JOURNEYMEN TO ASK FOR HIGHER WAGES

A demand for an increase in wages will be made on the boss building contractors of this city and borough by the masons and carpenters on April 1. The carpenters, it is reported, will seek a raise of 50 cents per day, or from $3.50 to $4, while the masons will demand $5.20 as their daily rate, being an increase of 40 cents per day.

Official action has not yet been taken by the mason and carpenter union but the above named figures is the revised scale which they will suggest to the bosses.

The carpenters, last spring, made a demand for a $4 rate. The bosses offered to compromise at $3.80 for the the carpenters held out for "4 or nothing." As building operations took a slump at the time, the carpenters were not in position to force their demands.

Present indications point to a brisk period in all building lines when the spring season opens and it is not at all likely that the carpenters and masons will be alone in their efforts to force wages to a higher plane, as a well known union man intimated to a Daily Press reporter, that the move will be universay, and will also include the plumbers, tinsmiths and electricians.

### SOUTH JERSEY PEOPLE FOLLOWING THE BOYCOTT.

Camden, Jan. 24.—Reports from all parts of South Jersey show that the movement to curtail the consumption of meat has taken a strong grip upon the people, and dealers in all sections report heavy declines in the sales. There has been no concerted action anywhere, so far as heard from, nor have any organizations taken steps to place their members on record in the movement, but the people generally seemed to have grasped the idea that there might be a solution of the high price problem.

Retail dealers in this city, for instance, stated yesterday that sales of meat products had fallen off by at least 50 per cent. and that poultry and game had also been hard hit. The heaviest onslaughts seem to have been made upon beef and beef products, but pork, which has reigned higher than for many years, is also attacked with energy. Most people are apparently in dead earnest in the movement, and local merchants fear that the result may be disastrous if kept up for very long while.

### PLAINFIELDERS ATTEND THIS NUPTIAL CEREMONY.

Frank Buttensky, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barnett Buttensky, of this city, and Miss Sadie Kosberg, of Elizabeth, were married at Hebrew Library Hall, on Court street, Elizabeth, last night. The ceremony was performed by Rabbi Rotman, of this city. There was a large number of guests from this city to witness the ceremony and attend the reception afterward.

Miss Rebecca Keizer was the maid-of-honor; the Misses Blanche and May Newman, of this city, the bridesmaids, and Miss Jennie Buttensky and Miss Fannie Moledezky, of this city, were flower girls. The best man was William Schwartz, of New York, and the ushers Maurice Friedman, Henry Fuchs, and Morris Margolias, of this city. The couple will live in this city after a honeymoon.

### TO RE-ELECT "UNCLE DAN" AS THE STATE TREASURER.

The first of the Tuesday sessions of the Legislature will begin tomorrow, and will be marked by a joint meeting of the Senate and House for the election of a State Treasurer. It is certain that Daniel Voorhees, of Morristown, will be re-elected to the position for a second term of three years at a salary of $6,000 per annum. He will receive the unanimous vote of the forty-one Assemblymen and fifteen Senators of the majority side. His name will be officially presented by Senator Mills, of Morris county.

### SEES HALLEY'S COMET.

**Shore Guests Leave Suppers to Watch New Arrival.**

Atlantic City, Jan. 24.—Halley's comet flashing across the Western sky just after sundown last night drew a crowd of thousands to the board walk. The comet was in sight less than a half hour before it fell below the horizon, but in the time residents and visitors left their dinners and rushed to streets and boardwalk to get a peep at the new arrival.

The comet was plainly visible, the tail showing strongly against the evening sky.

**Lenten Sewing Class Meetings.**

The Lenten Sewing Class of Grace church will meet on Fridays at 2:30 o'clock as follows: February 11, Mrs. Howard Fleming, 1012 Park avenue; February 18, Mrs. Lewis G. Timpson, 1045 Hillside avenue; February 25, Mrs. H. Bernard Coombe, 831 Madison avenue; March 4, Mrs. DeWitt C. Ivins, 937 Hillside avenue; March 11, Mrs. R. S. Rowland, of Central avenue; March 18, Mrs. George Megrew, 963 Stelle avenue. Miss Anne Murphy is the treasurer.

# BOROUGHITE'S PATENT ON A USEFUL ARTICLE

David A. Teeter, of Grove street, the borough, has just been granted a patent on useful improvements in sash locks, and it promises to be in great demand. The object of the invention is to provide a simple and practical device of this character which will effectively lock the sahes in their closed position, which will hold the sashes against lateral vibration or movement, which will be self-locking when the window sashes assume their closed position and which will be easy to unlock and attractive in appearance.

With the above and other objects in view, the invention consists of the novel features of construction and the combination and arrangement of parts which fully meet the requirements and claims of the inventor.

The device is of such a character that it is attractive and not unsightly as others that have been on the market. By closing the window it locks automatically and then if one wishes to open the window it is done by simply placing the finger on a small button, which releases the fastening sufficiently to open the sash.

Mr. Teeter has been highly complimented upon the invention and builders and contractors claim great things for it. Mr. Teeter has had the device in use at his home for some time and it has never failed to work.

### PERSONAL.

Mrs. John Naylor, of Lee place, is improving from a severe illness that detained her at home.

Recent arrivals at the Laurel House, Lakewood, were Miss Helen Cruikshank and Charles W. Fisk, of this city.

Dr. Paul W. Harrison, the Arabian missionary, is the guest for a few days at the home of C. Frank French, of Washington avenue.

Charles F. Debele, of "Pine Grove Farm," is touring California for two or three months. Letters received from him indicate that he is having a fine trip.

Miss M. D. Gorsline, of the Jackson building, is detained at home with a severe attack of pleurisy. A physician and trained nurse are in attendance.

Former Mayor and Mrs. L. V. F. Randolph, of East Front street, are planning to sail on Saturday for Europe, where they will remain several months.

New York society notes record the brilliant meeting of the Eclectic Club at the Waldorf-Astoria last Wednesday, when the subject for discussion was "The New Thought," and the literary program was under the chairmanship of Mrs. George A. Beaton, of West Seventh street.


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May we have two minutes of your time? We want you to consider with us the desirability of a Savings Account in our bank.

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Fancy Peas,
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Special Prices by the Dozen or Case

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### DIED

KLINE—On Saturday, January 22, 1910, Nellie, daughter of Eldridge and Mary Kline, aged 24 years.

Funeral services at her late residence, 303 East Fourth street, on Tuesday, January 25, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

ZELLER—At West Dunellen, N. J., January 22, 1910, Mrs. Catherine Zeller, in her 89th year.

Funeral from the residence of her son, Theodore Zeller, Center street, West Dunellen, N. J., Tuesday, January 25, at 9:15 a. m. and from St. John's church, Dunellen, N. J., at 10 a. m., where a requiem mass will be offered for the repose of her soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery, Plainfield, N. J.

## Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No alvertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for death and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 8:30 p m

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

### Help Wanted Male and Female.

MARRIED couple (colored) wanted at once. Call at Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place. Tel. 196-W. 1 24 2

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

### Rooms and Board.

TO RENT—Furnished room; improvements; light and airy. Inquire 334 East Fifth street. 1 21 tf

FOR RENT—April 1st, three large, sunny and connecting rooms, furnished or unfurnished, with or without privilege of light housekeeping; best residential section, near station; private family. Address "Central," care Press. 1 21 3

TWO large connecting rooms and adjoining small room, fully furnished. Mrs. Lena Hellstrom, 312 East Seventh St. 1 19 6

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To buy six-room house, centrally located; good neighborhood. Address D. F., care Press. 1 21 6

WANTED—April 1, small house or part of house, with improvements; central location; rent moderate. Address Moderaté, care Press. 1 24 3

WANTED — Second-hand chicken coop. Address Siriski, Dunellen. 1 22 3

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 19 6

### For Exchange.

EXCHANGE a fine property located on the Shrewsbury river, eight minutes walk from the Red Bank depot. House of eight rooms, barn and poultry house, all built of artificial stone; frontage of 160 feet on road and river, 500 feet deep; fine shade and fruit trees; price $9,000; mortgage $5,084. Desire to exchange for Plainfield residence, and will add cash for right place. Full particulars and photographs from Tapscott Bros., 310 Watchung avenue. 'Phone 1057-J. 1 24 3

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS —Long tour to Europe. June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

### Situations Wanted Male and Female.

RESPECTABLE colored man and wife wish positions together in private family; good workers; good reference. Call all week. C. C., 201 Plainfield avenue. 1 24 2

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 3.**

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED—White girl as good plain cook; reference required. 90 Mercer avenue. 1 13 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—Girl as chambermaid and waitress; must have good reference. 526 West Seventh St. 1 13 tf

WANTED—White girl as cook and laundress. Call evenings, 1216 Watchung avenue. 1 19 6

WANTED—OPERATORS ON LADIES' UNDERWEAR; ALSO LEARNERS. SCHILLER BROS., 320 WEST FRONT ST. 1 22 4

WANTED—Young girl or woman (white) to do general housework. Address E. C. H., care Daily Press. 1 22 3

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at D. N. Groendyke, 91 Mercer avenue, after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

GENERAL houseworkers, white, wanted for good positions; also cooks and chambermaid. Central Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue. 1 21 3

WANTED — Competent colored chambermaid and laundress. Apply evenings, 1019 Hillside avenue. 1 24 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework. 414 West Eighth street. 1 24 2

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 24 6

GIRLS wanted. Inquire Recher & Co., North avenue. Formerly Vacuum Cleaner Co. 1 24 6

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

PRACTICAL nurse desires position with partial invalid; good massage. Call 79 Summit Ave. 1 24 3

YOUNG German girl wants position at general housework; two months in this country. Call 224 Plainfield avenue. 1 24 3

WOMAN wants work for Monday and Tuesday or take family wash home, with reference. 1077 Arlington avenue. 1 2 3

COMPETENT girl wishes position general housework. Call 517 West Sixth street. 1 21 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED — Capable man and wife or woman and son to do the work of family of five, (2 adults, 3 children) in small house; cow, chickens and small garden to be cared for; $40 per month. Address Box 94, care Daily Press. 1 20 6

DRAFTSMEN wanted; several men capable of designing for printing press work. Walter Scott & Co. 1 22 3

WANTED—Good strong colored boy. 440 Watchung avenue.

ENERGETIC, reliable man wanted as selling agent for first-class Plainfield properties. Plainfield resident required. Address P. C. C., Daily Press. 1 22 3

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Brindle bull terrier, white breast, white tip on tail, wearing brass studded collar. Liberal reward and no questions asked if returned to Mrs. Snow, 1342 Watchung avenue. 1 22 2

LOST—Small Boston bull dog on Saturday evening. Reward if returned to S. S. Schuyler, 792 Belvidere avenue. 1 24 3

LOST—On Belvidere avenue, near Berkeley avenue, Thursday afternoon, jewelled velvet neck ribbon. Reward if returned to 750 Belvidere avenue. 1 24 3

WILL the person who got the black overcoat, marked by makers name J. J. Brill Co. by mistake, at the Foresters' entertainment at Saengerbund Hall, please return to Casey & Son, Park avenue, and receive their's; also party who got umbrella with adjustable gold head with initials J. R. kindly return to Casey & Son, Park avenue, to avoid further trouble. 1 22 2

### Miscellaneous.

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

### Situations Wanted—Male.

WANTED—By young man, a position in a bank, who has had some experience in banking. Address A. B. C., care Press. 1 24 2

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 3 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 1 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 1 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 644 Essex street. Inquire J. Sacher, 31 West Third street. 1 20 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 2 tf

TO LET—For a few months very comfortable fully furnished house, 13 rooms, 2 bath rooms, steam heat, electricity and gas, small garage, ground and shade; excellent location; convenient to station; very reasonable to suitable party. Address Convenient, care Press. 1 2 2

TO LET—Six-room house, $12 month, South avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 1 2 3

FOR RENT—Fine 12-room house with every modern improvement; large lot, barn; rent $55. Tapscott Bros., 310 Watchung Ave. 1 2 3

THREE or four rooms for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished, with use of bath room; private house in select Washington Park section; spacious grounds; good piazza; references required. Select, care Daily Press. 1 2 4

FURNISHED lodge room to rent in Stillman block, formerly Anchor Lodge, F. & A. M. Steam heat, city water and complete outfit. Wm. M. Stillman. 1 24 3

FOR RENT—Farm about 50 acres with large modern barn and cow stables, located 3 miles from Plainfield on line trolley. Address J., care Press. 1 24 6

TO LET—Three rooms, 506 West Fifth street, to adults only; $10.50. Call evenings. 1 24 3

SPACE to let in store for lady as typewriter or some light business. Address "Watchung," care Press. 1 24 3

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 24 tf

TO LET—February 1, house, barn; improvements. Inquire 20 Elm place. 1 22 3

TO LET—Four rooms with improvements. 434 East Fifth street. 1 21 3

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney. Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8, Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

$2,000 TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address 25, care Press. 1 22 6

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 21 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 1 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McCabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 12 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 9 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated 7 years. f

### For Sale.

FINE sideboard and dining room table for sale. Call 310 Watchung avenue. 1 24 2

TWO fine heating and one cooking stove for sale cheap. Can be seen at 310 Watchung Ave. 1 24 2

CARPENTER'S tools and chest for sale, $10, worth double; good as new. Inquire 310 Watchung avenue. 1 24 2

FOR SALE—Chance for bargain and good business for about the price of one rig; 2 closed carriages, 1 extra good; 1 surrey, 1 single phaeton, 1 good family sleigh, 2 good horses, harness, robes and all things for the use of stable; good will guaranteed to right party. For information 147 East Sixth street, stable. 1 21 2

## OUR SENSE OF SPACE.

**Experiments With Infants to Show That It Is Innate.**

There are many optical illusions which show that our perception of distance, height and space are acquired rather than instinctive, and in the domain of psychological physiology one of the standing controversies touches this point. The German school of Leipzig is inclined to affirm that all our perceptions of distance, area and solidity and our ability to distinguish between right and left, up and down, before and behind, are acquired as a result of long practice and experience.

A person blind from birth who has learned to distinguish triangles, squares, circles and objects of other forms by touch is not able immediately after the acquisition of sight to distinguish these familiar objects by sight alone. He or she is still compelled to rely on feeling. In the beginning all objects appear to such a person (and perhaps they do so in the case of babies) as shapeless, tremulous spots of color situated close to the eye.

In the course of the debate that raged in Germany some experiments were made with babies. It appeared that in babies what must be described for want of a better term as a sense of space seems to exist. The infant was held in the arms of the experimenters for about a minute, at the end of which interval the child was permitted to drop upon its bed. In every instance the child exhibited a dread or panic when it felt the arms of the persons holding it relax. The babe, even at the age of one month, seemed to understand that its support was departing. It held, or, rather, clutched, at anything it could reach, whether the arm, neck or collar of the person holding it.

From these experiments it has been inferred that there must exist a sense of space almost from infancy. What is the dread of falling but a manifestation of an innate sense of space?—London Post.

## SLOW DEATH.

**Disease Usually Takes a Long Time to Kill, Says a Scientist.**

Few indeed are the men and women of full age, say twenty-five, who have not yet contracted the malady that will kill them, according to that distinguished scientist and physician Dr. Felix Regnault. Normally, as contemporary investigators are beginning to find out, it takes twenty years for a fatal malady to kill a patient. It may take thirty years. The popular impression is that a man may die suddenly or that he may require only a year to die in or six months. To be sure, a man may be killed or a child may die in a few months at the age of one year. But, ordinarily speaking, all deaths are very slow, indeed, and about 95 per cent of civilized adults are now stricken with fatal diseases. They do not know it. They may not suffer from them. In due time they will have their cases diagnosed as cancer or tuberculosis or diabetes, or what not. But so inveterate are current misconceptions of the nature of death that the origin of the fatal malady—in time—will be miscalculated by from ten to thirty years.

In the case of human beings death, barring accident, is nearly always caused by some specific malady. This malady is as likely as not to be cured—what is called cured. The cure, however, no matter how skillful the treatment or how slight the disease, has left a weakness behind it in some particular organ of the body. One of the organs is, if not prematurely worn out, at least so worn that its resisting powers are greatly diminished. All of us in this way when we have reached a certain age possess an organ that is much older than the rest of the physique. One day we shall die because of this organ. Even if we live to be very old, indeed, we shall not die of old age, but of weakness of the lungs or of the kidneys or of the liver or of the brain.—Current Literature.

**A Ten Years' Penance.**

It is happily seldom that the revenge of a disappointed husband takes quite such an extreme form as in the case of the man whose will ran thus: "When I remember that the only happy times I ever enjoyed were when my wife sulked with me, and when I remember that my married life might, for this reason, be considered to have been a fairly happy one because she was nearly always sulking, I am constrained to forget the repulsion the contemplation of her face inspired me with and leave her the sum of £60,000 on condition that she undertakes to pass two hours a day at my graveside for the ten years following my decease, in company with her sister, whom I have reason to know she loathes worse than she does myself."—London Tit-Bits.

**Didn't Like the Walk.**

A north country pitman went with his wife one Saturday night to do a little shopping. They visited a large drapery establishment, and the obsequious shopwalker, having ascertained their requirements, said to the couple politely, "Will you please walk this way?" But unfortunately he walked very lame.

"No, mistor," said the pitman, "Aa nivvor hev waaked that way, an' Aa'm not gannin' te try!"—London Scraps.

**Not Deceived.**

"Never in my life have I deceived my wife."

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WEDNESDAY, THE SECOND DAY OF FEBRUARY, A. D. 1910,

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By virtue of the above-mentioned writ of fieri facias to me directed I shall expose for sale at public vendue on

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The eagle that stares proudly at the sun has now been found to be no figment of tradition.

M. de Chardonnet, in a paper communicated to the French Physical society, has shown that the eagle's eye has a special apparatus adapted to this feat, though it seems probable that he is not the only bird with this useful possession.

The apparatus is not, however, the "nictitating membrane" which all of us have perceived in looking even at the barnyard fowl. That is a mechanism designed merely to wipe the eye and to keep it clear of dust.

M. de Chardonnet's discovery was made while he was studying the transparency of the central part of the eyes of animals. He had already noticed that the eyes of night birds, such as owls, were more transparent than any other for ultra violet rays, and he had tried to push the experiments further by ascertaining whether they would be affected by ultra violet rays alone.

These experiments failed because of the absence of responsiveness on the part of the birds, which did not appear to manifest any sensation in passing from darkness to light, whether this list was visible to human eyes or not. M. de Chardonnet's failure led him to inquire whether there was any organ of which he was ignorant in the bird's eye, such as would intervene in such circumstances.

While dissecting a bird's eye he was struck to find an organ to which French naturalists have given provisionally the name of the peigne or comb. A better idea of its function would be obtained by calling it a parasol.

This organ is formed of a very thin membrane, black-opaque and situated in the eye where the optic nerve penetrates it. The structure of this membrane is such that the retina is completely masked when the "parasol" is open. It is reasonable to suppose that the parasol is therefore a screen to protect the eye against a too brilliant light, whether the light is visible in the ordinary sense or whether it consists of ultra violet rays.

## FINLAND SUMMERS.

**Effect of the Famous "White Nights" Upon Vegetation.**

The famous "white nights" of the north are a most surprising phenomenon to the visitor from southern climes. It is a weird experience, declares A. M. Scott in "Through Finland," to sit for the first time upon a veranda at midnight and read a newspaper or to walk home from a restaurant at 1 o'clock in the morning and to see people still gossiping at the street corners or strolling along the promenades under a bright, clear sky.

A spirit of rest and peace is over all the earth. The sky is bright, not with the fiery brilliancy of noon, but with a tender, gentle radiance. The colors of the landscape have become softened, but not blended. There are no shadows save for a week or two in June, when the bright northern sky at midnight projects faint, ghostlike shadows toward the south. The sun just dips below the horizon and no more. There is no division between the sunset and the dawn. The same rosy flush serves for both.

Summer in Finland is, in fact, one long day. Never a star is to be seen, and when the first faint star glimmers in the south it is a sign that the summer is past and that the autumn frosts have arrived.

The long light has a marvelous effect upon vegetation, forcing its growth at hothouse pace. The "white nights" account both for the suddenness of the burgeoning and for the intensity of the heat. Land and water have no time to cool. One cannot fail to be struck with the enormous size of the foliage upon the oak and hawthorn trees as compared to that to which we are accustomed. Botanists have explained this as being due to the larger supply of light. It has sometimes been suggested that we may hasten the harvests by the use of artificial lights. Nature herself does this for the Finnish farmer.

**The Broadax.**

A city man who went out into the Ozarks to learn to make railroad ties was asked by a native whether he was right or left handed.

"If you are left handed," he was told, "you will have to get a left handed broadax."

The city man replied: "I'm wise to this left handed monkey wrench business. I'm from the city, but I know there is no such thing as a left handed broadax." But he was wrong. A broadax is beveled on one side only. A left handed man must have an ax with the bevel on the left side.—Kansas City Times.

**All Against Him.**

A tailor who was defendant in a case tried in court seemed much cast down when brought up for trial.

"What's the trouble?" whispered his counsel, observing his client's distress as he surveyed the jurymen.

"It looks pretty bad for me," said the defendant, "unless some steps are taken to dismiss that jury and get in a new lot. There ain't a man among 'em but what owes me money for clothes."

**Vain Regrets.**

Mrs. Benham—How much did you pay the minister when we were married? Benham—Don't ask me. I hate to admit that I paid him anything.—New York Press.

Honors come by diligence; riches spring from economy.—Davis.

# THE GUEST OF QUESNAY

By Booth Tarkington

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"That's enough," he said, waving me back, and I saw that his hand was shaking, too, like Keredec's. His face had grown very white. "I know what you think," he went on, addressing me, "but you're wrong. It isn't for myself. When I sailed for New York I thought there was a chance that she would carry out the action she began four years ago and rid herself of him definitely—that is, I thought until today there was some hope for me. If

*"Sacrificed!" he thundered.*

she's seen him again and he's been anything except literally unbearable it's all over with me. From the first I never had a chance against him. He was a hard rival, even when he'd become only a cruel memory." His voice rose. "Heaven knows why it is. It isn't because of anything he's done or has—it's just because it's him, I suppose—but I know my chance is gone for good. That leaves me free to act for her. No one can accuse me of doing it for myself. And I swear she shan't go through that slough of despond again while I have breath in my body!"

"George, for pity's sake!" I shouted, throwing my arm about his shoulders, for his voice had risen to a pitch of excitement and fury that I feared must bring the whole place upon us. Some one was already knocking for admission.

I crossed the room and opened the door. Miss Elizabeth stood there, red faced and flustered, and behind her stood Mr. Cresson Ingle, who looked dubiously amused.

Miss Elizabeth cut short a rather embarrassed handshake which her betrothed and I exchanged.

"This morning I learned the true situation over here, and I'm afraid Louise has heard. At least she's not at Quesnay. I got into a panic for fear she had come here; but, thank heaven, she does not seem to— Good gracious! What's that?"

It was the discordant voice of Mariana la Mursiana. My door was still open. I turned to look and saw her, hot faced, tousle haired, insufficiently wrapped, striving to ascend the gallery steps, but valiantly opposed by Mme. Brossard.

"But no, madame," insisted Mme. Brossard. "You cannot ascend. There is nothing on the upper floor except the apartment of Professor Keredec."

"Name of a dog!" shrilled the other. "It is my husband's apartment, I tell you. Il y a une femme avec lui!"

"It is Mme. Harman who is there," said Keredec hoarsely in my ear. "I came away and left them together."

"Come," I said, and, letting the others think what they would, sprang across the veranda, the professor beside me, and ran toward the two women, who were beginning to struggle with more than their tongues. I leaped by them and up the steps, but Keredec thrust himself between our hostess and her opponent, planting his great bulk on the lowest step. Glancing hurriedly over my shoulder, I saw the Spanish woman strike him furiously upon the breast with both hands, but I knew she would never pass him.

I entered the salon of the "grande suite" and closed the door quickly behind me.

Louise Harman was standing at the other end of the room. Her husband was kneeling beside her. He held one of her hands in both of his. Her other rested upon his head, and something in their attitudes made me know I had come in upon their leave taking. But from the face he lifted toward her all trace of his tragedy had passed. The wonder and worship written there left no room for anything else.

"Mrs. Harman," I began.

"Yes?" she said. "I am coming."

"But I don't want you to. I've come for fear you would, and you—you must not," I stammered. "You must wait. There is a scene"—

"I know," she said quietly. "That must be, of course."

Harman rose, and she took both his hands, holding them against her breast. "My dear," she said gently,

*"He shall pay bitterly!"*

"my dearest, you must stay. Will you promise not to pass that door even until you have word from me again?"

"Yes," he answered huskily, "if you'll promise it shall come—some day."

"It shall. Be sure of it."

She stepped out upon the gallery. I followed. Mme. Brossard and Keredec still held the foot of the steps, but la Mursiana had abandoned the siege and, accompanied by Mr. Percy and Rameau, the black bearded notary, who had joined her, was crossing the garden toward her own apartment. She glanced over her shoulder, sent forth a scream and, whirling about, ran viciously for the steps, where she was again blocked by the indomitable Keredec.

"Ah, you foolish woman, I know who you are!" she cried. "You want to get yourself into trouble! That man in the room up there has been my husband these two years and more."

"No, madame," said Louise Harman, "you are mistaken; he is my husband."

"But you divorced him," vociferated the other wildly. "You divorced him in America!"

"No; you are mistaken," the quiet voice replied. "The suit was withdrawn. He is still my husband."

I heard the professor's groan of despair, but it was drowned in the wild shriek of Mariana. "What? You tell me that? Ah, the miserable! If what you say is true he shall pay bitterly! He shall wish that he had died by fire! What? You think he can marry me, break my leg so that I cannot dance again, ruin my career and then go away with a pretty woman like you and be happy? Aha, there are prisons in France for people who marry two like that! He shall pay for it in suffering"—her voice rose to an incredible and unbearable shriek—"and you, you shall pay too! You can't come stealing honest women's husbands like that You shall pay!"

CHAPTER XIII.

It is impossible to say what Mariana would have done had there been no interference, for she had worked herself into one of those furies which women of her type can attain when they feel the occasion demands it. But Rameau threw his arms about her, Mr. Percy came to his assistance, and Ward and I sprang in between her and the too fearless lady she strove to reach. Even at that the finger nails of Mariana's right hand touched the pretty white hat, but only touched it and no more.

Rameau and the little spy managed to get their vociferating burden across the courtyard and into her own door.

"Professor Keredec!— Mrs. Harman began, resisting and turning to the professor appealingly.

"Oh, let him come, too!" said Miss Elizabeth desperately. "Nothing could be worse than this!"

She led the way back to the pavilion. "Not a soul at Quesnay," sobbed the mortified chatelaine—"not one but will know this before dinner! They'll hear the whole thing within two hours."

"There is nothing they shouldn't know," said Mrs. Harman.

George turned to her with a smile so bravely managed that I was proud of him. "Oh, yes, there is," he said. "We're going to get you out of all this."

"All this!" she repeated.

"All this mire!" he answered. "We're going to get you out of it. I don't know whether your revelation to the Spanish woman will make that easier or harder, but I do know that it makes the mire deeper."

Her anxious eyes grew wider. "How have I made it deeper for him? Wasn't it necessary that the poor woman should be told the truth?"

She turned to Keredec with a frightened gesture and an unintelligible word of appeal.

"It was because," he repeated, running a nervous hand through his beard—"because the knowledge would put us so utterly in this people's power. Already they demand more than we could give them; now they can do still more."

George intervened, and he spoke without sarcasm. "To put it roughly, these people have been asking more than the Harman estate is worth—that was on the strength of the woman's claim as a wife—but now they know she is not one her position is immensely strengthened, for she has only to go before the nearest commissaire de police."

"Oh, no!" Mrs. Harman cried passionately. "I haven't done that!"

"Never!" he answered. "There could not be a greater lie than to say you have done it. The responsibility is with the wretched and vicious boy who brought the catastrophe upon himself. But don't you see that you've got to keep out of it, that we've got to take you out of it?"

"You can't! I'm part of it. Better or worse, it's as much mine as his. My separation from my husband is over. I shall be with him now for"—

"I won't listen to you!" Miss Elizabeth lifted her wet face from George's shoulder, and there was a note of deep anger in her voice. "You haven't the faintest idea of what a hideous situation that creature has made for himself. Don't you know that that awful woman was right? You talk of being with him! Do you imagine they encourage family housekeeping in French prisons?"

"You're going much too far," Cresson Ingle said, touching his betrothed upon the arm. "My dear Elizabeth, there is no use exaggerating. The case is unpleasant enough just as it is."

"In what have I exaggerated?" she demanded.

"Why, I knew Larrabee Harman," he returned. "I knew him fairly well. I went as far as Honolulu with him, and I remember that papers were served on him in San Francisco. He was traveling continually, and I don't think he knew much of what was going on, even right around him, most of the time. He began with cognac and absinth in the morning, you know. For myself, I always supposed the suit had been carried through. So did people generally, I think. He'll probably have to stand trial, and of course he's technically guilty, but I don't believe he'd be convicted, though I must say it would have been a most devilish good thing for him if he could have been got out of France before la Mursiana heard the truth."

"Nothing is changed," Louise Harman said finally, her eyes still fixed gravely on Miss Elizabeth's.

At that the other's face flamed up, and she uttered a half choked exclamation. "Oh," she cried, "you've fallen in love with playing the martyr! It's self love! No one on earth could make me believe you're in love with this degraded imbecile. It's because you want to make a shining example of yourself. You want to get down on your knees and wash off the vileness from this befouled creature. You want"—

"Madame," Keredec interrupted tremulously, "you speak out of no knowledge! There is no vileness. No one who is clean remains befouled because of the things that are gone."

"They do not?" She laughed hysterically.

"The soul that stands clean and pure today is clean and pure," insisted the professor.

"But a soul with evil tendencies," Ward began impatiently.

"Ha, my dear sir, those evil tendencies would be in the soiling memories, and my boy is free from them."

"Surely you can't pretend he may not take that direction again?"

"That," returned the professor quickly, "is his to choose. If this lady can be with him now he will choose right."

"So!" cried Miss Elizabeth. "First she is to be his companion through a trial for bigamy and if he is acquitted his nurse, teacher and moral preceptor." She turned swiftly to her cousin. "That's your conception of a woman's mission?"

"I haven't any mission," Mrs. Harman answered quietly. "I only know I belong to him; that's all I ever thought about it. I don't pretend to explain it. And when I met him again here it was—it was—it was proved to me."

"Will you tell us?"

It was I who asked the question. I spoke involuntarily.

"Oh, when I first met him," she said tremulously, "I was frightened, but it was not he who frightened me. It was the rush of my own feeling. I did not know what I felt, but I thought I might die, and he was so like himself as I had first known him, but so changed too. There was something so wonderful about him, something that must make any stranger feel sorry for him, and yet it is beautiful." She stopped for a moment and wiped her eyes, then went on bravely: "And the next day he came and waited for me—I should have come here for him if he hadn't—and I fell in with the mistake he had made about my name. You see, he'd heard I was called Mme. d'Armand, and I wanted him to keep on thinking that, for I thought if he knew I was Mrs. Harman he might find out"—She paused, her lip beginning to tremble. "Oh, don't you see why I didn't want him to know? I didn't want him to suffer as he would—as he does now, poor child—but most of all I wanted—I wanted to see if he would fall in love with me again! I kept him from knowing because if he thought I was a stranger and the same thing happened again—his caring for me, I mean"—She had began to weep now, freely and openly, but not from grief. "Oh," she cried, "don't you see how it's all proved to me?"

Later I went into the garden to think over the perplexing situation of the Harmans.

I sank down again in a wicker chair and contemplated the stars. But the short reverie into which I then fell was interrupted by Mr. Percy, who, sauntering leisurely about the garden, paused to address me.

"You folks thinks you was all to the gud gittin' them trunks off, what?"

"You speak in mysterious numbers," I returned, having no comprehension of his meaning.

"I suppose you don' know nothin' about it," he laughed satirically. "You didn' go over to Lisieux 's aft'noon to ship 'em? Oh, no, not you!"

"I went for a long walk this afternoon, Mr. Percy. Naturally I couldn't have walked so far as Lisieux and back."

"Luk here, m' friend," he said sharply; "do you think you got any chaust t' git that feller off t' Paris?"

"Do you think it will rain tonight?" I inquired.

In simple dignity he turned his back upon me and strolled to the other end of the courtyard.

I observed him in the act of saluting, with a gracious nod, some one who was approaching from the road. Immediately after—and altogether with the air of a person merely "happening in"—a slight figure clad in a long coat, a short skirt and a broad brimmed veil bound brown hat came into full view in the light of the reflector.

I sprang to my feet and started toward her, uttering an exclamation.

"Good evening, Mr. Percy," she said cheerily. "It's the most exuberant night. You're quite hearty, I hope?"

"Takin' a walk, I see, little lady," he observed with genial patronage.

My visitor paused upon my veranda, humming "Quand l'Amour Meurt," while I went within and lit a lamp. "Shall I bring the light out there?" I asked, but, turning, found that she was already in the room.

"You weren't afraid to come through the woods alone?" I asked, uncomfortably conscious that her gayety met a dull response from me.

"No."

"But if Miss Ward finds that you're not at the chateau"—

"She won't. She thinks I'm asleep. She brought me up a sleeping powder herself."

"She thinks you took it?"

"She knows I did," said Miss Elliott. "I'm full of it! And that will be the reason—if you notice that I'm particularly nervous or excited."

"You seem all of that," I said, looking at her eyes, which were very wide and very brilliant. "However, I believe you always do."

"Ah," she smiled, "I knew you thought me atrocious from the first. You find myriads of objections to me, don't you?"

I had forgotten to look away from her eyes, and I kept on forgetting.

*She gave a low cry of triumph.*

"Dazzling" is a good old fashioned word for eyes like hers. At least it might define their effect on me.

"If I did manage to object to you," I said slowly, "it would be a good thing for me, wouldn't it?"

"Oh, I've won!" she cried.

"Won?" I echoed.

"Yes. I laid a wager with myself that I'd have a pretty speech from you before I went out of your life"—she checked a laugh and concluded thrillingly—"forever. I leave Quesnay tomorrow."

"Your father has returned from America?"

"Oh, dear, no," she murmured. "I'll be quite at the world's mercy. I must go up to Paris and retire from public life until he does come. I shall take the vows in some obscure but respectable pension."

She gazed at me thoughtfully and seriously for several moments. "I suppose you can imagine," she said in a tone that threatened to become tremulous, "what sort of an afternoon we've been having up there."

"Has it been"— I began.

"Oh, heartbreaking! Louise came to my room as soon as they got back from here this morning and told me the whole pitiful story. But they didn't let her stay there long, poor woman!"

"They?" I asked.

"Oh, Elizabeth and her brother. They've been at her all afternoon, on and on."

"To do what?"

"To 'save herself,' so they call it. They're insisting that she must not see her poor husband again. They're determined she shan't."

"But George wouldn't worry her."

"Oh, wouldn't he?" The girl laughed sadly. "I don't suppose he could help it, he's in such a state himself, but between him and Elizabeth it's hard to see how poor Mrs. Harman lived through the day."

"Well," I said slowly, "I don't see that they're not right. She ought to be kept out of all this as much as possible, especially if her husband has to go through a trial."

"Are you"— the girl began, then stopped for a moment, looking at me steadily. "Aren't you a little in love with Louise Harman?"

"Yes," I answered honestly. "Aren't you?"

"That's what I wanted to know," she said, and as she turned a page in the sketchbook for the benefit of Mr. Percy I saw that her hand had begun to tremble.

"Why?" I asked, leaning toward her across the table.

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Plainfield—Miner, Fritts, Aalhom, forwards; Fritts, Foster, center; Foster, Miner, Gavett, guards. Red Bank—Clusey, Worthley, Ruessitte, forwards; Kellam, center; Monhan, McKellar, guards.

In the preliminary battle Loeser Brothers' five, of Elizabeth, trimmed the Y. M. C. A. "second" team by the score of 44 to 18. The county seaters excelled the locals in weight, and on this score, they held a big advantage. The line-up:

Plainfield "Seconds" — Templin, Vail, Manley, forwards; Ulmer, center; Hoagland, Naylor, guards. Losers—Chris, Ed, Charles, forwards; Bob, center; Billy, Harry guards.

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Johnny Campbell continues to lead the average race, with Matthews second and Blatz third. The team standing and averages follow:

**Team Standing.**

| | Won. | Lost. | Ave. | H. S. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Red Men | 14 | 4 | 878.6 | 950 |
| Raritan | 11 | 4 | 893.1 | 991 |
| K. of C. | 10 | 5 | 884.8 | 1000 |
| Ponies | 8 | 7 | 842.10 | 916 |
| Woodmen | 5 | 10 | 856.12 | 959 |
| Elks | 3 | 12 | 840.10 | 952 |
| Pub. Service | 3 | 12 | 804.6 | 865 |

**Individual Averages.**

| | G. | Ave. | H. S. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Campbell, K. of C. | 14 | 195 | 246 |
| Matthews, Raritan | 15 | 187.11 | 246 |
| Blatz, K. of C. | 15 | 187.3 | 207 |
| Menyenbach, W. | 15 | 185.12 | 258 |
| Nash, R. M. | 18 | 184.11 | 237 |
| Stout, Elks | 15 | 183.11 | 239 |
| W. Schaub, Rar. | 15 | 181.14 | 213 |
| Miller, Woodman | 12 | 179.4 | 202 |
| Laing, Elks | 9 | 178.4 | 213 |
| Kiely, Elks | 11 | 177 | 220 |
| Willett, R. M. | 18 | 176.13 | 218 |
| Vliet, Raritan | 15 | 174.8 | 214 |
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The schedule for this week is:
Tuesday, Woodmen vs. Elks.
Wednesday, Public Service vs. Knights of Columbus.

**Elks' League Standing.**

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| Jersey City | 7 | 2 |
| Hoboken | 13 | 5 |
| Plainfield | 7 | 5 |
| Newark | 7 | 5 |
| Elizabeth | 7 | 8 |
| New Brunswick | 7 | 8 |
| Rahway | 7 | 11 |
| Nek York | 4 | 14 |

Plainfield Lodge will visit Newark tonight to roll a series in the Elks' League, leaving on the 7:09 train.

**Child Plays With Fire, Will Die.**

Josephine Genaro, four years old, while alone for a few minutes yesterday at Paterson, played with the fire in her parent's home in that city and set herself and the room on fire. She was rescued from the blazing room, but is so badly burned that at the hospital it is said that her recovery is impossible.

William Townley, Jr., of the New Madison, is detained at home with a slight attack of the mumps.

## SEEK REFORM IN CHILD LABOR LAWS

Employers of more than 50,000 men will gather at Trenton tomorrow from all parts of the State to form the Manufacturers' Association of New Jersey, the principal object of which will be to urge upon the Legislature some reformation of the labor laws, particularly those governing the employment of children.

T. H. Croft, of Camden, is president, and J. William Foster, of Trenton, is secretary of a temporary organization.

The child labor laws declare a child shall not work before he or she is fourteen years old.

### MURDER TRIAL END OF BLAIRSTOWN ELOPEMENT.

Blairstown, Jan. 24.—Friends of Mrs. Marion, common law wife of George L. Marion, an actor, who eloped frim this place August 15 with James Brooks, a railroad laborer, the couple being married at Stroudsberg, Pa., have received word that the trial of Marion for slaying his wife in the Wilkesbarre, Pa., chief of police's office August 20, was begun Thursday.

According to the stories told by the police of Wilkesbarre, Marion went to Wilkesbarre, he said, intending to kill Brooks, but in a fit of passion, after remonstrating with the woman, he shot her. He said that he first met her seven years ago in Detroit, Mich., and that after accompanying him all over the country, she paid a visit to Blairstown to see her aunt, and there met Brooks. Marion came here to visit her, he said, and several days after he returned to New York she eloped.

### 100,000 TO CUT OUT MEAT IN PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg, Jan. 24.—Three thousand employes of the Carnegie Steel Company and the Howard Axle Company have signed pledges to abstain from eating meat for from thirty to sixty days or until the price is lowered. Ninety-five per cent. of the employees of the seamless tube plant of the National Tube Company at McKeesport, another Steel Corporation subsidiary, signed a similar agreement.

One thousand conductors and motormen of the Pittsburg street railways have agreed to abstain from eating meat for thirty days. It is predicted that before the close of next week fully 100,000 workmen in greater Pittsburg will have become non-meat eaters for a time.

### CHARITIES TO MEET.

**New Jersey Conference to Be Held in Camden.**

What promises to be one of the most important gatherings Camden has had for some time will be that of the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Corrections, which will be held from February 13 to 15. Mayor Ellis, of that city, has a committee of prominent men who are working assiduously to make the occasion a success.

The executive committee has planned to have an opening massmeeting on Sunday afternoon, February 13, at 4 o'clock in the Temple building in that city. Governor Fort and persons prominently identified with the work are scheduled to make addresses. Another massmeeting will be held the following evening in the Catholic Lyceum, while the business sessions will be held Monday and Tuesday in the First M. E. church.

### MILITARY MEN TO BANQUET.

**Complimentary Dinner for General H. Heber Brientnall to Be Mammoth Affair.**

What promises to be the largest social function of the kind ever given under the auspices of the officers of the National Guard will be the complimentary dinner to be held at the Hotel Windsor, Trenton, Tuesday evening, February 8, to General H. Heber Brientnall, formerly Adjutant General.

The affair is being arranged by many prominent men of the guard. Quartermaster General C. Edward Murray is chairman of the committee in charge.

**Death Follows Paterson Explosion.**

Charles Van Houden, injured in the explosion at the Edison electric light plant Friday night, died yesterday morning at St. Joseph's Hospital, Paterson. A coroner's inquest will be held to determine the cause of the explosion, which blew up four boilers.

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## DR. HARRISON AT TRINITY

**Congregation's Missionary to Arabia Makes Addresses at Several Meetings.**

*HIS FAREWELL ON FRIDAY.*

**Week Here to Be a Busy One for Him—He Spoke Three Times Yesterday at Reformed Church.**

Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison, who will be the representative of Trinity Reformed church in the foreign missionary fields of Arabia, and who will sail for that country on Saturday, was the magnet that attracted large congregations at the services held in that church yesterday. He was accorded a hearty greeting at all of the services at which he appeared and when he departs for his missionary post in Arabia, he is sure to go with the feeling and belief that Trinity church, the members of its Sunday school, and all of the societies, will accord to him their loyal support during his absence.

It was a busy day for Dr. Harrison as at the morning service he delivered a missionary address and in the evening he preached a sermon. He also made addresses before the Sunday school and at the Christian Endeavor Society meeting. At all of the services the utmost interest prevailed.

During the present week, up to the time of his leave taking, Dr. Harrison will be busily engaged at the different services in the church which will present an opportunity to all members to see and hear him before sailing. On Wednesday afternoon he will address the Junior Christian Endeavor meeting, and on the same evening he will conduct the midweek prayer service. On Thursday night Dr Harrison will be given a reception by the Christian Endeavor Society.

At 8 o'clock, on Friday evening, a service of consecration and farewell will be held. Taking a part in this service will be the pastor, Rev. John Y. Broek, Dr. Albertus T. Broek, Dr. James I. Vance, of Newark, and Dr. Samuel M. Zwemer and B. J. Barney, of Arabia. The latter promises to be a memorable service in the history of the church. The service of laying on of hands and consecration will be most inspiring.

At the morning service yesterday Dr. Harrison held the undivided attention of his hearers in a discourse on the "characteristics of the Early Church." One of the important thoughts brought out in Dr. Harrison's address was the hospitable spirit employed by the early churches in reaching out after the "other fellow." He lauded the early church for its generosity and praised the missionary enterprise of its founders.

Dr. Harrison's remarks were made forcible by the use of a map in which he pointed out to the congregations the missionary fields in which the Reformed church is operating, which included Japan, China, India and Arabia, the destination of the speaker. He declared that the church of today is following the lines adopted by the early church, and this characteristic, he said, would surely bring success.

At the Sunday school service Dr. Harrison also gave an interesting talk in which he used a map. He related a number of anedotes of workers in foreign fields and gave his hearers much food for missionary thought. He told of a recent Christian Endeavor meeting in which the members of the society pledged themselves to read four missionary books a year and he offered the same suggestion to the members of the school.

### SHARES KENNEL WITH DOG.

**Runaway Boy Found Living in Animal's Quarters.**

New Brunswick, Jan. 24.—John Decker, who was recently released from the State Home for Boys at Jamesburg, to work for a farmer near this city, was found sharing a doghouse with a dog in Throop avenue Saturday night by the police.

The boy had run away from the farmer and had been sleeping in the kennel and begging his meals in the neighborhood. He was returned to the school.

**Thirteen Caught in Raid.**

Elizabeth, Jan. 24.—Three women and ten men were arrested at midnight Saturday night in a raid on the house at 132 Niles street. The women were Kate McKenzie, Mary Stoule and Bella Currero. They were held in default of fines imposed by Judge O. P. Mahon. Joseph Forka and Rocco Juliette were held on charges made against them by the women, under heavy bail. Others were held for carrying concealed weapons, a score of knives, pistols and razors having been found in the rooms of the place raided. Besides those mentioned the following were locked up: Pasquale Labronia, James Gastoni, Oscar McCarry, Madrianna Paterna, Pasquale Ottriacco, Nicholas Vossali, James Marrapodi.

**Bought Bound Brook Farm.**

Clarence Eick, of Lincoln, last week, put through a deal in which he purchased the Smock farm at Bound Brook.

## DUNELLEN REVIVAL MEETS WITH UNUSUAL SUCCESS

Religious circles in Dunellen and New Market are displaying a big interest in the union evangelistic services which were inaugurated two weeks ago. The service will continue another two weeks during which time they will be conducted in the First Baptist church at New Market. The first service which was held there last night was largely attended and four persons asked for prayers.

Rev. Ernest O. Brown, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Dunellen, occupied the pulpit and he will continue in charge of the meetings this week. Next week the Rev. W. A. Knox, pastor of the First Methodist church, of Dunellen, will assume the leadership. At the morning service yesterday Mr. Knox exchanged pulpits with the Rev. George H. Gardner, pastor of the First Baptist church.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD

The Sunshine Mission Band of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet in the church parlors this afternoon for sewing.

The Epworth League of this city announces a rally of Plainfield Group, No. 4, to be held in the First M. E. church, Thursday night, February 3.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church will hold a missionary tea in the Epworth house tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. Mrs. A. W. Hayes, the district secretary, will be present and give a talk.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at the First M. E. church Wednesday night at the close of the prayer meeting. Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, district superintendent, will preside and reports will be given.

### GUESTS AT RESORT TAKE SURE BATHS

Atlantic City, Jan. 24.—New Jerseymen and New Yorkers made up a big majority of the several thousand boardwalk promenaders who broke all resort records for the time of year in numbers. Trains from New York ran in two sections Saturday afternoon, and the first shortage of parlor cars for the year was reported.

Several bathers essayed surf dips yesterday, but were quickly conquered by the chill of the breakers. Hotel men report early reservations of quarters for Easter, which comes earlier than usual this year.

The new arrivals welcome the rolling chair war, which has resulted in chair barons cutting their former prices for the vehicles in half, and long rides followed the promenade with most of the visitors. The popularity of the chairs under the cut has been so pronounced that officials are considering a law that will limit the number of new vehicles placed in service to prevent congestion when the Easter crowd begins to arrive.

### TWENTY-FIVE YEARS IN PRISON FOR CRISPO.

Freehold, Jan. 24.—A sentence of twenty-five years in State prison was imposed by Justice Willard P. Voorhees, of New Brunswick, Saturday upon Cavino Crispo, forty-nine years old, who was convicted last week of murder in the second degree in the killing of Michael Villepiano, at Asbury Park, September 12 last. Villepiano was shot during a street quarrel about 9 o'clock at night. Immediately after the shooting a report was circulated that Villepiano was marked for death by certain Italians at Asbury Park, for evidence he was alleged to have given the police concerning a shooting affray at Crispo's house, the night of July 24.

No motive for the crime was shown during the trial. Prosecutor Applegate attempted to introduce evidence concerning the shooting at Crispo's home in July, but he was stopped by the objection of counsel for the defense.

### TO LECTURE TO PRESS CLUB.

Princeton, Jan. 24.—A number of eminent men have been secured by the University Press Club to deliver informal addresses before the club and the undergraduates at large on subjects connected with the newspaper and magazine world. Already Jesse Lynch Williams, '92, the author of "Princeton Stories" and other books, and Samuel Hopkins Adams, have addressed the club. The list of speakers arranged for follows: February 10, Professor Henry Jones Ford, "The Editorial Page;" February 17, Hart Lyman, editor of the New York Tribune, "Some Hints on Journalism;" February 24, Professor W. M. Daniels, '88, "The Influence of the Newspaper;" March 3, Robert S. Yard, '83, of Moffatt & Yard, on "Book Publishing;" March 10, Robert Bridges, '79, of Scribner's, "The Magazine World;" March 15 or 16, George B. Mallon, city editor the New York Sun, "How the News is Gathered;" March 31, Robert Rudd Whiting, '01, "Writing for the Magazines."

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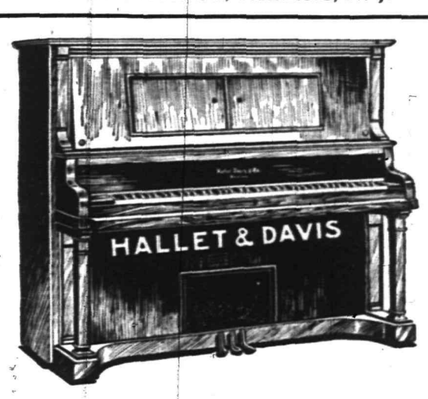


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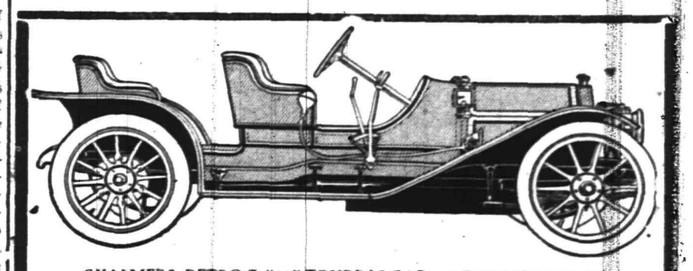

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## Y.W.C.A. GYM EXHIBITION

### Costume Dance, Basketball Game and Other Features on Program.

ON NEXT MONDAY NIGHT.

Grand March, Military Drill, Folk-Dance and Dumb-bell Exercise Are All Included.

The mid-winter exhibit of gymnasium work by the classes of the Young Women's Christian Association, and basketball game, will be held at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium Monday night, January 31. In addition there will be folk dances in costume. Admission will be by ticket until 8:05 o'clock on Monday night and after that tickets will be sold. The program will be as follows:

Part I. Grand march, members of the various classes; military drill and dance, girls of Junior class; mass drill, (wand and dumb-bell exercises), members of the Monday evening and Wednesday afternoon beginners' classes; Scot folk dance, Highland Schottisch, Tuesday evening advanced class; bar-bell drill, Wednesday evening advanced class; Indian club drill, Tuesday evening advanced class; Spanish folk dance, Wednesday evening advanced class; Swedish Peasant dance, members of Monday evening and Wednesday afternoon beginners' classes.

This program is planned to exhibit the regular class work carried on week by week in the Y. W. C. A. gymnasium. The only extra feature to be intorduced is the touch of color in the foreign costumes. Folk-dancing has been introduced into regular gymnastics as a form of play and good exercise, as a means to health and not to produce finished dancing. Miss Margaret E. Mosher is the physical director and Miss Florence Wyckoff will preside at the piano at the exhibition.

The basketball game to follow will be between the association and North Plainfield High School teams. The lineup will be as follows:

Y. W. C. A.—Lona Becker, centre; Reba Kline, Annie Daly, forwards; Helen Southard, Ida Englehart, guards; Elizabeth Becker, Edna Snedecker, substitutes. N. P. H. S.—Marjorie Hart, centre; Bessie Conroy, Helen George, forwards; Clara Smith, Henrietta Winn, guards; Nettie Steiner, Helen Hummel, substitutes.

### MR. AND MRS. MANLEY'S WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

Mr. and Mrs. John Manley, of Park avenue, are today celebrating the anniversary of their marriage at the home of Mrs. Manley's mother, Mrs. Amanda Sharp, in New York city. They were married twenty-one years ago today at 16 Prospect place, New York, Mrs. Manley then being Miss Sarah Sharp. For several years she was the leading soprano at the American Temperance Union at 18th street and Fifth avenue.

Mrs. Manley has an excellent soprano voice and she is frequently heard at local religious gatherings, and is frequently requested to sing at religious meetings in New York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Manley removed from New York to New Brunswick where they lived for ten years. They removed to Plainfield in 1896 and have lived here ever since. Mr. Manley was employed by the Metropolitan Insurance Company for many years as an agent, only recently being placed on the retired list. The couple have three sons and one daughter.

### Dr. Dager Speaks Here Tonight.

Rev. Dr. Forest E. Dager, of Philadelphia, will teach the Sunday school lesson for next Sunday and make an address on "The Use of Illustrations," at the First Baptist church, tonight, under the auspices of the Plainfield Sunday School Teachers' Union. Dr. Dager is a teacher in Temple College, Philadelphia, has a Bible class of three hundred students. He is intensely in earnest and inspires his audience. To come to Plainfield Dr. Dager leaves his home at 5 o'clock and returns after midnight. This will be his last appearance here in the present series of talks.

### Jeanette Scott.

Jeanette, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott, of 28 Whitewood avenue, died at Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday afternoon, after an illness of several weeks. The funeral service will be held tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Methodist cemetery. Miss Scott was a pupil in the Watchung school in the borough and had a large circle of friends. She had been ill since the Christmas holidays.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

## LOCAL ORDINANCE MAY BE STATE LAW

Emulating the action of Plainfield for many years in licensing barbers and providing for strict sanitary regulations, Assemblyman Ford, of Hudson, has offered a bill in the lower house of the Legislature, requiring the licensing of barbers through a commission of three examiners to be appointed by the Governor.

Sometime ago, following the outbreak of smallpox in this city, steps were taken at once to provide for a more strict regulation of the barber business. The matter was placed in control of the Board of Health, which now has jurisdiction over the "tonsorial artists" and their business. They are required to take out a license and their shops must conform strictly to the rules and regulations as provided in the health code of the city.

Among some of the more important provisions are a clean towel for every patron, the sterilizing of razors and all instruments which are used in shaving, etc., and barbers are prohibited from using alum sticks in stopping the flow of blood on the face, the rule insisting that powdered alum be used and applied with a clean cloth. The reason for this is that by the use of the alum stick, it is possible to transmit disease from one to another patron where the stick is applied to any number of faces.

Barbers are also required to keep their shops scrupulously clean and do all in their power to minimize the danger of transmitting disease. While at first the change worked a hardship in a few cases, the barbers now agree that the rules and regulations are not only for the best interests of patrons, but the business as well.

## PROTESTS AGAINST WIDE-OPEN SUNDAY

Bills having been introduced in the State Legislature designed to legalize baseball and other games and the sale of liquor on the Sabbath, the Plainfield Christian Endeavor Union in conjunction with the State Union, the Lord's Day Alliance and other religious bodies, has called upon Sabbath observers to lend their aid to defeat such a proposition.

Upon the authority of the executive committee of the Plainfield Union, Clarence B. LaRue, its president, has sent letters to the Senators and Assemblymen of Union, Somerset and Middlesex counties, in which the societies of the Union are located, urging action.

Dr. F. W. Johnson, president of the Lord's Day Alliance of New Jersey, and superintendent of the Sabbath Observance Department of the State C. E. Union, is sending out postals stating the facts with an idea of arousing a Statewide interest. They are aimed especially at the bill introduced by Senator Osborn, of Essex, permitting local option on Sunday liquor selling after 1 o'clock, a measure supported by Atlantic, Hudson and Essex counties.

Dr. Johnson calls upon the Christian churches of the State to protest vigorously to their representatives in the Legislature against any change being made in the Sunday law, and adds that if these bills are to be defeated within the next few days in the Assembly, protests by the hundreds must flood the Legislature halls and the Senators and Assemblymen must be shown that public sentiment remains with the Sabbath. He declares "that the Sunday law of New Jersey is in peril and if the State expects the church to protect the morals of the people, as it surely does when it appoints chaplains in the penal institutions, then it ought at least to allow the church one day in seven on which to do its work undisturbed by the saloon and the baseball game."

### RETAIL COAL CONCERN WITH CAPITAL OF $50,000.

Articles of incorporation were filed this morning in the office of County Clerk James C. Calvert, Elizabeth, by the Wadley & Goodenough Co., of this city, the principal office of the company being at 208 Madison avenue. The company is organized to carry on a general business in anthracite and bituminous coal.

The authorized capital is $50,000, five hundred shares at the par value of $100 each. The incorporators are William J. Reid, of Brooklyn; Eva Ellinger and Claude Goodenough, of New York.

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## FAVOR ANTI-TREAT LAW

### Bill in Legislature to Prevent the Purchase of Drinks for Others.

TO DISCOURAGE THE HABIT.

Cause of Much Drunkenness Is Due to the General Practise of "Blowing" Others at Saloon Bars.

The action of Assemblyman Heritage, of Gloucester county, in offering an anti-treat bill in the Assembly, last night, has thrown another big scare into the saloonkeepers and brewers of the State. The bill provides that the holder of any liquor license permitting customers to treat one another to drinks on his premises shall forfeit his license.

It is the opinion of a large number of people, who are acquainted with the situation that one of the greatest, if not the greatest evils of the liquor traffic, is the custom of treating. Men prominent in all walks of life maintain that if the treating habit is eliminated, the evils of the drink traffic would be reduced to a minimum. In fact in certain parts of the country there have been formed anti-treating clubs, the sole object of which are to discourage the habit.

Persons who frequent saloons or hotel bars know how prevalent the treating custom is. Invariably if a man walks up to a bar to get a drink, he will invite his friends present "to join him." This means, sometimes, several rounds of drinks, with the result that the man who started the evil by offering to treat, gets more liquor than is good for him and spends more money than perhaps he can afford. This may be true to those who are treated.

There are Plainfielders who remember the custom of a certain liquor dealer in business here some years ago. If a man walked up to his bar for a drink, the proprietor would invariably call up every man in the barroom to have a drink at the expense of his customer. There were instances when some would refuse a drink, but nine times out of ten all would respond to the invitation.

On the other hand, it is said, there are saloons and hotels where the treating habit is discouraged in every way possible, the proprietors realizing the evil effects from the custom.

## ADE'S "FAIR CO-ED" IS A RATTLING GOOD SHOW

Representative Plainfield filled the theatre last night and enthusiastically applauded Miss Elsie Janis and her capable support in "The Fair Co-Ed." Like "The College Widow" the scenes of "The Fair Co-Ed" are laid about the ground and buildings of a little "fresh water" college in the middle West, and the characters mostly are those included in the academic and neighborhood life of the institution. Miss Janis creates the character of Cynthia Bright, the only girl student to matriculate during the first year of Bingham College's attempt to establish itself as a co-educational school.

The presence of one charming and lively girl among a bunch of two or three hundred impressionable undergraduates would seem to be fraught with possibilities, and in Miss Bright's case the possibilities are not confined to the undergraduate body. Even the stale old professor of psychology is one of those who ceases to "follow the light" of science in order that he might more persistently "follow her." Gustax Luders wrote the music to Mr. Ade's three act comedy and the tuneful memories of "The Prince of Pilsen" inclined most ears to thorough enjoyment of his latest score. Miss Janis has developed a good bit since she was last seen here in "The Hoyden" and now at twenty years she is said to be showing great promise along the lines of legitimate comedy. She doesn't do any "imitations" of famous actors in "The Fair Co-Ed," but in the third act she does show in her own inimitable style how some of America's favorite players might impersonate some characters entirely out of their metier if they tried.

Every seat in the house was sold before the performance began.

### Breslin's New Management.

Hotel Breslin, at Lake Hopatcong, will be managed next season by Latz & Company, which firm also conducts the Villa Allamack at Lakewood.

### Lecture on Panama.

Charles L. Lewis, of the Lotus Glee Club, will deliver a lecture in Y. M. C. A. hall tonight on "What I Saw in Panama."

## COST OF LIVING PROBE

### Assembly Adopts Resolution to Investigate the Food Monopolies.

PAPERS SENT TO THE SENATE.

But Meyer's Proposition to Have Matter Placed Before Attorney General Goes to the Committee.

Republicans and Democrats in the House at Trenton last night enlisted in the crusade against high food prices. By unanimous vote this concurrent resolution, offered by Majority Leader Walter E. Edge, was adopted by the Assemblymen:

"Whereas, the greatly increased cost of meat and other food has become a matter of much seriousness to the citizens of this State, and the cause would seem to justify an earnest and searching investigation; therefore be it

"Resolved, That the House of Assembly (the Senate concurring) do heartily approve of the action of the administration at Washington in investigating any combination of food interests, and that we do heartily endorse any further action on the part of the Federal Government looking to a correction of the present condition."

The resolution went over to the Senate at once and will receive early consideration.

Assemblyman Charles A. Meyer, Democrat, of Sussex, offered a more sweeping resolution calling for investigation by Attorney-General Edmund Wilson. He tried in vain to push it through without reference to committee, but Speaker Harry P. Ward placed it in the care of the judiciary committee. The resolution follows:

"Whereas, The use of meat, butter, eggs and milk are necessities of life; and

Whereas, Any increase in the price thereof imposes a great hardship upon the community at large, and particularly upon the poor; and

"Whereas, There has recently been a very large increase in the price charged the consumers, amounting in some section to double the sum formerly charged; and

"Whereas, It has been reported in the public press and otherwise that there exists a combination or unlawful monopoly among the retail and wholesale dealers engaged in the sale of the above mentioned comodities to maintain the price thereof at an excessive figure; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the attorney-general of the State be and hereby is directed to institute an investigation for the purpose of ascertaining whether there be any unlawful monopoly or combination to enhance the price of meat, butter, eggs and milk in the handling, delivery or sale thereof by any person, firm or corporation in this State, and, if so, to take such proceedings as may be necessary and appropriate in the circumstances to enforce the law."

## PIERCE INTRODUCES PUBLIC UTILITY BILL

Assemblyman Pierce, of Union, this morning, at the House in Trenton, introduced the fourth bill proposing to create a public utility commission. This bill plans a board to consist of three members, the present railroad commissioners to be the commissioners for the balance of their unexpired terms. Their successors are to be appointed by the Governor by and with the advice and consent of the Senate. Salaries are to remain as at present, $6,000 per year, and the expenses of the commission are limited to $35,000 as against $50,000, the cost of the present railroad commission, which is to be abolished.

In substance the bill includes the powers of the present railroad commission and extends the jurisdiction of the commission to all utility corporations within the State. The powers of rate making with a court review is added. There is also added a stock and bond issue clause requiring the submission of proposed issues to the commisison for approval, the approval to be given if the proposed issue is lawful.

### Auto Bus' Meeting.

The Plainfield Auto Bus' Company will hold a special meeting Monday night at the office of the secretary, F. A. Dittenhofer, the object being to discuss the financial situation of the concern. The company will also outline a plan for the future operation of the company.

—Thursday evening, this week, concert of old familiar songs. High School auditorium. Tickets $1.00, at Armstrong's. •••1 24 3

## RAINES LAW FOR JERSEY

### Bill in Legislature Permits the Sale of Liquor on Sunday.

SANDWICH AS A DINNER.

Walter Edge as an Atlantic City Excuse Says It is a Glaring Necessity—He Makes a Plea.

Colonel Walter E. Edge introduced a bill in the House at Trenton to amend Atlantic City's charter to permit the sale of liquor on Sunday between 1 o'clock p. m. and midnight. The measure is on the lines of the New York Raines law, the sale of liquor to be limited to purchases of food and to hotels and restaurants.

Its passage would probably result in the importation of some Raines law sandwiches. To take advantage of the measure other cities would have to amend it to make the provisions general.

In explanation of the bill Colonel Edge, as House majority leader, said:

"I am introducing this bill with the sole object of relieving somewhat the very unsatisfactory conditions now existing in Atlantic City in relation to excise matters, and am doing so entirely as a representative in the Legislature of Atlantic City and county, and in nowise should this action be connected with the responsibilities of my position as the majority leader.

"In introducing this amendment to our charter it does not affect any other municipality in the State, inasmuch as no other city is operating under it, nor would many provisions of the act of April 3, 1902, known as the "Atlantic City Charter," be suitable for any other city in the State. We are therefore asking for legislation which a large majority of our people feel absolutely necessary for the proper and continuous development of our city.

"The bill is operative only by a majority vote of the people, which assures its fairness, and the fact that food must likewise be served absolutely prevents what is known as a wide-open Sunday, which Atlantic City is in nowise seeking.

"We do not feel that this is therefore in any way a political measure, nor can it fairly be warped into a political issue. It is simply the crying and glaring necessity of a large, popular and successful seaside resort, today entertaining the most discerning, the most moral and the most cosmopolitan contingent of people entertained by any resort, not only in America, but in the world."

## DEMANDS INVESTIGATION OF PHONE CO.'S METHODS

Senator Gebhardt, of Hunterdon county, presented a resolution in the Senate at Trenton, last night, providing for an investigation by the Attorney General of the State into the monopoly and exhorbitant rates now being charged by the New York Telephone Company in the nothern part of the State. The resolution set forth that this company was charging a rate greatly in excess of that exacted by companies in other states and it asked that the Attorney General recommend a method for the correction of the abuse.

Senator Gebhardt asked immediate action on the resolution, but Senator Ackerman, the majority leader, moved that it be referred to the judiciary committee and this action was taken.

### Miss Kenny Not an Applicant.

In a recent issue it was stated that Miss Margaret F. Kenny, of this city, was an applicant for the position of teacher in the Livingstone Public School, New Brunswick. She wishes The Press to say that she was not an applicant. Miss Kenny was graduated from Barnard College last year and has made no decision concerning her future plans.

### Johnson Held for Grand Jury.

Thomas Johnson, who was arrested on Saturday night charged with the theft of forty dollars from Fred J. Lynn, of the Iroquois Hotel, entered a plea of not guilty before Judge Runyon this morning. Johnson was held for the grand jury.

### Bagged Two Large Racoons.

While hunting in Ash Swamp, near Willow Grove yesterday, "Spiel" Walsh, a local hunter, bagged two large racoons. Walsh also tracked a fox a considerable distance but failed to capture Reynard.

### John D. Townsend Better.

John. D. Townsend, of Norwood avenue, who has been confined to his bed by stomach trouble for a week, is rapidly recovering and expects to be out in a few days.

## WORK STARTED ON NEW SCHOOLHOUSE

Building Inspector T. O. Doane, having issued the official building permit, for the erection of the new public school on Dunellen avenue, the contractors, the Ross-Bush Company, of New York, have started to rush the construction at a speedy clip which will permit the opening of the school next September.

Despite the weather conditions good headway has been made on the concrete foundations and the work is being pushed by a big gang of mechanics and in a few weeks the main body of the school will be visible.

Inspector Doane predicts a busy time for local contractors during the coming spring and summer months. Although January has been a comparatively quiet month numerous plans are underway. In addition to the permit issued to the Board of Education for the new school permits have been issued to the following during the present month:

C. B. Eddy, New York, two story dwelling, corner Grant avenue and West Eighth street.

H. Adelberg, removal of buildings, corner Richmond and East Second to rear of lot, also to erect dwelling on lot.

Estate of Fred W. Gray, 984 Hillside avenue, two story dwelling.

Clarence Mundy, 446 Orchard place, dwelling 132 Netherwood avenue.

Mrs. E. T. Bowman, 313 West Second street, dwelling, West Second street and Emerson avenue.

Spicer Manufacturing Co., addition to factory on Madison avenue.

Joseph Manhattan, 343 East Third street, dwelling, South Second street, near Plainfield avenue.

C. L. Manning, 183 North avenue, dwelling, 1318 Watchung avenue.

## WANTS $500 FOR DAMAGES DONE AUTO IN CRASH

Damages to the amount of $500 as the result of a head-on automobile collision in Fanwood last November, is asked by John A. F. Simpson, of this city, who is suing Douglas L. Darby, a farmer, in the District Court before Judge Whittemore at Elizabeth today.

Simpson, according to his story, was driving his automobile in Fanwood on Martine street and was approaching Broad street when he saw Darby coming in his automobile from an opposite direction. Simpson says he signaled Darby to stop as he was going to turn into Broad street. He said that Darby failed to heed the signal and came straight ahead. Simpson declares that he turned his machine to the extreme right of the road and that at the same time Darby turned his machine sharply to the left, a collision resulting.

The plaintiff claims that his automobile was badly damaged and that it was made useless for several weeks. Assistant Prosecutor Walter L. Hetfield, Jr., appears for Darby.

### POINTS OUT ERRORS IN HIS STATEMENT.

A subscriber to The Daily Press takes exception to some of the statements in yesterday's issue of The Press made by Wm. M. Stillman relative to a site for the Federal building. He says that Mr. Stillman is in error, when he states that the Government purchased the property on Broad street, Elizabeth, for its Federal building, the site occupied by the First National Bank and the Woolworth store.

This site, the subscriber says, was purchased by the Union County Trust Company for its handsome new building erected there, and that the Government secured a site out of the business section of the county seat for its postoffice building.

Regarding the site at Front and Somerset streets, a subscriber says that it would cost approximately $200,000, that he himself would be willing to give $150,000 for the property. This, it can be seen, is out of the question as the Government originally appropriated $100,000 for land and building and there is now a bill before Congress for $15,000 additional.

### Steeple-Jack's Work.

A Steeple Jack from New York performed a daring feat yesterday when he cut four feet off the top of the steel smoke-stack at the electric light station. The steel had corroded at the top which will necessitate a new section of pipe being put on to take its place. During the past week the Steeple Jack completed painting the pipe which is about eighty feet high.

### Attended Livery Sale.

Frank Hedden and Adam C. Blair attended a horse sale in Philadelphia yesterday at which Hedden purchased two handsome black mares.

## WANT VOTES FOR WOMEN

### Four Men Apply for Membership in the Equal Suffrage League.

MRS. I. L. MILLER'S ADDRESS.

Paper on "Rights and Obligations of Citizenship" Is Enjoyed at Meeting Held Yesterday Afternoon.

It was announced at the monthly meeting of the Equal Suffrage League of Plainfield and North Plainfield, at the home of Mrs. Isaac L. Miller, of Watchung avenue, yesterday, that of seven persons about to join the organization, four are men. This is the first instance of men identifying themselves with this movement and it has been a source of great encouragement to the members.

Four new members were enrolled yesterday, Miss Russell Bateman, Mrs. V. R. Henry, Mrs. Francis De Lacey Hyde and Dr. Clara DeH. Krans. There was a large attendance at the meeting yesterday and promises to be larger in the future.

The paper of the afternoon was read by Mrs. Isaac L. Miller on the subject, "Rights and Obligations of Citizenship." Mrs. Miller said in part:

"It is obvious that the first right of a citizen is the right to good government, one that affords ample protection to life and property and facilitates the carrying on of legitimate industries." She pointed out that it is a part of the government to educate the masses so that ignorance be not the excuse for vice and yet the government must not interfere with the freedom of the individual in his private life. A great obligation comes with the vote—the obligation to acquaint oneself with the requirements of each office and see that it is properly filled."

Mrs. Miller spoke of attending the primaries as a primary duty, if one may jest in so serious a subject, and she made a strong plea for enforcing the law. General Grant used to say, "That the way to get a bad law repealed was to enforce it." The enforcing of a good law needs no defense. Mrs. Miller touched also on the duty of the State to the children. The future wealth of the nation is in the quality of these future citizens.

Finally, a good citizen must be law-abiding, but the laws must be changed when necessary. We must have new laws for new conditions. A lively discussion followed the paper, after which the meeting adjourned and tea was served.

### MRS. CORYDON E. TYLER GOES TO HER REWARD.

Plainfield friends will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Lucy Wells, wife of Corydon E. Tyler, formerly of this city, but recently of Brooklyn, which occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Clifford Kelsey, 455 Washington avenue, Brooklyn, on Sunday. She was seventy-two years of age. The funeral services will be held at her late residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Tyler will be especially well remembered by Plainfielders. He organized and was for many years the teacher of the Berean Bible class at Warren chapel. This class had an extensive reputation in this city and vicinity.

### JUDGE RUNYON WILL LEAD THE SINGING.

Singing will be one of the big attractions of the men's mass meeting which will be held in the First Methodist church on Friday night. Secretary Lewis C. Parker, of the Y. M. C. A., today secured Judge William N. Runyon to act as leader.

A unique feature of the meeting is that no collection will be taken.

### E. H. Cleveley Engaged.

Announcement was made today of the engagement of Miss Marguerite Summers, daughter of Mrs. Sally Summers, of Grove street, and E. H. Cleveley, of North avenue. Both Miss Summers and Mr. Cleveley have a host of friends here. The latter is the proprietor of the well known restaurant on North avenue, bearing his name. No date for the wedding has been announced.

### Had Phonograph Sociable.

Members of Brightside Circle Kings Daughters, were entertained at the home of A. C. LaBoyteaux, on Fairview avenue, last night. Forty guests were present and an enjoyable time was had in listening to operatic airs rendered by Mr. LaBoyteaux's new phonograph. Miss Lillian Ritchie, who was expected to sing, was unable to be present on account of illness.

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This last week of the most successful Clearance Sale we have ever held will be devoted to clean up broken lots, remnants, odds and ends from various departments which we find have accumulated during the three weeks of this Clearance Sale. And it will prove the most interesting, important and profitable to the purchaser, because we will not inventory them. They must be closed out this week, no matter what the cost to us.

## The Lots That Must Be Closed Out the Following Are Conspicuous

**REMNANTS**—Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Linens, Domestics, White Goods, Linings, Embroideries, Laces and Ginghams **less than Half Price.**

**ODD SIZES** in Corsets, Sweaters, Boys' Tam Caps, Wool Shawls, Outing Flannel Gowns, Corset Covers and Drawer Combinations, White Muslin Underwear.

**BROKEN SIZES** in Men's Underwear, Boys' and Men's Sweaters, Boys' Blouses, Gloves, and odd lot of Men's Ties.

**ALSO BROKEN LOTS** of Ladies' Neckwear, Gloves, Hand Bags, Hair Brushes, Mirrors, Scissors, Hair Rolls.

**SHORT LENGTHS** of Cretonne, Silkaline, Curtain Swiss and Matting, several lots of Chinaware.

**MILLINERY**—We have a few lots of fine Trimmed Hats that you can buy at less than cost of material.

**ODD LOTS** of Ladies' Kimonas, Dressing Jackets, Wrappers, House Dresses, etc.

## In the Suit and Coat Dept. Cost Price is Not Considered

Every vestage of the present season's stock must be disposed of to make room for our spring stock.

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| $30.00 superior Tailored Suits for | $15.00 |
| $35.00 High Grade Suits for | $17.50 |

## Ladies' Black and Colored Coats

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| $10.00 Coats, plain and mixtures, for | $5.00 |
| $15.00 Covert and Black Coats for | $7.50 |
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### BOUND BROOK AND VICINITY.

The sixth annual banquet of the Brotherhood of the Bound Brook Presbyterian church will be held in the chapel Thursday night. The dinner will be served by the Ladies' Aid Society.

Mrs. Calvin Hoagland, of Franklin street, South Bound Brook, is spending some time at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed, in Newark.

Mrs. Amzi Wolfe, of Basking Ridge, is being entertained at the home of her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillespie, in John street, Bound Brook.

Mrs. Sylvanus Ayres, Jr., of High street, Bound Brook, and Mrs. E. H. Ayres, of Wilkesbarre, Pa., are at San Francisco preparing for a trip around the world.

Mrs. C. R. P. Fisher will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society of the local Congregational church at her home at Hamilton and Somerset streets this afternoon.

George La Monte and family, of West High street, Bound Brook, have gone to New York, where they will spend several weeks.

Arthur Van Cleef and family and Mrs. B. L. Welsh, of Millstone, spent the past week with friends in Bound Brook and vicinity.

Miss Helen Ten Eyck, of Somerville, is being entertained by Mrs. E. S. Close, in Somerset street, Bound Brook.

Mrs. Louisa Lovering is seriously ill at her home in Main street, South Bound Brook.

### SOMERVILLE.

Rev. J. Brownlee Voorhees, secretary of the Board of Domestic Missions of the Reformed church in America, occupied the pulpit of the Second Reformed church Sunday and addressed the Men's Bible Fellowship.

Miss Mary Haines, of South street, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Conkling, at Glen Gardner.

Miss Nellie Van Zandt, of Plainfield, is a guest of Miss Carrie Wilcox, on South Bridge street.

Miss Bessie Crollman has returned from a visit to Miss Mamie K. Sullivan in New York city.

Mrs. H. B. Smith, of Netherwood, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Harper Smith, on Alamont place.

### WESTFIELD.

The Westfield Board of Assessors has filed its assessment of benefits and damages on the following improvements: Kimball avenue, Walnut street, Downer street, Central avenue. A meeting of the Council will be held February 7, to hear objections to the assessments.

During the coming season Broad street is to be paved with brick, from Elm street to Stanley Oval, a distance of nearly half a mile.

Bids for printing the annual report of the Council and a revision of the town ordinances will be received by the Council tonight.

S. S. McClure will lecture before the Men's Club of the Presbyterian church next Friday evening.

The Westfield Board of Trade has decided not to hold a dinner this season.

### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

If the same energy could be devoted to a town improvement society that was put into the fight against license, what a different town this would soon be. Even the Public Service Corporation ignores the town—the guide sign on the trolley cars don't even mention Scotch Plains.

The county officers have been investigating the robbery at Deegan's hotel Monday night of last week, but no clew has as yet been obtained of the ones who got away with the $18.

Michael Gillotti, who has been spending the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Gillotti, of Forest avenue, has returned to his home at Orange.

The members of St. Mary's parish, Stony Hill, will hold a dance tomorrow night in the Lyceum building. Proceeds will be for the benefit of the church.

Mrs. Benjamin Clark, who has been spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Peterson, at Newark, has returned home.

Manning Frazier, who has been visiting his cousin, Charles Eller, of Forest avenue, has returned to his home in Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfonso Sabitino, of Park avenue, have been entertaining Mrs. Sabitino, of New York, for a few days.

Sleighing is a thing of the past, although Spruce Hill still remains in good condition for coasting.

### RAHWAY.

William F. Barry Camp, Sons of Veterans, of Rahway, installed new officers last night as follows: Commander, William S. Frazee; senior vice-commander, Allen B. Frazee; junior vice-commander, John A. Brown; chaplain, John E. Gehring; secretary, George D. Heath; treasurer, August H. Schneider; Camp Council, P. H. Gehring, William Sherrill and John B. Thompson; delegates to the division encampment, Allen B. Frazee, George D. Heath, delegates to the Death Benefit Association, P. Gehring and William Sherrill.

John W. Martin, veteran, chaplain of Barry Post, G. A. R., was called to Boonton yesterday to attend the burial of a relative who died suddenly.

A sauerkraut supper was enjoyed Saturday night at the surprise party given by twenty young people to Erastus Mundy.

Miss Carolyn Wells and her mother sailed yesterday on a tour.

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# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Woodbury storekeepers found a number of counterfeit nickels in their Saturday's receipts.

G. L. Carr, of Mays Landing, yesterday found fourteen of his fowls dead, and believes they were poisoned.

Atlantic county trappers have had a poor season thus far, owing to the extreme cold weather and so much ice.

Charged with soliciting funds for a supposed children's home, Mary Kugler was arrested in Gloucester Saturday night.

Rev. S. K. Moore, pastor of the Mays Landing M. E. church, will draw the plans for the $12,000 improvements to the High School building.

Magistrate Daniel E. Izard has been elected superintendent of the Mays Landing Presbyterian Sunday school for the forty-seventh consecutive term.

Teachers of Atlantic county will gather next Friday and Saturday in Pleasantville to attend a two days institute. Speakers of note have been secured by County Superintendent Cressman.

Gloucester has discovered that there is great waste in its water supply. Water Chief Carter has reported that it is necessary to pump 125,000 gallons more Sundays than week-days, and it has been suggested that saloons are closed Sundays now.

Plunging down a stairway at the Columbia Hotel, Third and Market streets, Camden, early Sunday morning, Thomas Bentcliff, thirty-five years old, of Moorestown, sustained a fracture of the skull and is in a serious condition at Cooper Hospital. The accident was due to Bentcliff's mistaking the cellar steps for those ascending to the upper story.

The Glouster County Freeholders' Stone Road Committee ran a four and one-half ton roller over the sample road between Westville and West Deptford Hotel Saturday, with the view of getting some testimony for the trial of the suit against the freeholders by the Imperial Company for the amount due, said to be about $9,000. The county will not accept the road.

Interesting services were held at the State Street M. E. church, Camden, Sunday, in connection with its triple anniversary, including the thirty-fourth of the Sunday-school, the twentieth of the church, and the sixth of the dedication of the present edifice. A feature of the occasion was the presentation by the Ushers' Union of a set of silver collection plates. About $2,500 was raised toward the church debt.

Rev. Eric Saul, pastor of the Lutheran church, Gloucester, delights in raising pigeons, but has suffered from the depredations of thieves, which he has reported to the police. Policeman Lyons Saturday night discovered John Toms, seventeen years old, with a bag of pigeons on his shoulder and placed him under arrest. The boy confessed that he and John Williams stole the dominie's birds. The boys will have a hearing today.

### ITCH RELIEVED AT ONCE.

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Corticelli Spool Silk, black only; 100 yard spools; on sale at..... .7

5c Toilet Paper, 3c—Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8 oz. rolls; regular 5c quality, sale..... .3

5c Milward's Needles, 3c—Milward's best needles, all sizes, regular 5c, on sale at, paper..... .3

Mercerized White Batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide; a regular 29c quality; on sale at, yard..... .15

7c Best Calicos at 5c—The American Printing Co.'s best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value, sale, yard..... .5

54 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard..... .14

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, sale..... .59

54-in. Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard..... .29

6c Figured Challies at 4c—40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c value, at, yard..... .4

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale..... .39

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value, sale, pair..... .10

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS at $1.49.**
25 Black Heatherbloom Petticoats, made with full deep flounce, label on every petticoat, on sale..... $1.49

**CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES, AGES 6 TO 14.**
The balance of our stock of Girls' Wash Dresses, ages 6 to 14, grouped in two lots to clear out before the new ones arrive.

Lot 1—Wash Dresses, sold up to $1.69, at..... .85

Lot 2—Wash Dresses, sold up to $2.98, at..... $1.39

**WOMEN'S SILK RUBBERIZED COATS, $10.00 and $12.00 Values, at $7.85.**
Here is the way we cut the price during the January clearance. We offer about 25 Women's fine Silk Rubberized Coats, with satin stripes and some plain, all in the newest style; regular $10.00 and $12.50, on sale at..... $7.85

$3.50 Skirts at $1.98—Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts, made in neat dark grey mixed Panamas, good $3.50 value, at..... $1.98

**WOMEN'S TAILOR SUITS AT THIS CLEARANCE SALE.**
Women's all-wool Cheviot and Broadcloth Suits, good workmanship; sold at $16.50; sale..... $10.85

(Broken sizes only.)

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10.00; clearance price..... $6.98

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $11.15

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale..... .95

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at .39

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## New Linen and Lingerie Dresses

How lucky we were to secure these smart dresses in the early Spring styles at such a little price! How lucky you will be to buy them so cheaply from us!

Just 180 of them, mind you, and a lot like that shouldn't last long when priced as we have marked them.

These are with the new tunic or plaited skirt, handsome lace or braided yoke, tucked or braided bodice and belt, in the most winsome Spring shades— dresses that were brought out to sell at $8.75 and $11.75, to be sold at $4.98 and ..... $5.98

## Odd Suits---A Clearance

**Not all sizes** in this lot of suits, but they include sizes up to 54-in. bust, and many will find just the thing they want at a price they will be delighted to pay.

**Broadcloth Suits, Chevron Suits, Serge Suits, Wide Wale and Mannish Mixtures;** suits strictly tailored or nicely trimmed; yoke or full plaited skirts; almost every shade as well as black in the lot—

**Suits worth 20.50 to be sold at 9.98**
**Suits worth 39.00 to be sold at 19.98**

**Smart Skirts** of Panama and Novelty Weaves; yoke or full plaited styles; black and colors; sizes for women and misses; sold regularly at $6; Wednesday's price ..... $2.38

Second Floor.

### The Most Beautiful Rough Pongees in the World Are These

## 1.35 Mirage Silks at 85c

We told you this sale would be a sensation—and it was! Never such selling as on Friday and Saturday—and now that we have decided to announce it for Wednesday again, we look for another run on these banks of silk.

These are, perhaps, the most widely advertised and certainly one of the most exquisite silken fabrics that America has produced—**"Mirage"**— so called because of their sunlike brilliancy, their wonderful lustre.

Heretofore **"Mirage" Silks** have been held steadily at a price becoming their dignity and beauty—$1.35 a yard.

***Tomorrow again we are going to sell them at 85c a yard.***
***$1.35 silks for only 85c—a saving of 50c a yard.***
*Fully half a hundred shades to choose from, including variations of the following:*

**85c**

**Silver, Natural, Ashes of Rose, Reseda Cedar, New Blue, Old Rose, Gray, Copenhagen, Mode, Helio, Gold, Olive, Copper, Delft, Bluet, Violet, Smoke, Chasseur, Walnut, Artichoke, Jasper, Rose, Plum, Brown, White, Pink, Light Blue, Corn, Salmon, Mulberry, Leather.**

**85c**

## Sale of Corn Brooms

Notwithstanding the fact that corn brooms have advanced in price during the past three months and another advance is threatened, we are going to sell these guaranteed brooms much under price. These are of selected corn, no short ends or coarse stalks—not made for special selling but taken from our regular stock; seven of the highest grades to choose from, in sizes 6, 7 and 8:

| | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Regularly | 49c | 53c | 59c | 63c | 69c | 73c | 75c |
| Special | 45c | 47c | 53c | 56c | 62c | 65c | 69c |

## Home Needs for Little

**Sleeveboards**—hardwood, covered with muslin; regularly 15c, at **10c.**

**Washboards**—sanitary glass; good, quick cleaners; two sizes, for stationary and round wash tubs; 43c and 59c kinds at **37c** and **43c.**

**Wood Towel Rollers**—19c kind at **15c.**

**"Popular" Carpet Sweepers**—Bissel make; $1.25 kind at **$1.00.**

**Anchor Brand Clothes Wringers**—all parts guaranteed; $4.25 kind at **$3.59.**

**Galvanized Water Pails**—no hoops to come off; will not rust; 8 and 12 qt. sizes; regularly 17c to 23c at **10c** and **15c.**

**Ash Sifters**—square frame, wood rim; galvanized wire screen; regularly 10c and 12c; choice at **8c.**

**Shelf Paper**—Fancy perforated edges or plain white; 9c kind at **7c.**

**Self-Wringing Mops**—With handles; 29c kind at **23c.**

**"Gem" Step Ladders** for house use, with pail rest; good and strong; 5 and 6-ft. sizes; regularly $1 and $1.20; special **79c** and **89c.**

**Gas Toasters**—Will hold four slices of bread at one time; 15c kind at **12c.**

**Punch Bowls**—Fine, clear glass punch bowls and stand; regularly $1.75 (cheap at that); will be closed out at **95c.**

**Covered Butter Dishes**—White porcelain; 43c kind at **25c.**

**Sugar Bowls**—white porcelain; 32c kind **25c.**

**Teapots**—white porcelain; 48c kind **25c.**

**Tumblers**—fine, clear glass tumblers; a large variety to choose from; regularly 36c a dozen; special, each **2c.**

**Pitchers**—white porcelain; regularly 32c to 72c; special at **19c** to **39c.**

**Slop Jars**—white porcelain; bail handle; $1.35 kind at **98c.**

**Slop Jars**—white porcelain; open; regular $1.20; special at **89c.**

## Hahne & Co. Broad, New & Halsey Sts., Newark, N. J.


# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

### GOLF.

As a peacemaker Leighton Calkins of Plainfield, entered the champion class at the annual meeting of the United States Golf Association in New York last week. His new constitution, with few minor changes was adopted, and all warlike signs between the East and West vanished.

The chief difference in the new constitution from the old is that in future the voting clubs will be known as active members and subject to annual dues of $30, instead of the $50 tax that formerly applied to associate members. The allied clubs will pay $10 per year. Qualifications for active membership are no longer exacting, as clubs with either nine or eighteen hole courses will be eligible. It is expected that the U. S. G. A. ranks will be considerably increased during the next few months.

When the choice of championship courses came up G. H. Windeler moved that the amateur be played at the Country Club, Boston, and suggested the second week of July would suit the club best. On motion of S. Y. Hebbner, the tournament was voted to Brookline. There was no other bidder. The date was left to the executive committee. The Homewood Country Club, Flossmoor, Ill., through W. T. Beatty, asked for the women's championship, and W. A. Alexander seconded the application, the time to be left to the executive committee. There was a unanimous vote in favor of Homewood. The open championship was voted to the Philadelphia Cricket Club under similar conditions as to the dates.

On motion of Calkins, it was voted to hold the next annual meeting in Chicago in the month of January. The Deal Golf and Country Club filed an application for the amateur championship of 1911.

The balance on hand was reported as $1,202, and the receipts for the year from club dues were $4,580 and $1,369 from entry fees, in all $6,519. This included the interest on $10,000 the U. S. G. A. has invested in bonds of Greater New York. This nominating committee was elected to name the ticket for 1911:

John E. Borne, Garden City Golf Club; L. A. Ferguson, Glen View Club; H. M. Atkinson, Atlanta A. C.; H. W. Perrin, Philadelphia Cricket Club, and George A. Frost, Brae Burn Country Club.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD

The Junior League of the First M. E. church will meet in Vincent chapel, Friday night.

"The Touch of Faith," will be the subject of the prayer meeting at the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church tomorrow night.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will hold a sewing meeting Friday afternoon.

William D. Murray will speak at the First Presbyterian church, tomorrow night in the interest of the laymen's missionary movement.

"Samantha and the Jonesville Choir" will appear at Vincent chapel of the First M. E. church tonight, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at the First M. E. church tomorrow night after the prayer meeting. District Superintendent, Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, will preside.

The Young Peoples' Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet Friday night for mission study in a two months' course. A class for older members will be taught by Miss Harriet Holloway, a class for girls by Miss Edna Brown and a class for boys by Howard McWilliams.

### OWEN FARRELLY AGAIN HEADS THE DEMOCRATS.

There was an enthusiastic and largely attended meeting of the Elizabeth Democratic city executive committee last night at headquarters, Lyceum Theatre. Councilman Owen Farrelly, of the Seventh Ward, was again chosen chairman. Mr. Farrelly had no opposition.

It was decided to hold a dollar dinner in the near future, and a committee was appointed to complete arrangements. The outing committee for the annual excursion to Witzel's Point View Grove, Long Island Sound, on August 17, was also selected.

The officers chosen for the year are: Chairman, Owen Farrelly; first vice-president, Robert H. McAdams; second vice-president, Edward M. Meek; secretary, Fred Zier; treasurer, John Kenah.

Alfred A. Stein was chairman of the temporary organization.

The dollar dinner committee consists of Alfred A. Stein, chairman; Robert H. McAdams, John F. Kenah, Richard Williamson and John Hock.

The excursion committee will consist of the chairman, secretary and treasurer.

Every ward and district in the city was represented at the meeting.

# Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St. tf

THE WALDORF, 132 134 Crescent avenue; rooms en suite with bath; also double and single rooms table board; service first-class. 12 2 tf

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

FURNISHED rooms light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 226 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

$2,000 TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address 25, care Press. 1 22 6

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent. in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail. tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

# Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—Yearling bull for sale; first-class registered stock. Address Yearling, care Press. 1 22 3

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms, apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

HORSE for sale; bargain; young, sound. 1020 Arlington Ave. 1 21 4

FOR SALE—At a bargain, 10-room brick house; large lot, and barn. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, 171 East Front street, Plainfield, N. J. 12 9 tf

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

FARM or tract of land wanted immediately, commuting distance New York; name price, location and particulars. Room 1320, 108 Fulton St., New York city. 12 27 1m

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

LOST—On Belvidere avenue, near Berkeley avenue, Thursday afternoon, jewelled velvet neck ribbon. Reward if returned to 750 Belvidere avenue. 1 24 3

# Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer; sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Crossman Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue tf

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 5.**


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### $600,000 FOR GLEN ISLAND.

**Once Famous Summer Resort Bought by Cloth Importer.**

New York, Jan. 25.—Ignatius Roth, an importer of cloths, paid $600,000 yesterday for Glen Island, formerly a well known amusement resort and at one time the country home of the late John H. Starin. The sellers were Caroline Starin Carroll, Harriet M. Spraker and General Howard Carroll, executors and trustees of the John H. Starin estate.

Glen Island is a rocky islet at the western gateway of Long Island Sound, off New Rochelle. It contains about sixty acres of upland and forty odd acres of salt meadow and land under water.

### Curate Ordained as Deacon.

Englewood, Jan. 25.—Rev. Peter Tulp, curate of St. Paul's Episcopal church, and formerly connected with the New York Avenue Reformed church, Newark, was ordained a deacon by Bishop Edwin S. Lines Sunday, the ceremony being an impressive one. Rev. Louis Shreve Osborne, rector of Trinity Episcopal church, preached the ordination sermon and there was a special musical program.

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### Jan. 25 In American History.

1813—James Marion Simms, distinguished writer and inventor, born; died 1883.

1882—Charles J. Guiteau pronounced guilty of the murder of President Garfield.

1906—Brigadier General Joseph Wheeler, U. S. A., retired, former lieutenant general of the Confederate States of America and prominent in public life since the civil conflict, died; born 1837.

1907—Isabella Beecher Hooker, last of the children of Rev. Lyman Beecher, died; born 1822.

**ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS**

Sun sets 5:05, rises 7:11; moon rises 5:19 p. m.; 4 a. m., planet Mercury in inferior conjunction with the sun, passing on the nearer side from east to west and becoming morning star; Sir Edmund Halley died, born 1657, English astronomer, because of whose discovery of its periodicity, the great comet now approaching was named Halley's comet.

**Plainfield, N. J., January 25, 1910.**

### SUNDAY SELLING.

The final fate of a bill introduced in the Legislature last night to permit the sale of liquor on Sundays in Atlantic City will be most momentuous. If such a measure should be approved by the lawmakers, the consequences will be terrible It will effect the whole State and not solely the pleasure resort at the shore, for it will mean a reaction and nothing less disastrous than a prohibition law will be a natural result. As the late Bishop Potter said, "prohibition is a failure." Governor Fort in his annual message stated about the same thing and so did Mayor Fisk, the head of the State excise commission. The legal sanction for such a traffic on Sundays at the coast resort would afford an opportunity or excuse for other cities to apply for the same privilege. Before long we would have a condition similar to New York city, where the rotten Raines' law prevails. This would bring about such deplorable consequences that the excise legislation pendulum would swing to the other extreme and we would be found among those so-called "dry" (?) States. Thoughtful men we believe, are mostly agreed that in high license and strict regulation are to be found the best solution of the evil, but heaven help the country when we have a "wide-open" Sunday, and that we will have should the Atlantic City bill become a law.

### TELEPHONE RATES.

Corporations are entitled to the same fair treatment accorded an individual and therefore the New York Telephone Company should welcome the adoption of the resolution presented in the Legislature calling for an investigation of its business methods. Senator Gebhardt, the sponser for the measure, declares that this public utility concern is a monopoly and that it is charging exorbitant rates in this section of the State. There are many who agree with him. Let us have an investigation and know the truth. The company has ever disclaimed such tactics and no harm will befall it by a thorough investigation, if honest in its public statements, but immeasurable good will come to it should proof be given that the methods employed are honorable and lawful.

**In the Bad Lands.**

Stranger—Did the lynching victim have any last words?

Tombstone Ted—No; this was a man we hanged—not a woman.


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**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 50c
Lot 1—Night Gowns, Drawers, Short Skirts and Corset Covers. Sale Price **29c**

**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 75c
Lot 2—Corset Covers, Night Gowns, Long and Short Skirts, Drawers and Combination Suits. Sale Price - - - **49c**

**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 1.25
Lot 3—Combination Suits, Long and Short Skirts, Corset Covers, Drawers and Night Gowns. Sale Price - - - **75c**

**Muslin Underwear**
WITH VALUES UP TO 1.50
Lot 4—Long and Short Skirts, Combination Suits, Drawers, Night Gowns and Corset Covers. Sale Price - - - **98c**

**MILLINERY CUT IN HALF**

We want to close out promptly every trimmed and untrimmed hat in the store and offer you your choice of any of them at just one-half the marked prices.

**Sale of Boys' Overcoats**

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|---|---|---|---|
| Gray Chinchilla, wool lined, | 5.98; | former price | 7.98 |
| Blue " " " | 4.98; | " " | 6.98 |
| Plain Blue & Brown Kersey | 4.98; | " " | 6.98 |
| Fancy Stripe Worsted - | 4.98; | " " | 6.50 |
| Grey Astrakan, wool lined, | 3.98; | " " | 5.98 |
| Fancy Check Worsted - | 3.98; | " " | 5.98 |



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## S.S. TEAMS BATTLE IN BASKETBALL CONTESTS

A big crowd of Sunday School Athletic League rooters were on hand at the Y. M. C. A. last night where three contests were played. With the exception of the game between the First Presbyterians and the Hope Chapelites there was little interest as the other four teams failed to line up with a full quota of players.

In this contest First Presbyterian was victorious by a score of 38 to 9. The West Enders were handicapped by the loss of Clinton Firstbrook who was knocked out in a collision early in the game. The line-up:

First Presbyterian—P. Dunniag, Murphey, forwards; W. Dunning, center; Dunham, Bettman, guards Hope Chapel—Porter, H. Firstbrook, forwards; Snyder, center; C. Firstbrook, Belue, guards.

Scotch Plains and Congregational indulged in a one-sided contest which the former team won by a score of 34 to 17. Clarke, of Scotch Plains, was the star of the game with thirteen field goals to his credit. The line-up:

Congregational — Bingeman, E. Smith, W. Smith, Steiner. Scotch Plains — Beeken, Clarke, Todd, Knight.

Crescent Avenue and Trinity engaged in a close battle in which the Presbyterians emerged victorious by a margin of one pin, the score being 23 to 22. The line-up:

Crescent Avenue—Slocum, Fleming, Beers, Daniels. Trinity—Vail, Caleen, Woodhull, Van Zandt.

## SPORTS ARE ACTIVE IN P. H. S. CIRCLES

The Freshman basketball team defeated the Senior five in a hot and close game yesterday afternoon with the score of 25 to 23. At the end of the first half the seniors had the freshmen with a score of 17 to 6. It surely looked as if the Freshies were doomed, but in the second half they braced up wonderfully and when time was called the score stood 23-23. They finally decided to play on until one side made a goal. This was accomplished by Bellows with a pretty shot, giving the game to the Freshmen. Tom Ricketts and J. Ricketts distinguished themselves all through the game. The line-up:

Seniors—Forwards, T. Ricketts, Loizeaux; centre, H. Runyon; guards, Miller, Earle.

Freshmen—Forwards, Bellows, J. Ricketts; centre, Murray; guards, Carty, Sharpe.

In the other class game the Sophomores beat the Juniors with a score of 66 to 33. All through the game the Sophomores had everything their own way. The line-up:

Juniors—Forwards, Thompson, H. Van Zandt; centre, Smith; guards, E. Van Zandt, Phillips.

Sophomores — Forwards, Todd, Carpenter; centre, Widowson; guards, E. Woodhull, Bristol.

The P. H. S. basketball team will play the Somerville High School five tomorrow afternoon in the High School gym.

Steps are being taken by the Athletic Association of the High School to arrange for the indoor meet that is held annually at the Y. M. C. A. between the local schools. As many entries are looked for as possible this year it will be held next month.


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## WHAT? THE P.S.C. HAS A CONSCIENCE (FUND)

Every officer of the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey who became aware of the fact took notice yesterday of the receipt of a letter by its trolley division superintendent from an anonymous writer who inclosed seven two cent postage stamps and one penny stamp and just this line of explanation:

"I owe you this for carfare."

The letter was postmarked Elizabeth, but there was nothing to show who sent it.

A conscience fund will be created by the company.

Mr. and Mrs. William Barlow, Jr., who were married last week, are spending their honeymoon in Bermuda.

## SCHWARTZ PRESENTS BILLS FOR ELIZABETH

Two important bills relating to the administration of municipal affairs in Elizabeth were presented to the House at Trenton, last night by Assemblyman Schwartz. The first one was an act prepared by the Legislative Committee of the Union County Bar Association, providing for the creation of the office of police recorder in Elizabeth. If the bill is passed it will have the effect of ousting Police Justice Mahon, for the reason that the proposed law requires that a police recorder be a councilor at law. It is provided that he shall be appointed for a term of two years at a salary of $2,000 per annum, the law to take effect January 1, 1911. Provision is also made for the appointment of a clerk to the recorder at a salary of $1,200 per year, this selection to be made by the recorder himself.

The long-discussed proposition of establishing a Board of Works in Elizabeth appeared in the form of a bill presented by Mr. Schwartz. It creates a bi-partisan commission consisting of four members who are to be appointed by the mayor for two-year terms each, with the terms of two of the commissioners expiring January first each year. The mayor is required to fill vacancies in the board within thirty days after they have occurred. If the bill is enacted it will give the board power over the streets, sewers and sanitary works of the city.

A third bill offered by Mr. Schwartz is an amendment to the law relating to the payment of salaries to employees in the Rahway Reformatory. The present law fixes $1,500 per year as the minimum salary for employees of the institution other than the superintendent. Mr. Schwartz bill will permit the payment of salaries in excess of $1,500 per year when such is approved by the Governor.

### HERE AND THERE.

For several years a large flock of sparrows have made their home in a loft of a barn in the rear of the residence of Salmon C. Baker on West Fifth street. Yesterday, however, they were driven out in the cold and rendered homeless by a flock of starlings and blackbirds. A furious battle raged between the rival birds for several hours, which was watched by a score of residents of that section, and the starlings and blackbirds finally secured posession of the premises.

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January 1, 1910.

ASSETS.

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| Bonds and Mortgages, First Liens | $ 550,950.00 |
| Bonds, Market Value | 392,162.50 |
| Demand Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Banking House and Lot | 25,000.00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 7,500.00 |
| Interest Due and Accrued | 6,608.57 |
| Cash on hand | 39,913.85 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|
| Amount Due Depositors | $ 950,838.65 |
| Surplus | 72,296.27 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

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# NEW MARKETITES HAVE THE BOROUGH IDEA

Home rule is the slogan of a number of progressive residents of New Market. It has recently leaked out that plans are under way whereby a bill will be introduced in the Senate by Senator Silzer to make the village a borough. A majority of the property owners, it is a known fact, are anxious to shake off the old fashioned township form of government, but there was never no concerted movement to accomplish the change, as no one cared to take the initiative. It was understood among a few who favor the plan that if Judge Von Minden was re-elected to the Assembly last November he would father the bill in the lower house, but when he was defeated the plans of the borough agitators were upset. It is now understood, however, that Senator Silzer is not adverse to introducing a measure for his constituents, but thus far he has failed to pledge himself to support the measure. Since the advocates for a borough in South Plainfield lost their fight a few years ago the agitation in New Market simmered down but since January 1 the movement has experienced a fair support among the property owners.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Charles Thornton, former proprietor of the Nelson House, who recently returned from a trip to England, is laying plans to embark in the hotel business at Flemington. The ocean trip improved Mr. Thornton's health considerably.

William Martin is confined to his home as a result of a crushed hand sustained while handling structural steel at the Levering and Garrigues plant.

Mrs. Clark T. Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers, who are at Ocean Park, California, have decided not to return home until May.

Archibald Brakeley has returned to Hackensack after a short stay with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. P. W Brakeley.

Louis Block has returned from a business trip to Philadelphia.

H. S. Garretson was in New Brunswick yesterday on business.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The regular meeting of the teachers of the township schools will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. On account of the meeting the local school will have the morning session only.

The hockey game yesterday between the local club and the high school was cancelled owing to the condition of the ice.

Percy Mygrant, of Plainfield, visited South Plainfield on business yesterday.

Miss Alice McDonough visited friends in Plainfield yesterday.

### Stole Sixty Pigeons.

A thief entered the pigeon loft of Clarence Eick at Lincoln on Sunday night and stole sixty valuable pigeons.

# DON'T WANT SANITARIUM FOR CONSUMPTIVES HERE

A bill aimed to prevent the establishment of institutions for the treatment of tuberculosis, which is the outcome of the fight made by Lakewood against the proposed preventatorium in that place, was presented in the House, at Trenton, last night by Assemblyman Crosby, of Ocean. The bill provides that it shall be unlawful to treat any person for tuberculosis in any hospital, sanitorium or preventatorium without consent of the State Board of Health, except that the law shall not apply to the treatment of afflicted persons by parents or relatives in private houses. The bill makes it necessary for the State Board of Health to conduct a hearing upon any application for a permit to establish an institution for the care of consumptives.

Assemblyman Moore, of Passaic, introduced a bill requiring the payment of fifty cents to members of the National Guard for attendance upon drills. He also offered a bill calling for the payment of half-pay to veterans of the Civil War who voluntarily retire from State and municipal work after twenty-five years' service.

### FORMER SENATOR CORNISH, OF WARREN COUNTY, DEAD.

Joseph B. Cornish, former Senator from Warren county, and father of State Senator Johnson Cornish, of that county, died at the home in Washington, yesterday at an advanced age. He was president of the organ and piano company bearing his name; also the First National Bank, of Washington.

At the session of the Legislature, yesterday, Senator Price called the attention of the members to the death of Mr. Cornish. A resolution was adopted instructing the secretary to convey the condolence of the members to Senator Cornish. The late Mr. Cornish was at one time secretary of the Senate.

### At Proctor's.

"Mr. Reynolds," one of the world's greatest detectives, is the title of a dramatic sketch presented by Sully, Guard & Co., at Proctor's theatre this week. The action is so real that it holds one's attention throughout and is presented in clever fashion. Barrett & Scanlon, comedy acrobats, are brimful of comedy and their work is marvelous. Rose Berry is a bright young entertainer, who make a piano talk. The Clarks are singing catchy songs and do some clever dancing. The films d'art continue to be par excellent.

### Delicate Operation on a Dog.

A bull collie, belonging to Richard Biddle, of Liberty street, swallowed a hat pin about a week ago. The canine had been ailing for a few days and Mr. Biddle called in the services of Dr. Butler. An X-ray examination developed that a pin three inches long was in the stomach of the dog. Dr. Butler removed the pin in a successful operation and the dog displays signs of returning health and agility.

# GOOD CITIZENSHIP TALK AT AUTO CLUB BANQUET

Good citizenship and the respect of the rights of others was the motif of the seventh annual banquet of the New Jersey Automobile and Motor Club at the New Auditorium at Newark, last evening. More than 300 members of the organization and their friends gathered to enjoy the festivities and hear speeches by a number of distinguished Jerseymen.

Those who responded to toasts were former Senator James Smith, Jr., former Governor Edward C. Stokes, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles J. B. R. Smith, State Commissioner of Banking and Insurance Vivian M. Lewis, George F. Reeve, president of the Newark Board of Trade; Rufus L. Scott, Jr., and Colonel Austin Colgate. The toastmaster was W. Clive Crosby, president of the club.

Mr. Stokes was greeted as "the next United States Senator," and Mr. Lewis was hailed as the next Governor.

The hall was attractively dressed, the prevailing color scheme being the colors of the club, light blue, white and gold. From the central chandalier radiated streamers of blue and white, dotted with golden stars, and the walls of the auditorium were covered with festoons of the club colors and the national emblem.

### MIX-UP OVER TAX MONEY.

**Trenton Gets a Surprise Over $1,300,000 Payment.**

Trenton, Jan. 25.—Serious complications may result from the discovery just made that the Trenton Board of Water Commissioners has, during the past six years, paid out more than $1,300,000 of the taxpayers' money in a manner that was contrary to the method prescribed by the act of 1904 regulating the receipt and disbursement of money in cities of this State.

This act provides that all money received from any source by municipal boards or departments shall be paid to the city treasurer, to be by him disbursed on warrants issued by such boards. This act also requires that all bills must be approved by the Mayor. It has been ascertained that notwithstanding this law, the local Water Board has continued to handle its own finances in the same manner that it did before the law was enacted, the amount of money passing through its hands in that time having been $1,387,608. The law was tested and sustained in a New Brunswick case, and three members of the New Brunswick Water Board were removed from office for disobeying the law in the same respect as has been disclosed in Trenton.

### The U. S. A. War Game.

Not in years—not since the days when Stoddard successfully proved that a "travel show" was not necessarily a vehicle for tiresome description—have we had an entertainment as delightful, as satisfying, as artistic and as inspiring as Lyman H. Howe's Travel Festival at the Plainfield theatre on January 26. Not in years have we been privileged to sit for two and a half hours, seeing wonder after wonder—one more charming than the other because of their great variety.

### Woman's Property Rights.

In the State Senate last night Senator E. R. Ackerman introduced an amendment to section six of Senate bill No. 39, of the act relating to the property of married women by permitting the sale and transfer of any property right without the consent of a husband confined in an insane asylum or prison, provided said sale does not affect any of his rights.

### I. P. Runyon Appointed Judge.

Governor J. Franklin Fort yesterday sent the name of Isaac P. Runyon, of North Plainfield, to the Senate for confirmation as judge of the District Court, of the First Judicial District of the County of Somerset. The appointment is for a full term.

### Clothes Caught Fire.

While sitting near a stove in Frank Hedden's livery office this morning the trousers of Fred Smith caught fire. Ludlow Frazee, an attache of the stable, discovered Smith's plight and smothered the flames with a horse blanket.

### Resolutions of Respect.

Just before the House adjourned last night Assemblyman Pierce introduced a resolution of regret over the death of former Assemblyman William F. Hall, of Cranford. The resolution was adopted by a rising vote.

### Senator Ackerman Busy.

State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman introduced two bills in the Senate yesterday, both for the President. One bill supplement the borough act of 1897 and the other amends the act of April 13, 1909.

### Transferred to Red Bank.

Alvah L. Conant, who for some time has been connected with the local branch of the New York Telephone Company, has been transferred to the Red Bank office of the concern.

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The Club Plan means that you can *furnish* your house exactly as you may have *bought* your house. That is, by making a payment at the beginning, agreed upon between you and ourselves, and after that by paying weekly or monthly a sum stipulated and understood between us. This gives the salaried man and woman the benefit of being able to use the Furniture they actually need while they are paying for it.

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SCOTT—In this city, January 24, 1910, Jeannette C., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott, in her 13th year.

Funeral services from her parents residence, 28 Whitewood avenue, North Plainfield, N. J., Wednesday, January 26, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Methodist cemetery.

## Classified Advertisements

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first class help always on hand at Mrs Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To buy six-room house, centrally located; good neighborhood. Address D. F., care Press. 1 21 6

WANTED—April 1, small house or part of house, with improvements; central location; rent moderate. Address Moderate, care Press. 1 24 3

WANTED—One or two furnished rooms with bath; board optional; for gentleman. Address O. O., care Daily Press. 1 25 2

WANTED — Second-hand chicken coop. Address Siriski, Dunellen. 1 22 3

WANTED—To buy lots direct from owner; must be cheap for cash. Address Builder, care Press. 1 19 6

### For Exchange.

EXCHANGE a fine property located on the Shrewsbury river, eight minutes walk from the Red Bank depot. House of eight rooms, barn and poultry house, all built of artificial stone; frontage of 160 feet on road and river, 500 feet deep; fine shade and fruit trees; price $9,000; mortgage $5,084. Desire to exchange for Plainfield residence, and will add cash for right place. Full particulars and photographs from Tapscott Bros., 310 Watchung avenue. 'Phone 1057-J. 1 24 3

### Help Wanted Male and Female.

MARRIED couple (colored) wanted at once. Call at Mrs. Keller's office, 22 Somerset place. Tel. 196-W. 1 24 2

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—White girl as cook and laundress. Call evenings, 1216 Watchung avenue. 1 19 6

WANTED—OPERATORS ON LADIES' UNDERWEAR; ALSO LEARNERS. SCHILLER BROS., 320 WEST FRONT ST. 1 22 4

WANTED—Young girl or woman (white) to do general housework. Address E. C. H., care Daily Press. 1 22 3

WANTED — Reliable, competent woman for general housework; no washing. Apply between 5 and 8 p. m., 81 Grove St. 1 10 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at D. N. Groendyke, 91 Mercer avenue, after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

WANTED—White girl for general housework. 414 West Eighth street. 1 24 2

WANTED—White girl for general housework; no cooking; no laundry; German preferred. Apply corner Girard and Willow avenues, North Plainfield.

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 24 6

GIRLS wanted. Inquire Recher & Co., North avenue. Formerly Vacuum Cleaner Co. 1 24 6

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1045 Dunellen avenue. 1 25 3

WANTED—Good cook. 515 Park avenue. 1 25 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; reference required; three in family. Apply R. W. Blake, 15 Hampton street, Cranford, N. J. 1 25 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

PRACTICAL nurse desires position with partial invalid; good massage. Call 79 Summit Ave. 1 24 3

YOUNG German girl wants position at general housework; two months in this country. Call 224 Plainfield avenue. 1 24 3

POLISH girl wants position at general housework. 657 South Second street.

WOMAN wants work for Monday and Tuesday or take family wash home, with reference. 1077 Arlington avenue. 1 22 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED — Capable man and wife or woman and son to do the work of family of five, (2 adults, 3 children) in small house; cow, chickens and small garden to be cared for; $40 per month. Address Box 94, care Daily Press. 1 20 6

BOY WANTED. RITZ, BABCOCK BUILDING. 1 25 3

DRAFTSMEN wanted; several men capable of designing for printing press work. Walter Scott & Co. 1 22 3

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### Lost and Found.

LOST—Small Boston bull dog on Saturday evening. Reward if returned to S. S. Schuyler, 792 Belvidere avenue. 1 24 3

### Miscellaneous.

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

### Situations Wanted—Male.

WANTED—By young man, a position in a bank, who has had some experience in banking. Address A. B. C., care Press. 1 24 2

### Travel.

HONEYMAN'S PRIVATE TOURS—Long tour to Europe, June 4, nearly full. Next tour July 7. Both include Passion Play. Circulars at 181 North avenue. 10 21 tf

### Situations Wanted Male and Female.

RESPECTABLE colored man and wife wish positions together in private family; good workers; good reference. Call all week. C. C., 201 Plainfield avenue. 1 24 2

### Rooms and Board.

TO RENT—Furnished room; improvements; light and airy. Inquire 334 East Fifth street. 1 21 tf

TWO large connecting rooms and adjoining small room, fully furnished. Mrs. Lena Hellstrom, 312 East Seventh St. 1 19 6

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 5 tf

TO LET—Six room house, rear Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 1 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 224-W. 1 11 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 644 Essex street. Inquire J. Sacher, 31 West Third street. 1 20 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 22 tf

TO LET—Six-room house, $12 month, South avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 1 24 3

TO LET—FOR A FEW MONTHS VERY COMFORTABLE FULLY FURNISHED HOUSE, 12 ROOMS, 2 BATH ROOMS. STEAM HEAT, ELECTRICITY AND GAS. SMALL GARAGE. GROUND AND SHADE; EXCELLENT LOCATION; CONVENIENT TO STATION; VERY REASONABLE TO SUITABLE PARTY. ADDRESS CONVENIENT, CARE PRESS.

TO LET—February 1, 5 rooms; steam heated; all improvements; $18. 122 Watchung Ave. 1 25 6

FOR RENT—Fine 12-room house with every modern improvement; large lot, barn; rent $55. Tapscott Bros., 310 Watchung Ave. 1 24 3

THREE or four rooms for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished, with use of bath room; private house in select Washington Park section; spacious grounds; good piazza; references required. Select, care Daily Press. 1 22 4

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FOR RENT—Farm about 50 acres with large modern barn and cow stables, located 3 miles from Plainfield on line trolley. Address J., care Press. 1 24 6

TO LET—Three rooms, 506 West Fifth street, to adults only; $10.50. Call evenings. 1 24 3

SPACE to let in store for lady as typewriter or some light business. Address "Watchung," care Press. 1 24 3

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. V. E. Vandehoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 22 tf

TO LET—February 1, house, barn; improvements. Inquire 20 Elm place. 1 22 3

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 6-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### For Sale.

FINE sideboard and dining room table for sale. Call 310 Watchung avenue. 1 24

TWO fine heating and one cooking stove for sale cheap. Can be seen at 310 Watchung Ave. 1 24

FOR SALE—Chance for bargain and good business for about the price of one rig: 2 closed carriages, 1 extra good; 1 surrey, 1 single phaeton, 1 good family sleigh, 2 good horses, harness, robes and all things for the use of stable; good will guaranteed to right party. For information, 14 East Sixth street, stable. 1 25

FOR SALE—Boston brindle bull pup, female, two months old, $10. Address Brindle, care Press. 1 25 3 tu-th-

FOR SALE—Eddy ice box, laundry stove, porch seat, white and dark window shades, African parrot stand, cage, oil heater, awnings, stair carpet. Can be seen at 512 Woodland avenue. 1 25

CARPENTER'S tools and chest for sale, $10, worth double; good as new. Inquire 310 Watchung avenue. 1 24 3

### Poultry for Sale.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn, Black Manorcha and Barred Rock Cockerels, at 922 Watchung avenue. 1 25

FOR SALE—Barred Rock Cockerel. Smith, 1266 Park Ave. 1 25

TWENTY Barred Rocks and twenty White Leghorns for sale at 507 West Fourth street. 1 25

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## Plainfield in . . . . The Olden Days.

Re-printed from The Weekly Constitutionalist

**Jhne 1, 1871.**

A serious accident happened to a young son of Barney Coleman, in North Plainfield, last week. It seems that the lad, with another boy, was chopping wood on a block, each boy having an axe. Young Coleman stooped down to pick up a stick, when the axe of the other boy descended and cut off one of the fingers of Coleman's left hand, which was resting on the block at the time. Dr. Tomlinson dressed the stump, and the lad is doing as well as can be expected under the circumstances.

Accidents—On Saturday last a son of Clark Mundy, about 4 years of age, while playing in the street, was struck by the wheel of a passing butcher's wagon and severely injured, having some of his teeth knocked out and being badly bruised generally. Dr. South was immediately called, and is now attending him with beneficial results.

**June 8, 1871.**

A pleasant reception was held at the residence of Rev. K. P. Ketcham on Friday evening last by the members of the congregation of the First Presbyterian church. Amid music, singing and pleasant conversation, a delightful evening was spent.

We learn that some party or parties entered the stables of Joseph Vail, Esq., on Broadway, last Wednesday evening, and stole a set of harness, valued at about $50.

Our esteemed friend, L. N. K. Smalley, Esq., has made some decided improvements in his residence near the depot at Fanwood. The "Squire" has an elegant residence, is a gentleman, and we wish him abundance of success in his business. His office is at Marsh's Hotel, Westfield, where he may be found each day.

**June 15.**

We learn it is the intention of Dr. C. H. Stillman to erect handsome store buildings on his lot on Front street, shortly. The dwelling house of Mrs. Mundy, next to Stevenson's bakery on Front street, is also to be raised and handsome stores built beneath it.

Mr. Samuel Terry having opened a Fruit and Confectionery Stand on Second Street, invites his friends and public in general to give him a call. Mr. Terry has been obliged to give up his business, that of painting, in consequence of ill-health and has therefore concluded to try his hand at the business above stated. We trust the public will give him their liberal patronage. His stand is two doors south of Dobbins' segar store.

Mr. E. M. Brown, of Scotch Plains, contemplates erecting a fine mansion on the corner of Front and Richmond streets shortly.

**May 18, 1871.**

Narrow Escape—On Saturday evening last, as Mr. Hardwick and wife were out riding, his horse, a very pretty black pony, took fright and ran away, despite the efforts of Mr. H. to restrain him, and continued running until meeting fith an obstruction that demolished one of the hind wheels, when he came to a halt, with no injurious results to the occupants of the vehicle, except a bad fright.

Our efficient and well known City Collector, D. Martin, has left us for a brief visit to the west. May he soon return, for his genial face is sadly missed and his absence a theme of conversation at his familiar places of resort.

The long needed pavement is being laid on the north side of Cherry street, cor. of Front, and we would respectfully inquire if the raising of the curb stones some three or four inches is beneficial to the wood pavement.

We heard the unmistakable son of a "brother Jonathan" in the mill pond the other evening. Let him beware of his head, or in the words of the poet:—

'Tis the voice of the bull-frog
I hear him complain;
I must hit him a rap
Or he'll beller again.

But few of our citizens have an idea of the magnitude of the work of drainage which is now being prosecuted on the lands of Mr. Charles Hyde, on Mountain avenue. By a thorough and expensive system of tile drainage, low, wet lands on the westerly side of the above avenue is now being made dry, and will eventually bring into the market valuable building lots.

Now that the long talked about property of Mrs. Spencer, at Seventh street and Cherry Street has been disposed of satisfactorily, we may soon expect to see Cherry street extension completed, and when that is done, it will be one of the finest avenues in the city.

We are pleased to learn that Mr. Garretson, the new station agent at the depot of this City, gives general satisfaction to all. Mr. G. is courteous to all, and faithfully discharges his duties.

We noticed our friend Gardner, the Grocer, on Front Street, has come out with a new wagon, with his name and business on the side.

### A PRINCETON MEDICAL CLUB.

Princeton, Jan. 25.—Although there is no department of medicipe in Princeton University, the students who intend to follow that profession after their academic training here have organized a Medical Club.

A series of lectures will be given once a month for the rest of the college year by prominent surgeons and physicians on the general subject of diseases. These lectures will be open to all students, and are designed to be of general interest to undergraduates. The club has a membership of about twenty undergraduates. Meetings are held in a room given by the university in Guyot Hall, the new laboratory of natural science. The officers are: President, James S. Taylor, 1910; vice-president, E. C. Jessup, 1911; treasurer, R. M. Entwistle, 1910; secretary, J. J. Chisholm, 1911.

### RED BANK POULTRY SHOW.

Red Bank, Jan. 25.—Newark fanciers will exhibit fowls at the second annual show of the Monmouth Poultry Club, which opens in the armory tomorrow and continues for four days. Among them are Uzal H. McCarter, William P. Harth and Kirschler & Campbell. Other exhibitors will include A. & E. Termeer, of Summit; S. F. Corrado and Irving Trimmer, of Bernardsville; C. P. Davis, of New Brunswick; Charles Jehl and William H. Taber, of Long Branch; F. E. Hamman, of Plainfield; W. D. Campbell, of Bloomfield, and William A. Smith, of Metuchen. There will be about one hundred exhibitors from Red Bank and neighboring towns. About one thousand six hundred birds will be shown. The awards will be made on the opening day.

### Trenton's Fear of Freshet Wanes.

Trenton, Jan. 25.—The water in the Delaware River fell a foot yesterday, and there is no longer fear that a freshet will ensue. Men, women and children took all kinds of chances all day yesterday in pulling driftwood to the shore with various kinds of hooks and appliances. Some would even jump on a cake of ice close to shore to try and save a piece of firewood. Yesterday morning five rowboats came down the stream at various times. They were near the middle of the stream and no attempt was made to secure them.

### Wants Cemetery to Become Park.

Paterson, Jan. 25.—Rev. J. Alfonso Belanger made a strong plea for the conversion of the Sandy Hill Cemetery into a public park at the evening services of the Auburn Street Congregational church Sunday. He argued that Paterson has good schools, good churches and good cemeteries, but said we owe it to that sacred memory which is due to our dead that this elimination of an old broken down tract be carried out as far as the beauty of the city is at need.

### Courthouse Custodian Very Ill.

Elizabeth, Jan. 25.—James J. Carey, assistant custodian of the Union county courthouse, was taken yesterday to the Elizabeth General Hospital suffering from kidney and bladder trouble. He was attacked with a hemorrhage Saturday, and Dr. Wagner, who was called in, advised his removal to the hospital. The sick man is sixty-five years old and a widower.

### Newarker on "Mission of Israel."

Bayonne, Jan. 25.—Dr. Solomon Foster, of Newark, lectured here Saturday night before the Alpha Theta fraternity of this city. His subject was the "Mission of Israel." The Hebrew population of this city turned out in large numbers to attend the lecture, and the National Auditorium, in West Twenty-third street, was crowded to the doors.

### Lemon Ring.

One and a half pounds of flour, half a pound of butter, one pound of sugar, three lemons, four eggs, half a cupful of milk. Rub the butter into the flour. Mix in the sugar and the grated rind of the lemons. Beat up the eggs well and wet paste with them, adding the milk. Roll out thin and cut into rings with two cutters. Bake on a buttered baking tine in a moderate oven.

Mrs. Charles E. Herring, of DeLacy avenue, is visiting Mrs. Francis H. Flannery, of New York.


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The flamingoes were looking their afternoon toilets in the big flying cage at the Bronx zoo the other afternoon, says a writer in a New York paper. A crowd of children and grown people were looking on and exclaiming with admiring wonder at the way these birds were twisting their long necks about into all sorts of corkscrews and curves when one of the ornithological experts came along and stopped to watch the performance.

"It's the larger number of bones in a bird's neck, not the length, that make it so flexible," he remarked. "There are twenty-three bones in the neck of a swan, for example, and a few more in that of the flamingo. It seems that the smaller the animal organism the larger the number of neck bones. The giraffe, for instance, has only seven bones in his long neck, which has a reach of nearly twenty feet from the ground. That little white throated sparrow over there is only three inches high, but he has fourteen bones in his neck and can almost scratch the back of his head with his bill. The swan has twenty-three neck bones and swings his head about with even greater freedom than a snake."

### THE PLEBEIANS.

Their Secession From Rome and Their Rise to Power.

Plebeians were the commons of Rome, who were originally forbidden all political rights. They were for the most part poor and were not allowed to intermarry with the patricians. They served in the army without pay and were sold into slavery for debt and could even be cut into pieces for distribution among their creditors.

Finding their condition intolerable, the plebeians in 497 B. C. seceded to Mons Sacer, near Rome, where they resolved to build a new city. But this step so alarmed the privileged classes that they granted to the commons the right of annually choosing from their own numbers two magistrates, called tribunes, with power to protect them against the aggressions of the patricians.

After the lapse of about 200 years the disabilities of the plebeians were almost entirely removed, and between the years 356-300 B. C. they secured the dictatorship, the censorship and the praetorship as well as the right to be pontiff and augur. Thus the Roman republic, after two centuries of existence, finally secured a democratic form of government.—New York American.

### Sweat and Perspire.

It is possible to tell almost exactly when the more elegant "perspire" drove out the vulgar "sweat." According to a writer in the London Gentleman's Magazine in 1751, "for some time past neither man, woman nor child in Great Britain and Ireland of any rank or fashion has been subject to the gross fluid of condition which was formerly known as 'sweat.' Now every mortal exudes, men only perspire." For close to forty years past the word "sweat" has been gradually becoming more and more rare.

Before 1770 or so "perspiration" commonly meant an invisible process, "sweating" the grosser variety thereof. In one of his sermons Wesley remarked that "during a night's sleep a healthy man perspires one part in four less when he sweats than when he does not." That would be a winning loss today.

### Queer Sort of Borrowing.

[illegible] marble a s[illegible] "One of my best friends," he said, putting a fresh coin on the table, "gave me a dollar the other day to be held for him [illegible] and I'm asked quite often."

"What?" a listener exclaimed. "Keep a dollar from sentiment and go hungry and sleepless?"

"I didn't say so," the other replied. "I never went that far. You see, when I'm so hard pressed I use the coin as collateral. I borrow another dollar and give this one as security—to be held till called for. Queer sort of borrow, isn't it? But the coin's too good a friend to desert."—New York Globe.

### Identified Her.

A story of every woman's ability to rise superior to those petty details which so often hamper, frustrate and nullify the operations of any man is told of a Harrison woman who tried to have a check cashed at a bank where she was not known, says the Newark Call. The usual remarks were made by the cashier concerning the need of identification, to which the woman immediately replied: "Oh, well, that's easy. I can always be identified by this mole on my cheek."

### A Mistaken Cure.

"Jennie!" yelled the compositor.

"Yes, dear," called back the gentle wife.

"Why in thunder don't you keep that kid quiet? What ails it?"

"I can't think, dear. I'm giving it one of your pillboxes to the poor little darling."—Lippincott's.

### A Potential Difference.

"Pa, what's the difference between idealism and realism?"

"Idealism, my son, is the contemplation of marriage; realism is being married."—Boston Transcript.

The world is a ladder for some to go up and others to come down.—French Proverb.

# THE GUEST OF QUESNAY

By Booth Tarkington

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"Because if she were involved in some undertaking—something that, if it went wrong, would endanger her happiness and, I think, even her life, for it might actually kill her if she failed and brought on a worse catastrophe"—

"Yes?" I said anxiously as she paused again.

"You'd help her?" she said.

"I would, indeed," I assented earnestly. "I told her once I'd do anything in the world for her."

"Even if it involved something that George Ward might never forgive you for?"

"I said 'anything in the world,'" I returned, perhaps a little huskily.

She gave a low cry of triumph, but immediately checked it. Then she leaned far over the table. "I wasn't afraid to come through the woods alone," she said in a very low voice, "because I wasn't alone. Louise came with me."

"What?" I gasped. "Where is she?"

"At the Baudry cottage down the road. They won't miss her at the chateau until morning. I locked her door on the outside, and if they go to bother her again—though I don't think they will—they'll believe she's fastened it on the inside and is asleep. She managed to get a note to Keredec late this afternoon. It explained everything, and he had some trunks carried out the rear gate of the inn and carted over to Lisieux to be shipped to Paris from there. It is to be supposed—or hoped at least—that this woman and her people will believe that means Professor Keredec and Mr. Harman will try to get to Paris in the same way."

"So," I said, "that's what Percy meant about the trunks. I didn't understand."

"He's on watch, you see," she continued. "Mr. Percy!" She laughed nervously. "That's why it's almost necessary for us to have you."

"If you have me for what?" I asked.

"I'll help you"—and as she looked up her eyes, now very close to mine, were dazzling indeed—"I'll adore you forever and ever! Oh, much longer than you'd like me to!"

"You mean she's going to"—

"I mean that she's going to run away with him again," she whispered.

CHAPTER XIV.

At midnight there was no mistaking the palpable uneasiness with which Mr. Percy, faithful sentry, regarded the behavior of Miss Elliott and myself as we sat conversing upon the veranda of the pavilion. The lights of the inn were all set. The Spanish woman and M. Rameau had made their appearance for a moment, half an hour earlier, to exchange a word with their fellow vigilant, and soon after the extinguishing of the lamps in their respective apartments denoted their retirement for the night. In the "grande suite" all had been dark and silent for an hour.

I kept going over and over the details of Louise Harman's plan as the girl beside me had outlined it, bending above the smudgy sketchbook. "To make them think the flight is for Paris," she had urged—"to Paris by way of Lisieux. To make that man yonder believe that it is toward Lisieux while they turn at the crossroads and drive across the country to Trouville for the morning boat to Havre."

It was simple. That was its great virtue. If they were well started they were safe, and well started meant only that Larrabee Harman should leave the inn without an alarm. With two hours' start and the pursuit spending most of its energy in the wrong direction—that is, toward Lisieux and Paris—they would be on the deck of the French-Canadian liner tomorrow noon, sailing out of the harbor of Le Havre with nothing but the Atlantic ocean between them and the St. Lawrence.

Suddenly I saw a light shine from Keredec's window.

I remarked, "Now, if you will permit me, I'll offer you my escort back to Quesnay," I said to Miss Elliott.

I went into my room, put on my cap, lit a lantern and returned with it to the veranda. We crossed the garden as far as the steps. Mr. Percy signified his approval. "Gunna see the little lady home, are you?" he said graciously. "I was thinkin' it was about time m'self."

The salon door of the "grande suite" opened above me, and at the sound the youth started, springing back to see what it portended, but I ran quickly up the steps. Keredec stood in the doorway bareheaded and in his shirt sleeves. In one hand he held a traveling bag, which he immediately gave me.

He went back into the room, closing the door, and I descended the steps as rapidly as I had run up them. Without pausing I started for the rear of the courtyard, Miss Elliott accompanying me.

The sentry had watched these proceedings open mouthed, more mystified than alarmed. "Luk here," he said, "I want t' know what this means."

"Anything you choose to think it means," I laughed, beginning to walk a little more rapidly. He glanced up at the windows of the "grande suite," which were again dark, and began to follow us slowly. "Whut you gut in that grip?" he asked.

"You don't think we're carrying off Mr. Harman?"

"I reckon he's in his room all right," said the youth grimly, "unless he's flew out."

We emerged at the foot of a lane behind the inn. It was long and narrow, bordered by stone walls and at the

*"You long legged devil!" he yelled.*

other end debouched upon a road which passed the rear of the Baudry cottage.

Miss Elliott took my arm, and we entered the lane.

Mr. Percy paused undecidedly. "I want t' know whut you think y're doin'," he repeated angrily, calling after us.

"It's very simple," I called in turn. "I think you may as well go back. We're not going far enough to need a guard."

Mr. Percy allowed an oath to escape him, and we heard him muttering to himself. Then his footsteps sounded behind us.

"He's coming!" Miss Elliott whispered, with nervous exultation, looking over her shoulder. "He's going to follow."

We trudged briskly on, followed at some fifty paces by the perturbed watchman. We were embarked upon a singular adventure, not unattended by a certain danger. We were tingling with a hundred apprehensions, occupied with the vital necessity of drawing the little spy after us—and that was a strange moment for a man (and an elderly painter man of no mark at that) to hear himself called what I was called then in a tremulous whisper close to my ear. Of course she has denied it since. Nevertheless she said it—twice, for I pretended not to hear her the first time. I made no answer, for something in the word she called me and in her seeming to mean it made me choke up so that I could not even whisper. But I made up my mind that after that if this girl saw Mr. Earl Percy on his way back to the inn before she wished him to go it would be because he had killed me

We were near the end of the lane when the neigh of a horse sounded sonorously from the road beyond.

Mr. Percy came running up swiftly and darted by us.

"Who's that?" he called loudly. "Who's that in the cart yonder?"

I set my lantern down close to the wall, and a horse and cart drew up on the road. It was Pere Baudry's best horse, a stout gray, that would easily make Trouville by daylight. A woman's figure and a man's (the latter that of Pere Baudry himself) could be made out dimly on the cart seat.

"Who is it, I say?" shouted our excited friend. "What kind of a game d'ye think y're puttin' up on me here?" A glance at the occupants satisfied him. "Mrs. Harman!" he yelled. "Mrs. Harman! I knowed I was a fool to come away without wakin' up Rameau. But you haven't beat us yet."

He drove back into the lane, but just inside its entrance I met him.

"Where are you going?" I asked

"Back to the Pigeon house in a burry. There's devilment here. I want Rameau!"

"You're not going back," said I.

"The h— I ain't!" said Mr. Percy. "I give ye two seconds t' git out o' my—Take yer hands offa me!"

I made sure of my grip, not upon the refulgent overcoat, for I feared he might slip out of that, but upon the collars of his coat and waistcoat.

"You long legged devil!" he yelled, and I instantly received a series of concussions upon the face and head which put me in supreme doubt of my surroundings, for I seemed to have plunged eyes foremost into the Milky Way. I was conscious of some one screaming, and it seemed a consoling part of my delirium that the cheek of Miss Anne Elliott should be jammed tight against mine through one phase of the explosion. I hung to him, as Pere Baudry testifies, for a minute and a half, which seems no inconsiderable lapse of time to a person undergoing such experiences as were then afflicting me.

It appeared to me that we were revolving in enormous circles in the ether and I had long since given my last gasp when there came a great roaring wind in my ears and a range of mountains toppled upon us both. We went to earth beneath it.

"Ha! You must create violence, then!" roared the avalanche.

The voice was the voice of Keredec.

Some one pulled me from underneath my struggling antagonist, and, the power of sight in a hazy, zigzagging fashion coming back to me, I perceived the figure of Miss Anne Elliott recumbent beside me, her arms about Mr. Percy's prostrate body. The extraordinary girl had fastened upon him, too, though I had not known it, and she had gone to ground with us, but it is to be said for Mr. Earl Percy that no blow of his touched her, and she was not hurt. Even in the final extremities of temper he had carefully discriminated in my favor.

Mrs. Harman was bending over her and as the girl sprang up lightly threw her arms about her. For my part, I rose more slowly, section by section, wondering why I did not fall apart, lips, nose and cheeks bleeding, and I had a fear that I should need to be led like a blind man through my eyelids swelling shut. That was something I earnestly desired should not happen; but, whether it did or did not or if the heavens fell, I meant to walk back to Quesnay with Anne Elliott that night, and, mangled, broken or half dead, presenting whatever appearance of the prize ring or the abattoir that I might, I intended to take the same train for Paris on the morrow that she did.

For our days together were not at an end, nor was it hers nor my desire that they should be.

It was Oliver Saffren—as I like to think of him—who helped me to my feet and wiped my face with his handkerchief and when that one was ruined brought others from his bag and stanched the wounds gladly received *in the service of his wife.*

"I will remember"— he said, and his voice broke. "These are the memories which Keredec says make a man good. I pray they will help to redeem me." And for the last time I heard the child in him speaking: "I ought to be redeemed. I must be, don't you think, for her sake?"

"Lose no time!" shouted Keredec. "You must be gone if you will reach that certain town for the 5 o'clock train of the morning." This was for the spy's benefit. It indicated Lisieux and the train to Paris. Mr. Percy struggled. The professor knelt over him, pinioning his wrists in one great hand and holding him easily to earth.

"Ha, my friend"—he addressed his captive—"you shall not have cause to say we do you any harm. There shall be no law, for you are not hurt, and you are not going to be. But here you shall stay quiet for a little while—till I say you can go." As he spoke he bound the other's wrists with a short rope which he took from his pocket, performing the same office immediately afterward for Mr. Percy's ankles.

"I take the count," was the sole remark of that philosopher. "I can't go up against no herd of elephants."

The two women were crying in each other's arms. "Goodby!" sobbed Anne Elliott.

Mrs. Harman turned to Keredec. "Goodby for a little while!"

He kissed her hand. "Dear lady, I shall come within the year."

She came to me, and I took her hand, meaning to kiss it as Keredec *had done, but suddenly she was closer,* and I felt her lips upon my battered cheek. I remember it now.

I wrung her husband's hand, and then he took her in his arms, lifted her to the footboard of the cart and sprang up beside her.

"God bless you, and goodby!" we called.

And their voices came back to us, "God bless you, and goodby!"

THE END.

## BEARDING THE LIONS.

The modern clean, smooth faces of our gentlemen suggest a few bearded faces of other times and centuries.

Alexander caused his Macedonian soldiers to be clipped lest their enemies should make use of their beards as handles in the fight.

Persian kings wore long beards interwoven with golden threads, while slaves in the same country were shaven as a sign of servitude.

When the Normans sought to compel the English to shave, as they did themselves, many chose rather to abandon their country than to lose their whiskers.

In the Bayeux tapestry King Edward the Confessor is represented either with a beard like a bunch of radishes or a forked beard and a long mustache hanging down, while quite another sort of appendage adorns his chin in a painting at Westminster Abbey.

Cassar has left it uopn record that ancient Britons wore no beards, though they allowed hair to grow upon the upper lip; and Strabo bears testimony of an opposite sort, writing of Sicily islanders in his time whose custom it was to grow beards goat fashion in a point below the chin.

Many years ago a certain Frenchman's upper lip was graced by a flowing mustache of such extraordinary length that it was his custom before a meal to tie it, with the utmost gravity, behind his head, that there might be no impediment to the full enjoyment of his food.

### Held on Double Charges.

New Brunswick, Jan. 25.—Running an alleged gambling house with coal said to have been stolen led to the arrest of John Davis, colored, here Saturday night. Davis has a poolroom on Burnet street in Armory Hall. Nearby are the office and coal yards of Edward Tindell, a coal dealer. Edward Bell and Spencer Beghter, both colored, were arrested by the police charged with stealing coal from Tindell's yards. They frequented the Davis place and charges were made against Davis of allowing gambling there and of receiving stolen goods in using the coal. All were held for the grand jury and were committed to jail.

## BRUTALLY ASSAULTED.

Perth Amboy, Jan. 25.—Johannes Rosenvinge, an employe of C. Feigenspan, was found at Smith and Elm streets Sunday morning bleeding from a half a dozen wounds on his head and face. Rosenvinge said he was attacked by a Dane about twenty years old. Rosenvinge declared he was on his way to the Feigenspan stables shortly before 6 o'clock. The man who assaulted him asked him what time it was and as the latter looked at his watch he was dealt two blows with a piece of iron. Rosenvinge fell and the stranger kicked him repeatedly about the head, crying out, "I'll kill you, I'll kill you."

While Rosenvinge was still unconscious two other men approached them and the assailant told them to get the police and doctor, explaining that he had beaten Rosenvinge for attempting to rob him.

Dr. John L. Lund examined Rosenvinge and says that he will recover. The police arrested William L. Reynolds who said he lived in Long Branch. They took him before Rosenvinge, who said he was not the man.

## IN HOSPITAL THROUGH GRIEF.

Elizabeth, Jan. 25.—Stricken with convulsions from the shock of her husband's death last Friday, the widow of Edwin O'Brien, who was janitor of Public School No. 8, lies in a serious condition in the hospital, where she was removed a few hours after he passed away.

Her brother, Edward Sheridan, is also in the hospital, suffering with pneumonia, the disease from which his brother-in-law died. Mr. Sheridan was in constant attendance on his relative during the latter's fatal illness and thus contracted the malady.

Mr. O'Brien's funeral took place yesterday morning from his late home, 124 Fulton street, Elizabethport. The Americus Association, of which he was a founder, and the Holy Name Society were represented at the obsequies. Rev. James J. Smith, rector of the Holy Rosary church, of which the dead man was a communicant, was the celebrant of the requiem mass. Interment was at Mt. Olivet cemetery.

## SISTER CLARE AGNES ILL.

Elizabeth, Jan. 25.—Sister Clare Agnes, who is principal of the parochial school attached to the Holy Rosary church, Elizabethport, is dangerously ill with pleuro-pneumonia in St. Elizabeth's Hospital, here. Sunday the rector, Rev. James J. Smith, asked the prayers of the congregation at all the masses for the recovery of the sick nun.

Sister Clare Agnes came to Elizabeth from Newark, where she had charge of St. Columbia's parochial school. She took the place of Sister Mary Fortunata in the Holy Rosary School, the latter, because of failing health, being transferred to the parochial school of Our Lady Help of Christians, at East Orange. Sister Fortunata was stricken with heart disease on the street in East Orange and died before medical aid could reach her.

## SECTION HAND "SIDESWIPED."

Whitehouse, Jan. 25.—Daniel Park, a section hand on the New Jersey Central Railroad, was severely injured Sunday night while on duty west of the depot at Whitehouse station by being struck by an eastbound passenger train. He was looking after signals and was walking along the track when the train approached. He thought he was far enough out of the way, but the engine struck him and threw him thirty feet. He landed on his head.

Park was dazed for a while, but soon recovered sufficiently to walk to his home. His scalp was cut open in several places, and he was otherwise badly cut and bruised. His wounds were dressed by Dr. Clark.

### Died from Pneumonia.

Elizabeth, Jan. 25.—Mrs. Sarah M. De Groot, who conducted a variety store at 64 East Jersey street, Elizabethport, died at her home yesterday from pneumonia, after an illness of one week. She was one of the oldest residents at Elizabethport, where she had lived nearly all her life. Mrs. De Groot was the widow of Captain Robert De Groot, who for years was one of the best known navigators on the Kills and New York waters, and had charge of the steamers Kill von Kull and Chancellor of the Central Railroad, which plied between New York and Elizabethport. She was a sister of the late Captain Tunis Egbert, who for years had charge of the ferry service of the Central Railroad between Jersey City and New York.

### Kicked in Back by a Horse.

Califon, Jan. 25.—Former Collector Lambert K. Alpaugh is laid up at his home in Academy street with injuries sustained by being kicked by a horse belonging to his father, George Nelson Alpaugh, near Cokesbury. Mr. Alpaugh visited his parental home Friday and as he was leading the horse from the stable preparatory to returning home was kicked by the animal. He was struck in the back and sustained two fractured ribs. Dr. Isidore Topkins treated him and he was taken to his home here.

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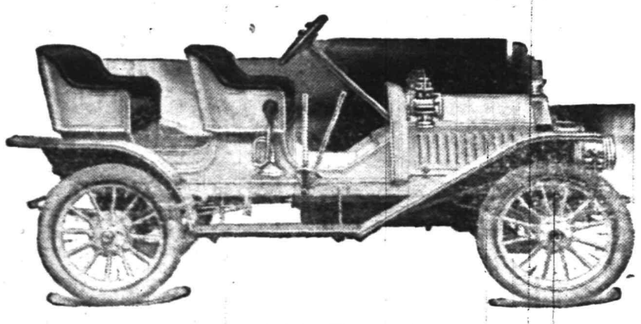

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Plainfield Elks lost the odd game in an Elks' League series at Newark last night. The local pin knights made an auspicious start by taking the Essex county aggregation into camp in the initial set-to by the score of 972 to 950, but after performing this brilliant stunt, the backbone of the local machine collapsed, and it was Newark all the way.

A tiptop brand of pinning was executed by the local contingent in the first game. Stout led the procession with a 222 mark and Kiely was second with a score of 214. Campbell and Blatz also classified in the double century brigade with respective scores of 202 and 200. "Old Hard Luck" got Eddie Laing's goat securely by the horns, and the best the local newsdealer could register was a paltry 134, but that often happens to the best of bowlers.

Newark hit the pins at a steady clip in all three games. Losing the first game did not disconcert the opponents of the locals in the least. In the second they returned a 940 score to Plainfield's 836, and wound up the series with a 908 to 869 triumph. The scores:

**Plainfield.**

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| Kiely | 214 | 160 | 166 |
| Stout | 222 | 170 | 180 |
| Laing | 134 | 168 | 181 |
| Blatz | 200 | 184 | 161 |
| Campbell | 202 | 154 | 181 |
| Totals | 972 | 836 | 869 |

**Newark.**

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| Self | 192 | 191 | 223 |
| Werrell | 171 | 175 | 181 |
| Franz | 222 | 241 | 127 |
| Ohler | 185 | 181 | 206 |
| Hertzman | 180 | 182 | 171 |
| Totals | 950 | 940 | 908 |

**Notes on Elks Game.**

Despite their setback at Newark last night local Elks are making a proud showing in the league. Plainfield ranks fourth in standing, which is considered a grand showing for a first year team. Then the locals have the high team score, 993, and Johnny Campbell tops the individual efforts with a 254 mark. Campbell also held the high individual mark up to last night.

C. Stout did the best work for the locals last night. Chauncey's average for the three games was 190.

Hoboken will be here on Thursday night. The pinners from the German village are in second place and make a hot bid for the championship.

Last night's sting of defeat was partially wiped out by the hospitable treatment accorded the local contingent by the Newark Elks after the battle.

Franz, of Newark, rolled a spectacular game. In the first he scored 222 and in the second 211. Then he hit the toboggan and got a measley 127.

# C. R. R. BOWLERS DO WELL ON THE ALLEYS

At the regular meeting of the C. R. R. of N. J. Bowling Association at Campbell's alleys yesterday morning, the two men team championship was decided by a victory for the dispatchers' team, which has held the honors for some time. The scores:

**Dispatchers Team.**

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| Snyder | 197 | 215 | 172 | 212 | 150 |
| Vanderhoof | 193 | 158 | 122 | 139 | 171 |
| Totals | 390 | 373 | 294 | 351 | 321 |

**Road Team.**

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| Early | 116 | 159 | 167 | 181 | 149 |
| Lavelle | 143 | 176 | 221 | 198 | 153 |
| Totals | 259 | 335 | 388 | 379 | 302 |

A special match between Snyder and Hall of the Dispatchers, and Early and Lavelle resulted in a tie. The scores:

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| Snyder | 181 | 211 | 163 | 169 |
| Hall | 132 | 160 | 145 | 139 |
| Totals | 313 | 371 | 308 | 308 |
| Early | 129 | 157 | 194 | 166 |
| Lavelle | 164 | 136 | 218 | 170 |
| Totals | 293 | 293 | 412 | 336 |

The averages for all games rolled at the meeting were as follows: Snyder, 178; Lavelle, 175; Early, 159; Vanderhoof, 156; Hall, 144; Meaney, 125; Griffin, 95.

**Notes of the Tourney.**

It was a sad blow for the "Poodle Team," but Snyder and Van. were on the job and had them safe at all times. When it was necessary they stuck in a few good ones and won out.

Night Station Master Early contributes his poor showing to the "rooting." Others think it was his "regular game."

The 232 score still remains high. Lavelle made desperate effort to beat it, but dropped off with a 221. His expression indicated "a broken heart."

For novices "the two Mikes" did well.

"Abe" is getting back to his previous good form. The little rest did the gent from Somerville no harm.

Early appeared for the first time with two white feet. Frank thinks they made him top heavy and cut down his average. His 116 as an opener indicated something wrong.

There should be something doing next Monday.

**JOINT CAUCUS PUT OFF.**

**Republicans of Both Houses Get Together Next Monday.**

Trenton, Jan. 25.—Several prominent members of the House and Senate Republican majorities were unable to reach Trenton in time for the caucus which had been planned, and so the leaders decided to postpone it for a week. The call was formally issued during the evening for a joint caucus in the Senate chamber next Monday night, January 31.

The caucus will pick State Treasurer Daniel S. Voorhees to succeed himself for another term of three years. The Democratic minority of House and Senate has agreed tentatively to nominate for the place Stephen Egan, of Hudson county, as their choice for State treasurer and he will probably receive their complimentary votes.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thiers, of St. Michaels, Md., have been visiting relatives here for a time.

John C. VanDyke, of East Fifth street, who has been at the hospital under treatment for injuries received in a fall, was able to go to the hospital table for dinner on Sunday.


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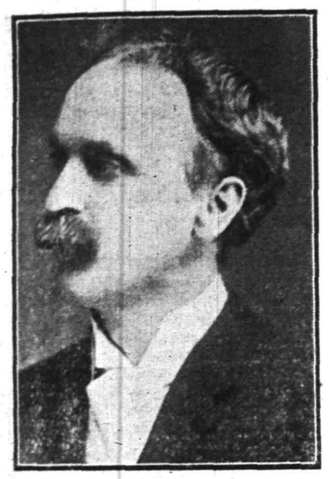
## PANAMA AT CLOSE RANGE

### Charles L. Lewis Pictures the Government Work on Isthmus.

HIS TALK WAS INSTRUCTIVE.

At the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium Lecturer Tells What U. S. Has Accomplished There.

"What I Saw in Panama," was the subject of a highly interesting as well as instructive lecture, delivered by Charles L. Lewis, to an attentive audience in Y. M. C. A. hall last night. Mr. Lewis' portrayal of the



Charles L. Lewis.

conditions on the Isthmus, which was given to his hearers in clear and convincing language, and his talk had a realistic tinge to it by beautifully colored photographic illustrations in which scenes of that tropical clime were vividly presented.

The material for the lecture was gathered by Mr. Lewis during the summer of 1908 when the Lotus Glee Club, of which he is a member, made a trip to the Isthmus under the auspices of the Isthmian Canal Commission, to give a series of ten concerts to the U. S. Government employes engaged in work in that country.

A distinctive interesting point of the lecture was Mr. Lewis' laudation of the perfect sanitary conditions prevailing in the cities of Panama and Colon. A remarkable progress in this direction, he said, had been made by the United States, which now has absolute sanitary jurisdiction in these cities.

Mr. Lewis alluded to the extermination of the mosquito by Dr. Gorgas, which he said displays the remarkable progress made there in sanitation. Referring to the mosquito Mr. Lewis put it in this way: "While there I saw one, heard two, but felt none."

A visit to Fort Lorenzo, as described by the lecturer, was another interesting part of his talk. In describing the native citizens, or "spiggoties" as they are called by the American residents, he declared they were a lazy, but apparently happy people, and life among them appeared to be a perpetual holiday.

While in Panama Mr. Lewis said he was impressed with the churches and cathedrals. While in that city he attended a session of the National Assembly, which is the only law making body of the Republic.

Mr. Lewis also depicted his visits to the Gatum Dam and to Culebra Cut which he classed as two of the most stupendous engineering feats in the world's history. The visit to these points of interest was augumented by photographs which showed the steam drills and machinery making the "dirt fly."

The beauties of nature to be found on the Isthmus was not forgotten by Mr. Lewis. He dwelt considerably on the birds, flowers and trees. His descriptions of the silk cotton tree, the cocoanut and traveling palms was interesting.

The lecture is so highly regarded by the New York Board of Education that that body has engaged Mr. Lewis as the only lecturer to talk on Panama in the public schools of the metropolis.

**Off for Sunny Climes.**

Frank Boos, of Grant avenue, left this morning for a two months business trip through the south and west. Mr. Boos goes in the interests of the U. S. Express Company, New York office, and his first stop will be New Orleans. From the Crescent City he will journey to Galveston, Texas.

—Neuman Brothers are making a special offer of new White Label canned goods at special prices by the dozen cans. The assortment includes whole asparagus, asparagus tips, fancy peas, fancy stringless beans, fancy tiny lima beans, fancy Maine corn and fancy Jersey tomatoes.

## WANT A FACTORY SITE

### A. J. McClintock, Representing New England Concern, Seeks Land Here.

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Manufacturers of Men's and Boys' Boots and Shoes—Coming Again In Three Weeks.

A. J. McClintock, representing four boot and shoe factories, located at Lynn and Brockton, Mass., called on Francis J. Blatz, Esq., yesterday, for the purpose of securing information relative to manufacturing conditions in this city. Mr. McClintock while here also took occasion to look over several available sites of land on which to erect a large factory, which will have a capacity of turning out the combined product of the four factories which are at present engaged.

Owing to the inclement weather Mr. McClintock did not succeed in getting around as much as he anticipated. He was obliged to return to Boston last night but he will be here again in about three weeks to continue his search for a satisfactory site.

According to Mr. McClintock the four factories consolidated interests on January 1 and that it is the intention of the controlling interests of the new company to establish one plant for the entire product of the four factories at a place within easy access of the New York market.

The company under the new arrangement has about 3,500 persons on its payroll in the four factories, including men and women, many of whom are skilled mechanics. The concern uses annually nearly 75 per cent. of the output of a Newark leather factory, the former company's chief products being men and boys' boots and shoes.

During the past week Mr. McClintock investigated sites at Aldene, Bound Brook, West Dunellen, in addition to plots of ground in this city. Yesterday he looked over land on the line of the Jersey Central between this city and Dunellen on both the north and south sides of the track.

**MISS JOSEPHINE CLARK NORMAN HALLETT'S BRIDE**

The marriage of Miss F. Josephine Clark, daughter of Mrs. Frederick H. Floy, by a former marriage, and Norman Hallett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Hallett, took place yesterday afternoon in the Dutch Collegiate church, West End avenue and Seventy-seventh street, New York, the Rev. Dr. Henry E. Cobb, officiating. The couple are well known in the city, where they have frequently visited.

The bride was attended by Miss Adele Cragin, and the Misses Jessie and Louise Burnes, Mildred G. Wetzel, Louise Scholes, and Elizabeth Brooks. Godfrey Hallet was his brother's best man, and the ushers were Harry Clark, Charles A. Murphy, Henry C. Smith and John Bovey. There was also a little flower girl, Miss Virginia Grattan, and a page, John E. Kerr, Jr. Harry S. Skillman gave his neice in marriage, and the ceremony was followed by a reception at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Floy, 325 West Seventy-seventh street. Several Plainfielders attended the wedding and reception.

**MISSION WORKERS MEET AT MONROE AVE. CHURCH.**

Under the auspices of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Societies of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, a missionary tea was held in the church parlors yesterday afternoon. Mrs. A. W. Hayes, of Westfield, district secretary for the foreign missionary society, was present and gave an interesting talk on mission work at home and abroad.

Other features of the program included a soprano solo by Mrs. Richard Gilbert; readings by Mrs. W. B. Grannatt and the reading of a poem, "The Changed Cross," by Mrs. Mansfield Smith. Refreshments were served afterward and a social time enjoyed.

**William Chamberlain Weds.**

William Chamberlain, of East Third street, and Miss Maude Allen, of New York city, were married at noon today in Jersey City, by the Rev. Thomas G. Spencer. After the ceremony the couple left for Washington to spend their honeymoon. Upon their return they will reside in this city. Mr. Chamberlain is well-known here, where he is engaged in business as a painter.

The W. C. T. U. instead of holding its regular meeting tomorrow afternoon in the rooms on Madison avenue, will meet with the colored branch of the Union at the Calvary Baptist church on Central avenue.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS INSTALL NEW OFFICERS

Watchung Council, Knights of Columbus, installed the following officers last night. Grand Knight, H. P. Greenwood; deputy grand knight, Charles Fogarty; chancellor, William J. O'Keefe; chaplain, Rev. Bernard M. Bogan; warden, Daniel J. Courain; advocate, Francis J. Blatz; trustees, John J. Kenney, John C. Traynor, Patrick Traynor; lecturer, Arthur A. Cannon; inside guard, T. Parent, Jr.; outside guard, A. R. Martell.

There was a big turnout of members and speeches were made by the newly elected officers. There was an informal talk on the proposed K. of C. building, but no definite steps have been taken to appoint a committee to push the project.

## UNION COUNTY TEACHERS HEAR OPENING LECTURE

The first lecture in the course arranged for the principals and teachers of Union county was held in the assembly room of the Chestnut street school, Roselle, Monday night, when Dr. James E. Lough, of New York University, opened the course on "Educational Psychology." The course is to be continued for the next three months and will be supported by the various boards of education in the county.

New York University will issue certificates to teachers who pass the examinations in the course. These certificates will be accepted by the university in lieu of work done in residence and they will also be accepted by the county superintendent in place of the reading and examinations required for professional certificates.

These certificates will also have a money value, as they will be the best possible recommendation for teachers desiring to advance professionally.

The majority of the meetings will be held at the Roselle school, while some of them will take place at the Roselle Park school and at Cranford.

## PARTY IN HONOR OF BOBBIE BURNS BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baillie, of West Third street, entertained a number of friends at their home last night in honor of the one hundred and fifty-first anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns. The evening was spent in singing, there being solos and duets from the works of the poet and stories suitable for the occasion were contributed by the entire gathering. Refreshments were served at 11 o'clock and the singing resumed and continued until 1:30 o'clock this morning. Those present were:

Mr. and Mrs Thomas McNeil, Mr. and Mrs. James Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. George Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. James Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. William Carmichael, Miss Elizabeth Ford, Miss Annie Burke, Miss Mamie Hendry, Alexander Burke, Hugh Hosie, Alexander Love, Miss Jessie Ross, the Misses Susie and Ethel Jamieson and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baillie.

**"YANKEE PRINCE" COMING; SEVENTY-FIVE IN CAST.**

George M. Cohan's great show, "The Yankee Prince," said to be one of his best, will be presented at the Plainfield theatre, Wednesday night, February 2, with Tom Lewis as the star, and a company of seventy-five, including a beauty chorus.

Messrs. Proctor & Sanderson are striving to give amusement lovers the best and that it is appreciated was shown by the capacity audiences attending Al. G. Field's miustrels and Elsie Janis in "The Fair Co-Ed."

**Birthday Tea Tomorrow.**

The annual birthday reception and package party of The Day Nursery will be held at the Nursery on West Third street, tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. All friends of the Nursery are urged to attend and not forget the storehouse. Dry groceries, etc., will be acceptable and appreciated. The needs of the Nursery are constantly increasing and additional help is required to carry on the work.

**Mother Dying in Chicago.**

The local police department received a message last night from Mrs. Barham, 1,604 East 55th street, Hyde Park, Chicago, stating that the mother of Arthur S. Jeffery, of this city, was dying. Mr. Jeffery was notified at his home, 675 West Third street, and he left this morning for the bedside of his mother.

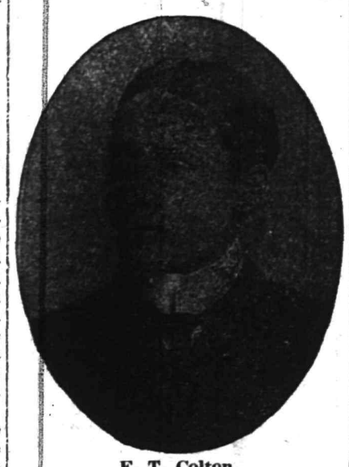
## LAYMEN'S MASS MEETING

### Two Noted Men to Speak on the Forward Movement and Its Meaning.

THE TOPICS ARE ANNOUNCED.

Silas H. McBee and E. T. Colton—Public Cordially Invited to Attend—Mr. McCutchen to Preside.

Two of the most influential laymen in the country have been secured as speakers for the laymen's meeting to be held in the First M. E. church on Friday night. Both E. T. Colton and Silas H. McBee are



E. T. Colton.

known to laymen everywhere for their close identification with the progress of the missionary propaganda among men.

Mr. Colton, as the associate of John R. Mott, in the leadership of the foreign department of the Y. M. C. A., is at the head of a responsible department for the maintenance of nearly a hundred Y. M. C. A. secretaries in foreign cities, involving the raising of more than $150,000 a year.

Two years ago he made an extensive tour of mission lands and took part in the great convention of the World's Christian Student Federation at Tokio, a convention that was followed by the greatest evangelistic campaign in the history of Japan.

As a speaker, Mr. Colton, like Mr. Mott, is strong, eloquent and convincing. He is a man with a message that appeals to thinking men. His topic Friday night will be "Will America Evangelize her Share of the World?"

Silas McBee is one of the leading religious editors of the world. His paper, The Churchman, is one of the principal organs of the great Episcopal church. He is one of the founders of the laymen's missionary movement being chairman of the committee having charge of the promotion of a campaign in England. One week ago he returned from a visit there, made in the interest of a campaign in the large cities of England. Mr. McBee's topic will be "Men and Missions."

Charles W. McCutchen will preside. William N. Runyon will lead the singing.

**Funeral of William F. Hall.**

The funeral services of Former Assemblyman William F. Hall, of Cranford, were held last night from Trinity Episcopal church, that place, and were in charge of Rev. John Edgecumbe, rector of the church. The Elizabeth Lodge of Elks, of which the dead man was a member, and members of the Union County Republican Committee, attended in a body. This morning a special train conveyed the funeral party to Jersey City and thence to Woodlawn Cemetery, where the body was placed in a vault.

**Euchre for St. Joseph's Church.**

The Four Leaf Clover Club will hold its second annual euchre party and dance in Debele's Hall, Tuesday evening, February 1, 1910, for the benefit of St. Joseph's church. The games will begin at 8:15 o'clock. The committee in charge comprises the Misses Frieda Keiser, Nellie Percelle, Mamie Carney and atheryn Conshay.

**Property Sale Postponed.**

The foreclosure proceedings of Apgar Brothers, of Dunellen, against Jesse Ayers, of the same place, which was to come up in the office of the Middlesex County Sheriff, at New Brunswick, today, was adjourned for one week.

**Sesame Club Meeting.**

The Sesame Club will meet tomorrow morning at the residence of Mrs. G. S. Simons, 245 East Ninth street. street.

—Thursday evening, this week, concert of old familiar songs. High School auditorium. Tickets $1.00, at Armstrong's. ***1 24 3

## CAPT. BUXTON TALKS AT THE HIGH SCHOOL

Captain Henry Buxton, of Singapore, uncle of Councilman Herbert Buxton, of this city, gave a short address at the Plainfield High School, this morning. This is the first time he has been in America in fifty years, and he recalled the fact that it looked like a new world to him. Captain Buxton is a native of this city, and is visiting here for a time.

Captain Buxton spoke of living in India, Australia, Japan, South Sea Islands and China. His family is now living in China, his eldest daughter being in charge of the Government school there, having three hundred Chinese children under her charge. Captain Buxton will leave next week for his adopted land.

## DUNELLEN SPITE-HOUSE IS DOOMED AT LAST

Dunellen's "City hall," or Michael Gallagher's spite house, adjoining the postoffice, is doomed, and great is the rejoicing thereof among the citizens of that place. Alexander Kane, of this city, today purchased the "shack" from Gallagher, and has begun operation to raze the building and remove the lumber.

The building has been an eyesore to Dunellen citizens and merchants for about a year. It was erected by Gallagher following a dispute he had with the borough officials. The trouble was instigated by Gallagher who violated the Dunellen ordinance by soliciting hack passengers at the depot without a license.

Gallagher, it appears, continued to violate the law and the result was that one day Police Marshal Sliney arrested and locked him up in the borough lockup. Gallagher was in jail only a few hours and when he was released he declared he would "get even with the borough."

He retaliated by building the spite house, or "City hall," as it became known. The "shack" was roofless and constructed with second-hand lumber which Gallagher purchased especially for the purpose.

## FREDERICK S. OVERTON BECOMES A BENEDICT

The marriage of Miss Elsie Merrio Corbett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Corbett, and Frederic Stanley Overton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Overton, both of North Plainfield, takes place at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, 21 Myrtle avenue. Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor of the Congregational church, performs the ceremony. The invitations include only relatives and immediate friends to the number of about one hundred. The only attendant is Edward White Overton, a brother of the groom, who is the best man.

The bride's family, formerly of New York city, have but recently leased the Hegeman house, 21 Myrtle avenue. The groom has been a resident of the borough for sometime and both he and Miss Corbett have a host of friends. Mr. Overton holds a responsible position as confidential secretary to William L. Saunders, president of the Ingersoll-Rand Company, of New York city. The couple will take a month's trip, after which they will reside in New York city.

**Husband and Wife Buried Here.**

Mrs. Sarah A. Steward, who died at her home in Newark on January 19, was buried in Hillside Cemetery, this city, Saturday, beside the body of her husband, who was buried there on Tuesday last. The funeral services were held at the First Baptist church, Elizabeth, Saturday, and were conducted by Rev. Dr. T. S. Thames, the pastor.

**Stage Fright.**

Preparations are being made for taking some of New Brunswick's school children to Plainfield to take part in a singing contest there. We heartily indorse the proposition but would caution those in charge of the arrangements of the danger that our children will not feel like singing in Plainfield.—New Brunswick Times.

**W. D. Murray Will Speak.**

William D. Murray, of this city, will be one of the speakers at a meeting to be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the residence of Miss Grace H. Dodge, 262 Madison avenue, New York, when the Silver Bay Association for Christian Conference and Training will discuss the summer work at Silver Bay.

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## SANG OLD TIME SONGS

### The Jonesville Choir's Program Heartily Enjoyed by a Big Audience.

"LIVING ALBUM" A FEATURE.

Unusual Entertainment by First M. E. Church People at Vincent Chapel Last Night.

"Aunt Samantha," accompanied by the "Jonesville Choir," appeared in Vincent chapel, of the First M. E. church, last night, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, and provided an enjoyable entertainment. There was a large attendance of members and friends of the church. Mrs. William Jillson, of New York, who had charge of the entertainment and took the part of "Samantha," was especially good, while the local talent representing the "Jonesville Choir" kept everyone in good humor.

The scene was laid in an old-fashioned country home, where "Aunt Samantha" entertained the choir. "Deacon Doolittle," in the person of Martin Stutsman, preceded the choir's visitation, and he was clever in the role. His makeup was fine and his repartee was capital. Those who comprised the choir were E. A. Edgar, leader, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dunham, Miss Bertha VanNuis Willis, Miss Laura Gesswein, Mrs. Harry R. Moyer, Miss Jane Bailey, Miss Ada Stark, Miss Helen Smalley, Miss Minnie Thomas, Nelson A. Miller and Edward Brown. They were all attired in the old-fashioned style.

During the entertainment the choir sang, "My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean," "My Old Kentucky Home," and other old familiar selections, all in a heart-rending fashion. Other selections were "I Was Seeing Nellie Home," "Jingle Bells," while for solo numbers Miss Bertha Willis sang "In the Gloaming," and Miss Jane Bailey sang, "Just a Song at Twilight." Other solos were given by Mrs. Harry Moyer and Nelson A. Miller, while Miss Irene Miller, appearing as "Topsy," won much applause in singing two darky songs, one being "Old Black Joe," the choir joining in the chorus. Miss Jane Bailey presided at the old-fashioned meleodeon.

Another feature of the entertainment was a living album, presented by Mrs. Jillson and in which the young people of the church furnished the subjects. They were all very clever and won much applause. The characters and impersonators were:

"Mother," Miss Edna French; "Josiah" as a boy, Clarence Skiff; young girl, Miss Zeta Voorhees; "Josiah and Me," Dr. Frank W. French and Miss May Randolph; "Elder Drinkwater," Arthur Humble; "Orphelia and Cordelia," twins, Miss Frances Rittenhouse and Miss Anna Bingaman; "Josiah," Dr. Frank W. French; "Sam," the cowboy, Fred Martin; "Caroline Emmons," Miss Helen Whitney; the twins at sixteen years, the Misses Ethel and Florence Prior; "Old Maid," Miss Irene Miller; "Sister," Miss Thyra Stiles; "Dorinthia," Miss Mattie Humble; "Amelia Baskin," Miss Mildred Spicer; "Harriett," Mrs. Frank Rowley, holding doll baby; "Topsy," Miss Irene Miller; "Betsy Bobbitt," Miss Gertrude Sharp; "Amos," Aunt Samantha's first husband, Arthur Humble; "Thomas Jefferson" and "Susie Anne," Harry Little and Miss Helen Edgar; "Josiah' at 80 years, Dr. Frank W. French; "Columbia," Miss Jubilee Rowley.

In conclusion Mrs. Jillson recited two selections, one a war time story and the other humorous.

Mrs. Nelson A. Miller, who was chairman of the committee of arrangements, also acted as accompanist during the evening in the rendition of the solo numbers.

**MISS EVELYN FISK TO WED.**

Sister of Charles J. Fisk to be the Bride of John W. Du B. Gould.

The engagement has been announced to their intimate friends of Miss Evelyn Fisk, a sister of Charles J. Fisk, and John W. Du B. Gould, a son of Mrs. E. Sherman Gould, and a brother of Miss Susan M. L. Gould and Francis Lewis Gould, of New York.

Mr. Gould was graduated from New York University in 1902, and is a nephew of E. Livingston Ludlow, his mother before her marriage having been Miss Arabella D. Ludlow.

Miss Fisk is a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Fisk. No date has been set for the wedding.

**Men's Club to Entertain.**

The Men's Club of the Seventh-Day Baptist church will give its annual entertainment for the benefit of the Women's Society for Christian Work, in the church tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

## SAYS JAPAN IS A DREAM

### Former Mayor Touring the World Captivated by the Flowery Kingdom.

AND WORDS FAIL HIM AT LAST!

Mr. Buckle Opines That He Will Not Take to the Lecture Platform When He Returns.

Hundreds of friends of former Mayor James F. Buckle, who is making a trip around the world with his wife, in this morning's mail received either letters or postal cards from that popular man. Mr. Buckle ex-

Former Mayor James F. Buckle.

presses himself as "de-lighted" over his travels.

In a letter to The Daily Press, the genial former mayor says:

"If I had the gift of those fellows that write the New York Sun editorials, I could not describe the beauties of Japan where we are now. This country is a dream. I always thought that nature, human and otherwise, was the same the world over, but nature here holds the patent rights for this little earth of ours. All others are mere imitations.

"Tell my friend, 'Jim' Martine, that I ran across a Democrat during my travels. It was somewhat of a novelty. I have planned to give my friends at home a treat when I get back. I have made up my mind that I will not follow the example of every other man in our town who has seen something of the world. That is, I am not going to deliver any 'illustrated lectures.'"

This letter was posted at Kobe, Japan, on January 4. Mr. Buckle is expected home next month.

Mr. Buckle has sent The Daily Press copies of The Japan Chronicle, published at Kobe, Japan, and The Nagasaki Press, published at that city in Japan, both of which contain accounts of entertainments given in the American visitors' honor.

Mr. and Mrs. Buckle, Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Mali and Miss Adele Dietrich are the Plainfielders in the party of 700 making the trip on the Hamburg-American liner "Cleveland."

**Will Engage Extra Teacher.**

The Board of Education of Fanwood has added another teacher to the corps at Public School No. 1, enabling Principal S. Dana Townsend to devote his entire time as supervising principal of the township schools. The school has grown rapidly during the past ten years. Last year it was necessary to build an addition to the school at an expense of $9,000. The new teacher will take charge of the eighth grade. This change will be effective February 1.

**"Belle Mead Sweets" Please.**

Dudley S. Miller, the Park avenue druggist, has received a letter from M. G. Rockhill, secretary of The Belle Mead Sweetmakers, of Trenton, manufacturers of "Belle Mead Sweets," in which he said that in making up the comparison sheets for 1909 he finds that the company has increased his sales about 25 per cent. over 1908.

**Annual Y. M. C. A. Dinner.**

The date for the annual dinner of the Y. M. C. A. has been fixed for Thursday night, February 24. One of the speakers secured for the banquet is Dr. George J. Fisher, secretary of the physical department of the International Y. M. C. A. Dr. Fisher's topic will be "The educational value of play."

**Jacob Voehl Out Again.**

Jacob Voehl, of the borough, who was confined to his home for several weeks with rheumatism and complications, is able to be out on the street again. Mr. Voehl is all right again with the exception of a little lameness in his left leg.

**Art Exhibition Postponed.**

The art exhibition which was to have been given by Mrs. Franklin Newman at the Y. M. C. A. on Friday and Saturday of this week, has been postponed on account of illness.

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# Great January Clearance Sale.

This last week of the most successful Clearance Sale we have ever held will be devoted to clean up broken lots, remnants, odds and ends from various departments which we find have accumulated during the three weeks of this Clearance Sale. And it will prove the most interesting, important and profitable to the purchaser, because we will not inventory them. They must be closed out this week, no matter what the cost to us.

## The Lots That Must Be Closed Out the Following Are Conspicuous

**REMNANTS**—Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Goods, Linens, Domestics, White Goods, Linings, Embroideries, Laces and Ginghams **less than Half Price.**

**ODD SIZES** in Corsets, Sweaters, Boys' Tam Caps, Wool Shawls, Outing Flannel Gowns, Corset Covers and Drawer Combinations, White Muslin Underwear.

**BROKEN SIZES** in Men's Underwear, Boys' and Men's Sweaters, Boys' Blouses, Gloves, and odd lot of Men's Ties.

**ALSO BROKEN LOTS** of Ladies' Neckwear, Gloves, Hand Bags, Hair Brushes, Mirrors, Scissors, Hair Rolls.

**SHORT LENGTHS** of Cretonne, Silkaline, Curtain Swiss and Matting, several lots of Chinaware.

**MILLINERY**—We have a few lots of fine Trimmed Hats that you can buy at less than cost of material.

**ODD LOTS** of Ladies' Kimonas, Dressing Jackets, Wrappers, House Dresses, etc.

## In the Suit and Coat Dept. Cost Price is Not Considered

Every vestage of the present season's stock must be disposed of to make room for our spring stock.

If you fail to avail yourself of this most exceptional sale you will miss a bargain event that will not come your way again for some time.

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$30.00 superior Tailored Suits for ..... $15.00
$35.00 High Grade Suits for ..... $17.50

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$15.00 Covert and Black Coats for ..... $7.50
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Fanwood ..... Charles Elliott
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### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

George Staples, a well known railroad man, of the borough, died at Muhlenberg Hospital last night from a complication of troubles. Mr. Staples had been ill for several weeks and one week ago be entered the hospital. The deceased was a resident of the borough for about fifteen years and made his home at Maier's Hotel. He was about fifty-five years of age and had been employed by the Jersey Central in various capacities for about a quarter of a century. At the time illness overtook him he was a gateman and was stationed at Cranford. He is survived by a wife who is an inmate of the State Hospital at Trenton in which institution she has been for about ten years.

At the quarterly conference meeting of the Methodist church a unanimous invitation was officially extended to the Rev. W. A. Knox, by the congregation, to be its pastor for another year. Although Mr. Knox has only been stationed here one year his work has been crowned with success and he is a big favorite, not only with the members of his congregation, but also with all local churchgoers.

Mr. and Mrs. Behrens, who have been occupying the Wrage house on Dunellen avenue for the past five months, will remove to New York in a few weeks. O. M. Weber and family will then take possession of the Wrage house.

Robert Lowrie until a few days ago was the owner of nine choice fowl. Now he has only two of his favorites left. A few nights ago a thelf entered his hencoop and stole seven of the birds.

Irving Fenner, it is reported, is working on plans to establish another newspaper for Dunellen and vicinity. It will be issued semi-weekly if the plans materialize.

William Hall, a driver in the employ of the Dunellen Stone and Lumber Company, was bitten on the hand by a horse yesterday. Dr. Pennock dressed the wound.

William H. Taylor, proprietor of Taylor's Hotel, has been confined indoors for the past two weeks with a severe attack of rheumatism.

The Dunellen A. C. has made arrangements to conduct a fair in Junior O. U. A. M. hall on the nights of February 3 and 4.

M. T. Moynihan has returned from Wilkesbarre where he went on an inspection of coal mines.

Mrs. C. T. Hunt, of Stockton, is being entertained by her sister, Mrs. E. E. Giddes.

### 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

Fred Clark, of Bartle avenue, was taken suddenly ill with pneumonia Sunday night at the home of his uncle, David R. Clark, where he was visiting. He was reported as resting easier yesterday.

Frank Hunter, who broke his leg by a fall on the ice several weeks ago, is able to be around again and has returned to his position with the Rushmore Dynamo Company, of Plainfield.

Borough Collector Charles Sheelen is carrying a broken thumb, as the result of a bad fall on the ice while soliciting orders in the borough several days ago.

A number from here will attend the dance given tonight by the young people of St. Mary's parish, Stony Hill, in the Lyceum building.

Edward Heath, of Westfield avenue, has taken a position with the Rushmore Dynamo Company, of Plainfield.

The weekly prayer and praise meeting of the Baptist church will be held tonight in the parlors of the church.

John Van Nosdall, who has been visiting friends in town, has returned to his home at Hughsonville, N. Y.

James Fitzgerald has been detained at home for several days with a severe attack of the grip.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

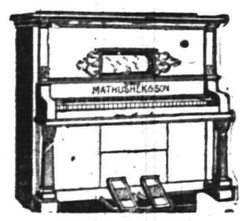
Mrs. George Fedock is critically ill. She is under the care of Dr. Van Horn, of Plainfield.

Mrs. William Reilley has returned from a short visit with relatives in North Plainfield.

Miss Mary Kaine is spending a short time with Plainfield friends.

William Mack, of Metuchen, visited friends in town yesterday.

## A FEAST FOR THE EAR

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### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Junior Mission Band of the First Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

The missionary study class of the First M. E. church will hold its last session tonight after the prayer-meeting.

There will be a rally of Plainfield Group No. 3 Epworth League, at the First M. E. church, Thursday evening, February 3.

The fourth quarterly conference of the First M. E. church will be held this evening in Vincent chapel, after the prayer-meeting.

At the regular February meeting of the Women's Home Missionary Society of the First M. E. church the mite boxes will be opened.

The Men's Bible Conference class of the First Baptist church will hold interesting exercises at the church tomorrow night, consisting of a program of music, speeches and refreshments.

The Methodist dinner will be given in Vincent chapel of the First M. E. church, tomorrow night, under the auspices of the men of the local Methodist church. There will be several prominent speakers.

The Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Robert W. Barnes, of Mountain avenue, Friday afternoon. Mrs. Robin C. Brown will lead the devotional exercises, and Miss May S. Shreve will read a paper on "Labrador."

### NINE GOVERNORS FOR A SAFE AND SANE FOURTH.

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—Nine governors have sent assurances to the safe and sane Fourth of July committee of the Civic Club of this city that they would enter into the crusade to suppress all unnecessary noises on Independence Day. The Civic Club is forming a national committee of the Governors of the various States to discuss the question of abolishing the use of fireworks except for public display.

Replies signifying their intentions of joining the movement from Governors have been received from Governors Draper, Massachusetts; Prouty, Vermont; Deneen, Illinois; Brady, Idaho; Eberhardt, Minnesota; Burke, North Dakota; Vessey, South Dakota; Morris, Montana, and Cosgrave, Washington.

### HETTY GREEN REFUSES TO PATRONIZE BUTCHER.

New York, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Hetty Green, who has many millions of dollars, declared yesterday that at present prices meat is too dear for her, and she cut it out of her luncheon order. Mrs. Green entered a modest uptown restaurant and scanned the bill of fare. Steak she found at fifty cents a portion, and roast lamb and roast beef at thirty-five cents. Mrs. Green took half out, which was fifteen cents a portion.

"Have you joined the boycott?" asked the waiter. "No," said Mrs. Green, dubiously, "but meat is too high. You don't get your money's worth. People really can't afford to eat it. There are other things just as good, and cheaper."

### FIGHTS EXCISE ACT.

Elizabeth, Jan. 26.—The old Board of Excise held a meeting late Monday afternoon, the first since it went out of existence. It was decided to fight the constitutionality of the act creating the new board and also to certiorari the proceedings of that board on the ground that it had acted illegally in its organization.

The city charter, it is pointed out, specifies the Excise Board shall organize with five members, but owing to the sudden death of Dr. Pierce A. Banker, a Republican commissioner, the new board organized with only four members, there being no provision made in the act which created it as to how a vacancy should be filled. Former Prosecutor William R. Wilson, of Union, has been retained by the old board to conduct the fight and with him will be associated Alan Strong, of New Brunswick.

### SEWER PLANS CARRIED.

**Towns Vote to Spend $54,000 for New System.**

Roselle, Jan. 26.—A special election was held yesterday in Aldene and Lorraine to vote on the proposition to build a $54,000 sewer system. Out of 189 votes cast 142 favored the proposition; 32 voted in opposition, and 15 ballots were rejected.

The Council voted on the bond issue last November, but it had to be confirmed by popular vote. The contract has been awarded to a Rochester firm. Work will be begun in April. At present there is no sewer system in the town.

Six girls, members of the choir of Christ M. P. church, Atlantic City, acted as pall-bearers and carried the body of Miss Bondena New, formerly a member of the choir, to the grave. The dead girl, who was seventeen years old, was one of the prominent leaders in work of the church.

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**6c BLEACHED TOWELING CRASH FOR 4c.**
20 pieces full Bleached Twill Toweling Crash, 17 in. wide; 6c value; on sale, yard.... .4

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16 and 18 inch Stair Oilcloth; regular 10c and 12c value, at, yard..... .7

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Corticelli Spool Silk, black only; 100 yard spools; on sale at..... .7

5c Toilet Paper, 3c—Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8 oz. rolls; regular 5c quality, sale ..... .3

5c Milward's Needles, 3c—Milward's best needles, all sizes, regular 5c, on sale at, paper ..... .3

Mercerized White Batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide; a regular 29c quality; on sale at, yard..... .15

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Lot 1—Wash Dresses, sold up to $1.69, at ..... .85

Lot 2—Wash Dresses, sold up to $2.98, at ..... $1.39

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Here is the way we cut the price during the January clearance. We offer about 25 Women's fine Silk Rubberized Coats, with satin stripes and some plain, all in the newest style; regular $10.00 and $12.50, on sale at..... $7.85

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Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10.00; clearance price ..... $6.98

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $9.75

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FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

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LOST—On Belvidere avenue, near Berkeley avenue, Thursday afternoon, jewelled velvet neck ribbon. Reward if returned to 750 Belvidere avenue. 1 24 3

### Miscellaneous.

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# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## GOLF.

This comment on Sunday golfing and a custom somewhat prevalent in this country, based on the principle that what the eyes do not see the heart need not grieve over, is from London Turth:

The North Manchester Golf Club has been agitated over the question of Sunday play, and by way of a compromise with the unco' guid a rule is now proposed to permit play on Sundays over only the first eight and last two holes. The explanation is that whereas these ten holes are to some extent screened from observation by a railway embankment, the remaining eight are open to the public view from the neighboring main roads. I have come across many quaint manifestations in Sabbatarianism, but for nauseous hypocrisy I think this arrangement takes the cake.

Garden G. Smith takes Truth to task in Golf Illustrated. He states ignorance of the circumstances but does not see where the "nauseous hypocrisy" comes in. "The golfers apparently have denied themselves play over eight of their holes on Sundays in order that their Sabbatarian brethren who pass by may not be offended by the spectacle of what they regard as Sabbath breaking," continues Smith. "As far as the golfers are concerned, it is a case of self-denial instead of hypocrisy. Truth surely does not mean to suggest that the Sabbatarians themselves play on Sundays at the holes which are hidden from the public view.

Henry C. Rew, an enthusiastic American golfers who has done a great deal for the San Remo Golf Club, has sent 500 francs to Mr. Hay-Gordon, secretary of the Nice Golf Club, to start a subscription for the purchase of a combined motor roller and lawn mower, which he thinks is all that is required to make the Nice golf links "a veritable paradise for golfers."

Carnoustie has furnished the amateur champion of India for three years past. Alex. Mann, who won the 1909 title in December at the Tollygunge course, Calcutta, also won in 1907 and David Scroggie of the same town won in 1906.

## ROSELLE WOMAN FINED FOR BEGGING IN N. Y.

New York, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Anna Rubin, said to be the owner of property at Roselle, N. J., and the wife of an able bodied workingman, was fined $10 by Magistrate Steinert in Essex Market Court Monday on a charge of annoying pedestrians and seeking alms.

Miss Celia Jossum, an assistant to Mrs. Axeman, probation officer of Special Sessions, was the complainant against Mrs. Rubin. She said that she first observed Mrs. Rubin begging in Grand street three weeks ago. The woman, nearly fifty years of age and shabbily dressed, was telling all whom she accosted that she was destitute and had seven children and a husband who had lost seven fingers, dependent upon her for the necessaries of life.

Miss Jossum aided her through the Widowed Mothers' Fund and took an adress the woman gave. A week later Miss Jossum met her again, gave her more aid and took another address given by the woman. She investigated and found that both addresses were false.

When she saw Mrs. Rubin begging in Canal street on Sunday she demanded that the woman give her right address. The beggar refused, and Miss Jossum decided to play detective. Late in the day she followed the woman to Roselle, N. J., where she entered a cottage. From the neighbors Miss Jossum learned that Mrs. Rubin and her husband, who has all his fingers and is a steady worker, own the house and lot, worth about $4,000; keep a Jersey cow, have a lot of poultry, and each of her seven children has an individual bank account.

"This woman has been begging for twenty-one years," said Miss Jossum, "and apparently has been paying fifty cents a day round trip railroad fare between Roselle and New York city. She has obtained on her story from $1.50 to $10 a day."

Mrs. Rubin went to Essex Market Jail in default of paying the ten dollar fine, shouting as she was taken from the courtroom:

"I'll go to the island before I'll pay that fine."

Roselle, Jan. 26.—(Special).—Mrs. Anna Rubin resides here in a little frame building in the Jewish section, near Linden. Morris Rubin, the husband, is a cobbler, who travels about the town mending shoes when he can get the chance. His returns are meager. A year ago the Rubin home burned down and for a time the borough of Linden supported the family, in which there are half a dozen children. It was then, according to the Roselle police, that Mrs. Rubin began to go to New York, sometimes taking two children with her. The chief of police here says the Rubins do not own the house they live in. There is no cow, but a number of chickens.

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1899—Augustus H. Garland, ex-attorney general of the United States, died; born 1833.

1907—Rev. Henry Martyn Field, clergyman and author, former editor of the New York Evangelist, died; born 1822.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:06, rises 7:11; moon rises 6:24 p. m.

Plainfield, N. J., January 26, 1910.

## HOOT MON, IT'S "CHIEF" MAC DUFF WHO SPAKES

There was an enthusiastic gathering of Scottish people of Plainfield at the home of Robert Murray, on East Front street, last night, to celebrate the one hundred and fifty-first birthday of Robert Burns. Mr. Murray is the past royal deputy of the order of Scottish Clans of New Jersey, and in consequence friends from out of town met at his home in honor of the occasion. The house was beautifully decorated and the refreshments were suitable to the occasion, including Scottish haggis.

"Chief" MacDuff was toastmaster and in his introductory remarks said that at no time was Burns more widely known than the present and never had any poet commanded the love and affection of his fellow countrymen in like degree. His genius had triumphed over every obstacle and as the years roll on whilst poetic dynastics would fade and their founders be forgotten, the sneer of the critic would sink into oblivion and the influence of his genius would remain indelibly and ever green upon the literature of his country. His memory would flourish green in the hearts of his admirers.

Mr. MacDuff said that this meeting was but one of the many taking place in honor of Burns wherever the English language is spoken. Vocal and instrumental music added to the evening's features and the company spent a delightful time.

## HOPE'S PEOPLE OBSERVE ROBERT BURNS BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hendry, of 925 West Fourth street, entertained the members of the Ladies' Aid Society and friends of Hope chapel last night. There were about forty persons present. This was one of a series of dime socials being given by the society at the home of different members. Yesterday being the 151st birthday anniversary of Robert Burns, the Scotch poet, a program of entertainment commerorative of his birth was followed.

Scotch ballads were sung, poems recited and games played. Best of all was the serving of several Scottish national dishes. They proved an unexpected treat and were greatly enjoyed. Assisting Mr. and Mrs. Hendry were Mr. and Mrs. William Grey, Mr. and Mrs. Donald McInnes, Mrs. James Heron, Mrs. Samuel Cratsley, Miss Flora Miller and David Hendry.

### Floods Cause Heavy Damage.

The recent storms caused the North Branch river to rise to such an extent that on Friday the iron bridge and the wooden truss bridge over the river near line's Mills, Bedminster township, were taken off their foundations and carried down the stream, causing about $1,000 damages, which the Somerset County Freeholders will have to provide for in the way of repairs to county bridges.

### Newark Six-Day Race.

As an opener for the Newark six-day bicycle race, which will be held in the First Regiment Armory, that city, from February 7 to 12, the management has arranged for a championship sprint meet in the armory on Saturday night, February 5. The meet will comprise six races, professional and amateur sprint contests, and a ten-mile motor-paced race. This will serve as an introduction to the six-day affair, which will start at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon, February 7, and run ten hours a day until 11 o'clock Saturday night, February 12.

### Commuters Near Death.

More than a score of commuters nearly met death at Cranford yesterday when a coal train broke and two of the gondolas bowled down grade past the depot at high speed. There were about twenty-five commuters boarding a train going toward New York when the cars bore down upon them. The engineer let loose the whistle. Many of the commuters jumped just in time to prevent being run down. The two cars were part of a coal train, the engine of which was taking water. The cars stopped a mile below the depot

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### OTHER IMPORTANT MEASURES.

### Bill to Suppress White Slave Traffic —Removal Power—Gebhardt Has a Sensible Suggestion.

With the death of former Governor Geo. T. Werts last week his widow and two daughters were left penniless. The girls are employed as stenographers in Jersey City. Senator Fielder, of Hudson county, has introduced a bill in the Legislature, which if passed, will make provision for the widow of the dead governor. The bill creates the position of assistant to the Commissioner of Charities and Corrections to visit and inspect charitable and correctional institutions at an annual salary of $1,300. If the position is created Governor Fort will name Mrs. Werts to the place.

One of the interesting measures which has appeared in the Senate is the bill introduced by Senator Gaunt, of Gloucester, and known as the white slave bill. It amends the crimes act by making any person guilty of attempting to take, harbor, persuade, or in any other way by any device or scheme, any female in any place against her will for illegal purposes, or takes or detains her against her will, or any person or guardian who consents to any such action, shall be guilty of a high misdemeanor. Any person who shall place any female in the charge of any person for immoral purposes, or compel her to live in the company of such person, shall be guilty of a high misdemeanor. Any procurer shall be guilty of a like offense. All other offenses of a similar character are made misdemeanors. This bill is similar to the Mann bill recently introduced in Congress.

The power of removal bill of last year has been introduced again in the Senate by Senator Minch, of Cumberland county. It authorizes the governor to remove from office any official whose term is created by statute, or appointed by any State official whose term is created by statute, or appointed by any State official with the consent and approval of the Governor or any member of a State board of managers.

Mr. Wilson, of Atlantic county, presented a bill which would amend the State road act. It permits the boards of freeholders to issue bonds for the two third-cost of improving any road, instead of including some in the annual tax levy.

Mr. Gebhardt introduced a measure which imposes a penalty of 30 days in jail or $25 fine on any minor obtaining intoxicating liquors by representing himself to be more than 21 years of age.

### STATE IS SECOND IN COLLEGE MEN.

Princeton, Jan. 26.—The annual catalogue of the Princeton Theological Seminary has just been issued and is now being distributed.

The statistics show that there are nine fellows, sixteen graduate students, forty-five seniors, twenty-nine middlers, forty-eight juniors and three partial students. There are eight seminaries represented among the graduate students, of which the Princeton Seminary furnishes fifteen. In the three regular classes there are seventy-two colleges represented, of which Princeton University furnishes thirteen, Lafayette College ten, and Wooster University nine. There are twenty-nine students from Pennsylvania, twenty-two from New Jersey, thirteen from Iowa and thirteen from Ohio. The foreign countries represented are Brazil, Ceylon, China, Ireland and Japan. The form of the catalogue has been very much improved, particularly in the statement of the list of courses and in the arrangement of the courses of study. The list of extra-curriculum courses available for the year is a very long one.

There are now sixteen members of the faculty, which is headed by Dr. Francis L. Patton, who is president of the seminary, and who was formerly president of Princeton University. The list of special lectures as noted in the catalogue includes Dr. Louis Fitzgerald Benson, Robert E. Speer, John Thomas, of Liverpool, England, and Dr. Henry E. Dosker, of the Theological Seminary of Kentucky.

The book is illustrated with handsome half tone illustrations of the different seminary buildings. The work of getting out the catalogue was in the hands of the Rev. Paul Martin, registrar of the seminary.

### Nothing.

There are worlds and worlds beyond
our gaze,
The earth is like a whirling midget;
But what's all this to him who plays
An ardent game of bridge?
—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

The officers-elect of Plainfield Council, No. 711, Royal Arcanum, will be installed tomorrow night by District Deputy Boyer, of Bound Brook. Several Grand Council officers will be present.

## THE FORUM.

### FEDERAL BUILDING SITE.

Editor, The Daily Press:

Many years experience in real estate leads me to think that a public building of any kind, church or hall, and for any other purpose than mercantile persuit is a detriment rather than a help to surrounding stores and business. I have had to do and still have, with postoffices, etc. I'm not a politician or owner of real estate affected by the choice of the postoffice department here. The department to save expense locates as near the railroad as possible. At Asbury Park in Depot square, at Elizabeth out on North Broad street, at the outskirts of business section, in fact not in best business section at all. Newark and New Brunswick possibly are in business sections, but not so they effect retail trade. Since the carrier system was established, and rural free delivery, there is nothing especially to draw customers to any locality. The postoffice might as well be out Park avenue, East Front, West Front, or Somerset street, where ground is much cheaper and much better than as far as the business is concerned, of those in any retail trade. The cheaper the property so much less does the city lose in taxes as I believe the Government does not pay on its buildings. Am I right? Then, too, I happen to know that the department heads to save the great annual deficit, have been figuring to abolish as many local postoffices as possible, and centralize in one large, one in a district, making all minor offices sub-stations. In a report of a recent date it was suggested that a scheme be devised by which New York postoffices should take care of a radius of 25 miles and all other offices be sub-stations and likewise in all principal cities of U. S. Plainfield would come under that ruling. It's lucky to have a new building anywhere.

WILLIAM A. CLARK.

Jan. 25, 1910.

### THE TARIFF QUESTION.

Editor, The Daily Press:

I desire through your columns to congratulate the Rev. Dr. Herring for his words upon the all pertinent question of the inordinate prices of general living expenses. It seems to me the cause is not far to find. Extravagance and special privilege have been the policy of the governing party in this country for the past quarter of a century.

The reverend doctor asks "if much of the high prices may not be traced to the inordinate greed of men?" Yes! through the workings of the "so-called" protective tariff, prompted through greed and selfishness, all this unfair system has its being. The high, so-called protective tariff has for its purpose, special favor and the making of higher prices. If the tariff made prices lower it would defeat the object for which it is levied. For were we not told that we wanted high prices in order to pay high wages? I hold that the whole system, that taxes the masses for the benefit of the few is all wrong, un-American and un-Christian.

I hold that when a man or woman through the dint of his or her industry and frugality has earned a dollar, it is his or her dollar, and that any law that shall intervene between him in spending that dollar in the markets that may bring to himself and family the greatest amount of comforts and blessings, is a law against God and humanity. This the high tariff does. It fosters trusts and great combinations that fatten on humanity from the cradle to the grave. The expenses of government must be met. A tariff for revenue will satisfy this end and afford incidental protection. Such would level this tariff wall, start again individual competition and general thrift and treat mankind as brothers.

JAMES E. MARTINE.

### HEAVENLY REST'S FINANCES

Editor Daily Press:

Your report in last night's issue of Rev. Mr. Stevenson's kindly intentioned appeal for financial aid for Heavenly Rest church, was altogether misleading. It has for a long time been the desire not only of Rev. Mr. Stevenson but of the vestry of Grace church to extend its mission work in the West End of the city, but as this is the territory which logically comes under the care of Rev. Mr. Mallery, the rector of Grace church volunteered to aid the rector of the Heavenly Rest church in extending the work, and this is the specific object for which the request was made.

Heavenly Rest's congregation is steadily growing, its bills for current expenses are paid with reasonable promptness, there is money in the treasurer's hands, and everyone is loyal and interested. I would thank you to give this the same prominence accorded the news item.

"Very truly yours,
"J. A. BABCOCK,
"Treasurer."

(The Daily Press is very glad to publish this communication, but it should be understood that this paper does not hold itself responsible for opinions expressed in such letters. —Editor.)

Rev. Andrew Jones, better known as Prophet Jones, of Philadelphia, will conduct revival meetings at Calvary Baptist church, beginning tonight.

# SUPERB PROGRAM FOR "FAVORITE SONG CONCERT"

Several important changes in the program of the "Old Favorite Song Concert" to be given at the Plainfield High School auditorium, tomorrow night, were announced today by Joseph McIntyre. Two artists, one a contralto and the other a harpist, and both new to Plainfield, have been engaged.

The full complement of artists to participate in the concert comprises Mrs. Edith Chapman Goold, soprano; Miss Adah Hussey, contralto; John Young, tenor; Dr. Carl Dufft, baritone; Madame David, harpist, and Mr. McIntyre, accompanist.

By this it can be seen that Mr. McIntyre is adhering to his original plan of presenting a harpist at this concert. In securing Mme. David and Miss Hussey, Mr. McIntyre was singularly forunate. The former has acheived a succession of triumphs all over the country, where she appeared on the program with men and women in the front rank of the concert stage. Miss Hussey is a prime favorite in New York and she has made a tour of the concert stages of the larger cities of the east and west. This is the revised program:

"Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming," quartet; a, "Kathleen Mavourneen," b, "Robin Adair," c, "Twickenham Ferry," soprano; a, "Last Night," b, "Ben Bolt," c, "Low Back Car," contralto; "Beware, Beware, She's Only Fooling Thee," tenor and baritone; "All Through the Night," "Louis XIII Gavotte," harp; a, "Afton Water," b, "Salley in Our Alley," c, "Molly Carew," tenor; a, "Believe Me if All Those Endearing Young Charms," b, "The Heart Bowed Down," c, "Simon the Cellarer," baritone; "See the Pale Moon," soprano and contralto; "Margaret at the Spinning Wheel," "Winter," a fantasie, harp; "Good Night," from "Martha," quartet.

# WILL DISCUSS UNION AT METHODIST DINNER

The Methodist dinner to be given in Vincent chapel, of the First M. E. church, tomorrow night, will be one of the most important church affairs held here in a long time. It will mark the beginning of a movement to form a religious social union among the members of the First M. E., Monroe Avenue M. E. and Grace M. E. churches, for the promotion of the welfare of each and all as the body of Methodist in this city and borough.

The dinner will be attended by men and women and the affair is in charge of a committee comprising three representatives from each one of the three churches.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, of the borough, will be the toastmaster and there will be three addresses by ministers and three by laymen. The same topic has been assigned to all the speakers: "What three things does our church need?"

The speakers will be Rev. Dr. Charles S. Kemble and Rev. Ora J. Shoop, for the ministers; S. S. Swackhamer, Walter McGee and W. J. Conroy for the laymen, while Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, of this city, district superintendent of the Elizabeth district, Newark Conference, will make the closing address. The dinner will be served at 7:30 o'clock sharp in Vincent chapel.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The funeral service of Mrs. Catharine Zeller was conducted in St. John's church yesterday morning, at which Father Dunphy celebrated a requiem mass. A large number of friends of the dead woman was in a attendance. Interment was made at St. Mary's cemetery, Plainfield.

### Mustn't Slap Wife's Face.

Elizabeth, Jan. 26.—George Wanko, of 130 Pine street, this city, must not again slap the face of his wife, even if she did, according to his story, take the money he saved for taxes for booze. Wanko was in court yesterday on complaint of his wife, who declared he was drunk when he slapped her. This Wanko denied. He said he was angry when he found the tax money had been spent. Judge Mahon advised the couple to go home and patch up their difficulties.

—Daily Press want ads. pay


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**Household Loan Co.,**
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Whole Asparagus,
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Only Bank in N. Plainfield


Annual Statement
OF THE
**Plainfield Savings Bank,**
OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.
January 1, 1910.

ASSETS.

| | |
|---|---|
| Bonds and Mortgages, First Liens | $ 550,950.00 |
| Bonds, Market Value | 392,162.50 |
| Demand Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Banking House and Lot | 25,000.00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 7,500.00 |
| Interest Due and Accrued | 6,608.57 |
| Cash on hand | 39,913.85 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|
| Amount Due Depositors | $ 950,838.65 |
| Surplus | 72,296.27 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

WILLIAM F. ARNOLD, President.
H. G. RUNKLE, Vice President.
A. C. STEBBINS, Vice President.
J. C. POPE, Treasurer.
H. A. POPE, Ass't Treasurer.
1 22 6

**Dividend No. 66.**
**CITY NATIONAL BANK,**
**Plainfield, N. J.**

The Board of Directors have this day declared their regular semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital stock of this bank, and an extra dividend of 1 per cent. out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, February 1, 1910.

WM. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.
Dated, Plainfield, January 25, 1910. 1 26 5


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MISSION FURNITURE—If you are in need of any call and see us, if we have not got what you want we will make it to match anything you may have; if you have anything you do not want, let us know. We buy anything and sell everything. Old looking-glasses resilvered. Auction sales conducted satisfactorily.

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Corner Central Ave. and West Front St.
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### DIED

STAPLES—At Dunellen, N. J., January 25, 1910, George B. Staples, age 59 years.

Funeral from the residence of Sanford Staples, 311 Prescott place, Plainfield, N. J., on Thursday, January 27, at 7:30 p. m.

## Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No alvertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for death and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2:30 p. m.

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

### For Exchange.

EXCHANGE a fine property located on the Shrewsbury river, eight minutes walk from the Red Bank depot. House of eight rooms, barn and poultry house, all built of artificial stone; frontage of 160 feet on road and river, 500 feet deep; fine shade and fruit trees; price $9,000; mortgage $5,084. Desire to exchange for Plainfield residence, and will add cash for right place. Full particulars and photographs from Tapscott Bros., 310 Watchung avenue. 'Phone 1057-J. 1 24 3

### Rooms and Board.

TO RENT—Furnished room; improvements; light and airy. Inquire 334 East Fifth street. 1 21 tf

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1229 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED—OPERATORS ON LADIES' UNDERWEAR; ALSO LEARNERS. SCHILLER BROS., 320 WEST FRONT ST. 1 22 4

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

CHAMBERMAID and waitress wanted. Apply at D. N. Groendyke, 91 Mercer avenue, after 5 o'clock. 1 15 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 24 6

GIRLS wanted. Inquire Recher & Co., North avenue. Formerly Vacuum Cleaner Co. 1 24 6

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1045 Dunellen avenue. 1 25 3

WANTED—Good cook. 115 Park avenue. 1 25 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; reference required; three in family. Apply R. W. Blake, 15 Hampton street, Cranford, N. J. 1 25 3

EXPERIENCED waitress wanted in family of two; no chamber work; wages $25. Call Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 26 2

NEAT young lady attendant at dental office. 431 Park Ave. 1 26 tf

WANTED—At Murray's Employment Registry 25 girls for this week, including cook, general houseworkers, chambermaids and seven good reliable waitresses; good references required. Good situations always open for such at 226 East Front street, near Watchung avenue. 'Phone 666. 1 26 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

PRACTICAL nurse desires position with partial invalid; good massage. Call 79 Summit Ave. 1 24 3

WANTED—Young lady desires positioon as stenographer and office assistant; three years' experience. Address C. H., care Daily Press. 1 26 2

WOMAN, educated, refined, can teach, sew, cook, care for sick, understands children, wants day's work, except washing. Address M., Dunellen, N. J.

COMPETENT chambermaid and waitress (white) desires position. Address L. M., care Daily Press. 1 26 3

YOUNG German girl wants position at general housework; two months in this country. Call 204 Plainfield avenue. 1 26 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED—An experienced thorough cleaner, colored; must have first-class references. Apply 128 East Seventh street, Wednesday and Thursday evenings after 8 o'clock. 1 26 2

WANTED—Traveling agents and also local agents, experienced in canvassing. Address Agent, care Press. 1 26 3

WANTED — Capable man and wife or woman and son to do the work of family of five (2 adults, 3 children) in small house; cow, chickens and small garden to be cared for; $40 per month. Address Box 94, care Daily Press. 1 20 6

### Situations Wanted—Male.

COACHMAN and gardener, Swede, 30 years old, single, sober, honest, willing; thoroughly reliable; understands the care of a first-class stable; good driver; fully competent to take charge of gentleman's country place; first-class reference. Adolf Pierson, 218 East Front St. 1 26 3 w-th-s

### Help Wanted Male and Female.

WANTED—Man and wife to run my house and take care of children; all at my expense. Address Mechanic, care Press. 1 26 3

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To buy six-room house, centrally located; good neighborhood. Address D. F., care Press. 1 [illegible] 6

WANTED—A second-hand roll-top desk; state price. Address Rebaf, Press office. 1 26 3

WANTED—April 1, small house or part of house, with improvements; central location; rent moderate. Address Moderate, care Press. 1 26 3

WANTED—One or two furnished rooms with bath; board optional; for gentleman. Address O. O., care Daily Press. 1 25

**Other Classified Ads on Page 3.**

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 1 26 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave. 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 644 Essex street. Inquire J. Sacher, 731 West Third street. 1 [illegible] tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 [illegible] tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 22 tf

TO LET—Six-room house, $12 month, South avenue, Dunellen, N. J. 1 [illegible] 3

TO LET—February 1, 5 rooms; steam heated; all improvements; $18. 122 Watchung Ave. 1 25 6

LARGE loft; 3,000 square feet; with offices, suitable for manufactory, situation North and Park avenues. Apply C. H. Lyman, North avenue, Plainfield. 12 29 tf w-s

FOR RENT—Fine 12-room house with every modern improvement; large lot, barn; rent $[illegible]. Tapscott Bros., 310 Watchung Ave. 1 24 3

THREE or four rooms for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished, with use of bath room; private house in select Washington Park section; spacious grounds; good piazza; references required. Select, care Daily Press. 1 [illegible] 4

FURNISHED lodge room to rent in Stillman block, formerly Anchor Lodge, F. & A. M. Steam heat, city water and complete outfit. Wm. M. Stillman. 1 [illegible] 3

FOR RENT—Farm about 50 acres with large modern barn and cow stables, located 3 miles from Plainfield on line trolley. Address J., care Press. 1 [illegible] 6

TO LET—Three rooms, 506 West Fifth street, to adults only; $10.50. Call evenings. 1 [illegible] 3

SPACE to let in store for lady as typewriter or some light business. Address "Watchung," care Press. 1 [illegible] 3

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 22 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### For Sale.

FINE sideboard and dining room table for sale. Call 314 Watchung avenue. 1 24 3

TWO fine heating and one cooking stove for sale cheap. Can be seen at 310 Watchung Ave. 1 24 3

HORSE for sale; bargain; young, sound. 1020 Arlington Ave. 1 26 3

FOR SALE—Milk business in neighboring town, selling over 200 quarts daily at 8 cents. Cheap to quick buyer, for cash. Must be sold by February 1. Address P. O. Box 62, New Market, N. J. 1 26 3

FOR SALE—Chance for bargain and good business for about the price of one rig; 2 closed carriages, 1 extra good; 1 surrey, 1 single phaeton, 1 good family sleigh, 2 good horses, harness, robes and all things for the use of stable; good will guaranteed to right party. For information, 137 East Sixth street, stable. 1 25 3

CARPENTER'S tools and chest for sale, $10, worth double; good as new. Inquire 310 Watchung avenue. 1 24 3

### Poultry for Sale.

FOR SALE—White Leghorn, Black Manorcha and Barred-Rock Cockerels, at 922 Watchung avenue. 1 25 3

FOR SALE—Barred Rock Cockerel. Smith, 1266 Park Ave. 1 25

TWENTY Barred Rocks and twenty White Leghorns for sale at 507 West Fourth street. 1 25

### Lost and Found.

FOUND—Black and white hound dog. 148 East Fifth St. 1 26

LOST—Two copies lawyer's diary, 1910. Return to Daily Press office. Reward.

LOST—Small Boston bull dog on Saturday evening. Reward if returned to S. S. Schuyler, 792 Belvidere avenue. 1 24 3

### Miscellaneous.

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

# RAIDED THE RESORT OF ALLEGED COUNTERFEITERS

The police of Elizabeth shortly before midnight Saturday made an important raid on a gang of supposed counterfeiters who, it is alleged, were also running a disorderly house at 232 Niles street.

Acting on information he received Chief of Police Tenney sent a detail consisting of Detective-Sergeants Murphy, Hanly and Brogan, Policemen McCarthy, Novello and Hankins, to the house which they surrounded and then broke in the doors. Eleven young men and two women who were inside made a wild scramble to escape, but all were captured and taken in the patrol wagon to police headquarters and locked up. The prisoners when the police rushed in dropped several knives and razors on the floor, also a couple of loaded revolvers. On searching the place a quantity of spurious coins were found, also a couple of smelting pots, dies and other paraphernelia of a counterfeiter's outfit. The police likewise found a trunk and large valise filled with dress goods, which are believed to have been stolen. All the stuff was removed to the police station. The male prisoners, chiefly Sicilians and who are said to be members of a "Black Hand" society, were arraigned in police court yesterday morning and gave their names as Joe Forka, Patsy Caliona, Pasquale Laponia, James Gustosi, Oscar McCarry, Bellini Currer, Mariano Paterno, Pasquale Otterano, Rocco Julete, Nick Vossle and Joseph Marrapodi.

Their ages ranged from nineteen to thirty years. They were sullen and refused to talk. The female prisoners gave their names as Kate McKenzie, aged twenty-eight, and Mary Stoule, also twenty-eight. The latter said she had been lured from New York to Elizabeth by Joe Forka, while the McKenzie woman declared she had been enticed in the same manner from Bridgeport, Conn., by Rocco Julete. Both men and the women are being held at police court for a further investigation. The nine other prisoners were each fined by Judge Mahon $10 and costs, or $12.85. Five paid the money and were released. The remaining four were committed to the county jail for thirty days. The proprietor of the den is still at large. He went to New York, the police learned, on Saturday morning with a young woman and has not yet returned.

The joint had been in operation several months and so secretly had it been conducted that the people living next door had no suspicion as to the real nature of the place until the police raided it. Chief Tenney yesterday sent an Elizabeth photographer to take a picture of the house, which will be used in court in connection with expected developments in the case. Several complaints during the past two months had been made to the police by frightened young women who alleged that they had been pursued at night and grabbed by Italians who only fled when they screamed for help. These acts are supposed to have been committed by members of this gang.

Miss Spitaling, daughter of Simon Spitaling, who conducts a dry goods and grocery store at 228 South Fifth street, Elizabeth, called at police headquarters yesterday morning and identified all the goods in the trunk and valise as having been stolen from her father's store during the Christmas holidays. This only further confirms the opinion of Chief Tenney, that a band of all-around crooks has been unearthed.

Rocco Julete and Joe Forka were today arraigned in police court charged with enticing Kate McKenzie and Mary Stoule to Elizabeth under threats to kill them if they did not come. The women testified that they were forced to comply with the men's demand at the muzzle of a revolver. Forka and Julete were committed to the county jail in default of $1,000 bail. The women were also committed there by Judge Mahon as witnesses. More disclosures are promised by the chief within a few days.

### ENGINEER DEFIES BANDITS.

**Rushes Paymaster Through a Fusillade of Bullets.**

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 25.—Four men, armed with rifles, attempted to hold up Paymaster Lex Coleman, of the Knox Creek Lumber Company, near Devon Monday. He had $15,000 in cash with him and was aboard a yard engine.

The engineer threw wide the throttle and plunged by the bandits amid a shower of bullets.

**Non-Union Men Go Back.**

Perth Amboy, Jan. 26.—The backbone of the strike of the clayworkers at the Great Eastern Clay Company's plant, South River, was broken at noon Monday, when 200 men returned to work. Those who returned are non-union men, and fearing that the union men may start trouble, twenty-five deputies will remain at the plant.

**New Perth Amboy Editor.**

Perth Amboy, Jan. 26.—Albert H. Boughton, former city editor of the Perth Amboy Evening News, has been made editor of the Perth Amboy Chronicle, to succeed Walter H. Turner, of Newark, acting editor and receiver of the newspaper.

—Daily Press want ads. pay.

### TO USE EDISON'S BATTERY.

**New Storage System Adopted by Street Car Co. Now Forming.**

Preliminary steps have been taken at Caldwell for the formation of a street car company, which will use the new storage battery invented by Thomas A. Edison. John Ottenheimer, who is interested in the proposed company, says that the plans of the new concern will act as a feeder of the Public Service Railway Company or the Erie Railroad. It is proposed to start out about twenty cars.

These will be housed in a central station at Caldwell, and will cover the town and country hereabouts which is not reached by the trolley line or the steam railway.

A SENSATION OF PLEASURE.

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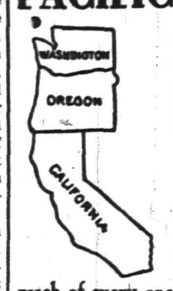


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# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

A canary bird fourteen years old belonging to Mrs. H. Sand, of Pitman, died of pneumonia.

Lemuel L. Rice, of Wildwood, has been elected civil engineer for the Cape May County Board of Chosen Freeholders.

Caught in a drill press at his father's sand dredge, Ralph H. Reeder's left arm was broken in two places, at Bordentown.

Arrested on the charge of fraudulently soliciting money for a children's home in Norristown, Marie Gugler was released on bail by Mayor Lincoln, at Gloucester City.

Looking for pointers concerning the system of accounts inaugurated at the Camden Court House, the county collector, clerk and auditor of the Union County Board of Freeholders called on County Collector Sell Monday.

The strides which Wildwood has been making as a residential resort are reflected in the annual financial statement just issued by Tax Collector Jed Du Bois. The island is now paying one-third of the entire taxation of Cape May county. Last year's receipts amounted to $103,15[illegible].44.

Admitting that he ran away from home, Joseph Starr, thirteen years old, of Frankford, was sent to the Camden City Hall early yesterday by Special Officer Robert Cusick, of the Pennsylvania Railroad. The boy said he had walked to Riverton and back. His parents promised to care for the lad.

Quick action of fellow-employes saved the life of Miss Catharine Phillips while she was working in the Bridgeton laundry yesterday, when her hand was caught in the rollers of the ironing machine. She was slowly being drawn into the machine, when her companion threw off the belt. Her arm and hand were crushed.

Long strings of wild geese flew northward over Atlantic City Monday, and old waterman claim that the wild birds furnish a sign that winter is about to break. Gunners declare that the geese are moving north to follow up the ice break which has started lower down the coast and extends above this section of the Atlantic shore.

Mrs. James B. Haggerty, who before her marriage was the widow of Dr. Trenchard, of Glassboro, died Monday at Sewell from injuries received in a runaway about a month ago, when she had a leg broken and was injured internally. Mrs. Haggerty was a victim of the building collapse at Eleventh and Market streets, Philadelphia, last summer.

To test the right of Charles E. Old to sit in the Camden Council, lawyers representing Albert H. Conover instituted proceedings before Supreme Court Justice Garrison Monday. The action questions the citizenship of the councilman, the right to vote being twice challenged by the election boards. A rule was granted carrying with it an order to take testimony before a Supreme Court commissioner.

The Law and Order League of Burlington is investigating the County Court's action in apparently abandoning cases against sixteen local saloon-keepers indicted nearly a year ago for various evasions of the "bishops' law," but especially the sale of rum to schoolboys. The league, it is said, will also question the power of the Excise Board to grant a new license to a saloon-keeper convicted of infraction, as was done here this month.

Causing considerable anxiety among her relatives on account of her mysterious disappearance from her home, Millie Conte, seventeen years old, of 3[illegible]9 Division street, claimed to Policeman Troncone, when she was located at Second and Mickle streets, Camden, that she had been ill-treated by her parents, but later admitted that her only reason for disappearing was to become the bride of Thomas Stacco. Her mother and father consented to her marriage, to her very great surprise, and the ceremony was performed yesterday afternoon.

The annual presentation of medals to those who qualified at Sea Girt attracted a large number of persons to the Third Regiment Armory in Camden Monday night. Those conspicuous at the presentation were Inspector-General of Rifle Practise Bird W. Spencer, Lieutenant-Colonels William Libbey, William A. Tewes, Daniel M. Flinn, Arthur Roland, Major Charles H. Grant, Major Frank Phillips and Captain John Malcolm. There were eighty-seven medals for expert riflemen, twenty-two sharpshooters, 324 to marksmen. The inspection was the subject of a great deal of favorable comment.

Two attempts to enter his garage at 182 Graham avenue, Paterson, within the past two weeks made Eugene W. Smith, of 201 Governor street, that city, doubly cautious, and he was rewarded last night by capturing two little boys, both loaded with clothing stolen from yards along Graham avenue and Governor street. The boys proved to be Edward Newton, aged ten years, of 83 Straight street, and Edward Decker, aged thirteen years, and living at 199 Governor street. Smith caught the two lads going through his premises with the box and bag containing the clothing and linen still damp from hanging on clothes lines. The lads are held on Reserve Officer Cook's charge of petty larceny.

# The Proud Heart of Danko

By RACHEL CAREW

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A cloud arose over the sea, black and heavy like the crest of a mountain; it trailed across the steppe curtain-like, rifts and rags of its dark mass blotting out the stars one by one; the moon became a pale opal spot, and in the wide steppe, now black and terrible, as if it held some guilty secret, tiny blue lights flamed forth here and there like the sudden and soon-quenched glow of a match. There was something uncanny and mysterious in thees dancing points of light which I could not understand.

"Do you see the blue sparks?" asked Isergil, the mummy-like old gipsy from the steppe of Bessarabia—the wide steppe which had been her cradle, her home, and was ready soon to grant that surest of all shelters, her grave.

"I, Isergil, cannot see them any more—there is much that I can no longer see. I am ages old, but the dancing lights are always there."

"Yes, I see the little blue flames; what are they?" I had often heard mention of those fairy light, not fata morgana, not insect, but I wished to hear the old sibyl's version.

"Those sparks come from the hot heart of Danko," she began, in tones that vibrated with intense belief and feeling—the born narrator of the legends of her tribe. "There was once in the world a heart that flamed like fire, and the blue gleams are the sparks from that flame. Listen! I will tell you the old, old story, and how it was in that long dead past, of which there is nothing good left; no more real men; no real deeds; no real stories as in those days.

"A fig for you young people of modern times! what do you know? what do you understand? Look back into the past; there, everything is explained; but you, foolish children of to-day, look not back, as do I, old Isergil, and I see, though my eyes are dim; I see that you young ones know not how to live. You wait always for opportunity which comes not of its own self. Then, when you find that you have wasted your time, you whimper over your fate.

"What is fate? Everybody makes his own. There are many kinds of people to-day, except great and mighty ones—where are they? And beauty in man and woman—still less is there of that."

After a long pause, the ancient one resumed: "Ages ago there was a band of people, where it was I cannot tell you. I only know that the camp of these people was surrounded on three sides by a tall, impenetrable forest, and on the fourth side lay the steppe.

"They were a strong, joyous, daring folk, probably gypsies, content with little, and happy in the good of each day as it came.

"After a time strange tribes crept in among them bringing discord and unrest, and driving these simple folk, few in comparison, deeper into the woods. Here it was dismal with swamp and darkness, because the forest was old as time, and so dense that one saw no sky between the branches, and hardly a ray of light pierced through to the sodden ground. The people sickened and died like stricken sheep. Distracted with the weeping of their women and children, the men looked helplessly in each other's hollow eyes, asking in vain for rescue. Two ways there were out of the snare—one backward to the cruel grip of the enemy; the other, forward, to a far deeper, denser forest. Giant trees clasping each other in a tangled embrace, with roots like twisted iron, deep in the black slime. Here at high noon a dim twilight only flickered down through the branches, and at night when the wind blew it wailed like a dirge for these people at bay from their enemy in the dreary forest fastness.

Night after night the outcasts sat around their camp fire and bethought themselves of a way to freedom, but in vain. Nothing, neither work nor follies, so weaken men as anxious, brooding thoughts, which suck the blood from the heart.

"Fear arose in the breast of these men, and the women drove them to despair with wailing over their dead and the bitter fate of those still living. At first in faint whispers in the camp, then louder and bolder, the tribe declared that bondage was better than death—they would give up their freedom and return as slaves to their enemy.

"Then rose up Danko, the rescuer of them all. He, Danko, was one of the band, a beautiful youth and brave—the beautiful are always brave—and thus he spoke to his companions:

"'Thinking moves no stone out of the way. Action only counts.' Why are we wasting our strength with fret and fear? Rise up, let us win a way through the forest; there is an end to every struggle. Come, rouse yourselves, one and all!'

"They looked at the youth and saw in his eyes that which made him their leader and superior. 'Lead us!' clamored they all, and he led them."

Old Isergil paused and looked out over the steppe where the sparks from the hot heart of Danko gleamed like blue flowers.

"Danko led them; willingly and trustfully they followed.

"That was a weary way, dark as night, with the black mud of the marsh yawning for prey, and the trees in close ranks like a mighty wall. Their branches were interwoven like a knot of snakes, everywhere their twisted roots coiled and clung; every step cost blood and sweat. Onward they toiled, each morrow's hardship worse than yesterday's; each day their strength less.

"At last it grew so dark in the forest that it was as if all the nights, that had ever been since time began, had melted into one blackness. The thunder rolled, the wanderers staggered helplessly among the rocking trees, blinded by the cold, blue lightning.

"They halted, and in the roar of the forest, in the thick of the darkness, exhausted and angry, they turned upon Danko: 'A useless creature are you, harmful and hateful to us all,' they began. 'You have led us forth to destruction, and for this you shall suffer,' the thunder and lightning giving force to their words. 'You bade me lead you, and I obeyed,' cried Danko, confronting the angry troupe with bared breast. 'I have the courage to lead, therefore I do it—and you—what have you done to help yourselves? You follow only, and your courage is too weak for the strain of hardship. You only follow—follow like a drove of sheep.' These words angered the people still more. 'You shall die!' they cried, and to their clamor the wind howled an echo, and the lightning tore rents in the darkness.

"Danko gazed upon them, his followers, for whose sake he had borne such toil and suffering, and saw that they were like wild beasts. They crowded about him, but in no eye was the light of kindness—to no one could he look for help. Then anger against the people flamed in his heart only to quench itself soon in pity. He loved these, his companions, and knew that without him they would perish. Then his heart glowed anew with desire to save them and lead them upon an easy path, and forth from his eyes gleamed the light of this desire."

"The forest sang unceasingly its solemn song, the thunder roared and the rain gushed in streams. 'What can I do for my people!' cried Danko in a voice louder than the thunder. Suddenly he rent open his breast, tore out his throbbing heart and held it high above his head. It flamed as bright as the sun, and even brighter; the whole forest fell silent, awed by his torch of love for humanity; the darkness fluttered away from this light and sank trembling in the black mold of the swamp. The amazed people stood as if turned to stone.

"Follow!" cried Danko, striding forward, his glowing heart held high in his uplifted hands, lighting the way to the people who flung themselves madly in his wake. The roar of the forest began again, but the sound of it was drowned by the rushing footsteps of the people. Everyone ran, fearless and fast, enchanted by the sight of the burning heart. Many fell by the way and died even now, but without lament or tears. Danko ever at the head of the troop, his heart flaming, flaming, and ever flaming.

"Suddenly the forest opened and fell back, and Danko with his flock found themselves bathed in a sea of sunshine, and pure, sweet-scented rain-washed air from the steppe fanned their faces. The tempest was behind them, grumbling over the forest; here the sun beamed, the grass sparkled with rain diamonds, and the river glowed like gold. The setting sun turned the river red, like the blood that dripped from Danko's torn breast.

"The proud, brave Danko cast his dying gaze over the broad steppe, and laughed with joy at the sight of the pleasant land—then he sank down and died.

"The wondering trees began a dirge-like murmur, and the grass, wet with Dankoo's blood, whispered in sympathy, but the happy, hopeful people took no more notice of Danko—saw not that he lay dead, nor that beside his body, on the sod, his brave heart still flamed.

"One cautious soul only saw the glow, and, fearful of danger, trampled the proud heart with his foot. Then was the flame quenched and scattered in a thousand sparks. These are the blue lights which dance on the steppe before a thunderstorm."

As the old woman ended her fantastic story, a profound stillness fell over the steppe, as if it, too, were awed by the power of the brave Danko, the bold spirit which burned itself out for humanity without asking reward. Isergil sank into uneasy slumber, and watching her, I mused over the many legends stored in her memory—What power of human fancy to conceive these legends; what heroism and bravery adorned that golden past!

And our present—poor in strong men and great events—rich in cold distrust that turns everything into ridicule—the miserable epoch of miserable people with still-born hearts.

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Three sailors from the German cruiser Bremen strolled into a German resort on the upper West side of the city last week, says the New York Tribune. Immediately on entering they were made welcome and given to understand that they might do anything in the place except spend money. They had hardly been seated when four English sailors and two Frenchmen came in, and the nine men seated at one table naturally attracted much attention. Although each spoke only his own language, they seemed to get along remarkably well, and the waiter, who was instructed to serve anything that might be called for, said: "They're all German, even if they can't speak the language, for they all want beer." It was remarked later that the domestic beverage pleased the Germans and the English, but the French asked for "the real German."


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## JOURNALISTIC OPINIONS

**A County's Gain; A City's Loss.**

In the latter part of 1908 and early in 1909 Mayor Fisk and other officials of Plainfield undertook to suppress the unlicensed sale of liquors. They hired detectives and secured abundant evidence against local druggists as well as several large department stores in New York. All the cases were taken before the Union County Grand Jury, at the May term of 1909. Supreme Court Justice Bergen charged that it was their duty to find indictments.

The agents for the department stores were indicted for taking orders, delivering liquors and collecting pay therefor. All these indictments were successful, and those put on trial were convicted with one exception, when the jury disagreed. The court imposed fines amounting to $1,200, which the county collected. A test case has been taken on appeal to the United States Court.

The druggists were not indicted. The fact that their cases were before the grand jury was believed to be sufficient warning to them, but Mayor Fisk says he is convinced that the practise of selling liquor in drug stores is continued to a certain extent. He does not say the same with reference to department store sales. The investigations cost $1,500, and though Union county has received $4,200 in fines, it declines to help Plainfield bear any of the expense incurred in bringing violators of the law to justice.—Newark News.

## ANNUAL RECEPTION OF ELIZABETH ELKS.

Surpassing any social affair heretofore attempted by Elizabeth City Lodge, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, the annual reception last night in Turn Hall, Elizabeth, made for itself a record for good fellowship that won the commendation of visiting Elks from all sections of the State as well as from the many city guests of the organization.

When the well-arranged concert which opened the event began at 9 o'clock the hall was thronged. There were scores of elaborately gowned women. The stage was a mass of ferns and other floral and flag decorations. Over the stage was the emblem of the lodge. The hall itself was illuminated by a myriad of colored lights, more than 1,000 of these being suspended from the ceiling. American flags hung in profusion, the royal purple, the lodge color, predominating.

Among those present were most of the city and county officials, professional men and business men. Practically all of the lodge's 500 members were on hand, and with their guests completely filled the hall.

The concert was a feature. After the concert there was dancing, which continued until morning. There was no one present who did not thoroughly enjoy himself.

At 11 o'clock the toast to the "absent brothers" and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" was a solemn and unique feature, which made a favorable impression on the invited guests. Supper was served throughout the evening.

The committee in charge included Louis Hetzmann, chairman; William Brown, treasurer; James J. Farrell, secretary; William Moss, Thomas Humphreys, John R. Quien.

## NEW INCORPORATIONS.

Trenton, Jan. 25.—Certificates of incorporation have been granted to the following companies:

Gas Engineering Company, Trenton; capital, $100,000; incorporators, Thomas Watson, Jr., Aaron Gilbert and Andrew Lovett; to manufacture and install gas machinery, etc.

The Day Department Store, Passaic; capital, $50,000; incorporators, Horace G. Day, Joseph Rosenberger and Max Baron; to conduct department store.

Elmer E. Wood Company, Incorporated, Newark; capital, $10,000; incorporators, Frank H. Sommer, Charles L. Williams and Ernest L. Quackenbush; to deal in diamonds, jewelry, etc.

Bungalow Construction Company, Jersey City; capital, $5,000; incorporators, George B. Wright, Howard A. Littlejohn and Willard P. Jessup; to deal in real estate.

The Oxford Iron and Steel Company, Oxford; capital, $125,000; incorporators, Robert M. Petty, Thomas A. H. Hay and Sering P. Bowers; to manufacture and sell iron and steel.

The New York Tassel and Cord Company, Newark; capital, $100,000; incorporators, John Stchelin, Stella L. Moylan and Augusta Ruth; to manufacture tassels and cord.

The Gray Drug Company, Newark; capital, $10,000; incorporators, Thomas J. Gray, William H. Black and Frank Eichhorn; to engage as druggists, chemists, etc.

Normandie Park Company, Elizabeth; capital, $25,000; incorporators, Jonas B. Weil, Sidney R. Lash and Jacob Sachs; to deal in real estate and engage as builders, contractors, etc.

R. T. Sachs Company, Elizabeth; capital, $10,000; incorporators, D. W. Henry, Carl Lale and Robert Campbell; to deal in hardware, mill, plumbers', etc., supplies.

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## INDUSTRIAL INSTITUTIONS TO BE BETTER REGULATED.

Trenton, Jan. 26.—Governor Fort yesterday transmitted to the Senate and the House a report of the State Industrial Education Commission.

Senator Prince, of Passaic county, was a member of the commission, and to meet the suggestions embodied in the report Senator Prince Monday night introduced a bill providing for the appointment of a commission of five members to have charge of all of the industrial educational institutions of the State.

The report of the commission as submitted to the Legislature in part is as follows:


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## ELKS TAKE A PAIR IN FRATERNAL LEAGUE

Plainfield Elks won the odd game from the Westfield Woodmen in a Fraternal League series on Campbell's alleys last night. The locals made their finest showing in the first game which they captured by a score of 929 to 871. In this contest Stout was high man with a mark of 211, and Harry Van Emburg second with a score of 201.

The Woodmen reversed matters in the second game, winning by the score of 869 to 847. In the "rubber" game the Elks came across the line a winner, 864 to 825. The scores:

| Elks. | | | |
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| Teal | 169 | 170 | 156 |
| Cose | 181 | 147 | 184 |
| Van Emburg | 201 | 178 | 214 |
| Laing | 167 | 204 | 160 |
| Stout | 211 | 148 | 151 |
| Totals | 929 | 847 | 864 |
| **Woodmen of Westfield.** | | | |
| Menzenback | 158 | 172 | 169 |
| C. Ortleb | 158 | 194 | 174 |
| Edwards | 172 | 125 | 146 |
| G. Ortleb | 208 | 192 | 177 |
| C. Korus | 175 | 186 | 159 |
| Totals | 871 | 869 | 825 |

## TO HOLD CENSUS TEST AT ELIZABETH, FEB. 5

Examinations for those wishing to qualify for enumerators of census for this district will be held on February 5. Those wishing to qualify from Union county will take their examinations in Elizabeth, the hour and the exact place to be announced later by Supervisor Louis V. Hoagland. Examinations for the same district will be held on that date in Morristown, Dover, Madison, Butler, Boonton, Phillipsburg and Belvidere.

Any who wish to become enumerators must first make application to Mr. Hoagland, who will turn over the necessary papers to be filled out. It is specified that these must be returned and filed with the supervisor before January 25, but the time has been extended five days, or to January 30.

The remuneration has not been definitely fixed, but the assurance is given that the pay will be higher than it has been for any preceding census. The applicants must be energetic persons of good address, thoroughly trustworthy and of good habits. They must have at least an ordinary education and be able to write plainly and with reasonable rapidity. Preference will be given to persons who have served as enumerators before, provided they are physically able to perform the duties of the appointment.

The examination which must be taken on February 5 will be of a practical character, consisting chiefly of filling out a sample schedule of population from data furnished, and, in case of enumerators whose work would be in the rural districts, the filling out of a sample schedule of agriculture. If an applicant receives an appointment he will not be excused from duty without a reasonable excuse. Applicants must be between the ages of 18 and 70 years, citzens of the United States, and, where possible, should reside in the district from which they apply.

### CAPTAIN WATSON DEAD.

New Brunswick, Jan. 26.—The sudden death of Captain Robert W. Watson yesterday leaves Second Lieutenant Willard P. Clark acting captain of Company H., Second Regiment, N. G. N. J. First Lieutenant Henry Landahl resigned his commission about a month ago and his successor has not been selected. It had been planned to promote Clark to first lieutenant and to name J. Bayard Kirkpatrick, Jr., who received honors for military proficiency at Rutgers College, as second lieutenant. Captain Watson had been connected with the State militia since 1881. He was in command of his company at the time of the strike at Keasbey, November, 1908, and his health was undermined by the exposure. He was high in Masonic orders an Elk, and belonged to many local fraternal organizations.

The funeral will take place Friday afternoon.

Beginning with this week and continuing for the next six months the Christian Endeavor Society of the Park Avenue Baptist church, will merge its weekly service with the regular Wednesday evening church meeting, instead of meeting Friday night as heretofore.

## ASSEMBLYMEN ARE AFTER BEEF TRUST

Hudson county Assemblymen will go after the Beef Trust. At a meeting of the executive committee of the Democratic County Committee of Hudson last night it was made known that there is enough fish in the cold storage warehouses in Jersey City and county to feed the entire population for a year, while eggs are stored by the millions.

Jersey City Collector Davis, who was at the meeting thought that the trusts could be brought to terms by the enactment of a law prohibiting the sale of goods kept in cold storage warehouses for more than sixty days if this were possible, Mr. Davis said, there would be a tremendous drop in the price of meet, eggs, fruit, fish, poultry and vegetables.

A lawyer who was present said that legislation such as proposed could be brought about, and it is probable that one of the Hudson Assemblymen will have the bill ready for introduction next Monday.

"I am heartily in favor of any legislation that will curb the trusts and force down the price of foodstuffs," said Mr. Davis.

## MANUFACTURERS TO WATCH LEGISLATORS

With a membership of nearly 100 the Manufacturers' Association of the State of New Jersey was organized yesterday in the Trenton House with these officers: President, John Schmidt, Passaic; secretary, J. W. Foster, Trenton; treasurer, Charles S. Boyer, Camden.

The objects of the association is to keep strict watch on the laws concerning the employment of labor and wherein such laws affect the manufacturers of this State investigation will follow and if found inimical to the interests of the employer concerned effort will be made to defeat such measures.

Some of the bills that have been introduced at this session, it is maintained, are not to the liking of the manufacturers affiliated with the association, such as the employers' liability bills, upon which a public hearing is to be given next Monday afternoon.

It was decided at yesterday's meeting to have as many members as possible at the hearing on the liability bills next Monday and to enter strong protest against the enactment of the measure into law.

President Schmidt appointed Thos. Devlin, of Burlington; Herbert Knight, of Newark, and Charles S. Boyer, of Camden, a committee to draft a constitution and by-laws.

## PRESIDENT W. H. TAFT WILL VISIT PASSAIC

Positive assurance has been given to Victor L. Mason, assistant secretary of the Republican National Committee and president of the Passaic Board of Trade, that President Taft and General Leonard A. Wood will be present at the Paterson Board of Trade banquet to be held early in April.

Mr. Mason hopes also to have two Cabinet officers and Gov. Hughes, of New York, and Gov. Fort, of New Jersey, present. The principal topic of discussion will be the proposed bridge over the Hudson river connecting New York and New Jersey. Mr. Mason is a member of the New Jersey Bridge Commission.

### P. H. S. NOTES.

The P. H. S. Athletic Association board of directors at a meeting held yesterday afternoon elected Roy Woodhull as manager of football team for next year.

The indoor meet will be held at the Y. M. C. A. on March 18. This year Westfield, North Plainfield, Leals and the local High School will enter. The events will include 12 pound shot put, running high jump, standing high, standing broad and three standing broad and a potato race of one mile relay. Gold and silver medals will be awarded the winners.

The annual report of the Board of Education was given out in book form this morning to the pupils in the various schools t take home to their parents. The increase in teachers and pupils is remarkable.

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| Kneipp's Malt Coffee, 15c size, a pkg. 11c | H. O. Buckwheat, 10c size, a package 8c | Spratt's Puppy Cakes, 40c size, 5-lb. box 34c | Imported Sardines, packed in Olive Oil, 20c kind, a can 16c | Imported Guara Jelly, 25c size, a bottle 22c | Atmore's Mince Meat, 5-lb pail 57c |
| Fresh Milled Rolled Oats, 6-lb bag 21c | French Mushrooms, Individual Size, a can 10c | Luncheon Tongues, Emery brand, 25c size, a can 15c | Sweet Peas, King Solomon Brand, 10c kind, 3 cans 25c | Choice Jersey Asparagus 25c size, a can 19c | Tomatoes, No. 2 size, a can 5c |
| National Biscuit Co. Uneeda Biscuits, a package 4c | Vanilla Wafers, 15c kind, a lb. 12c | Imported Norway Fat Herring in Boullion, 2 cans 25c | Holland Edam Cheese, $1.10 size, each 98c | White Wax Cherries, 15c size, a can 10c | French Norwegian Anchovies, a keg 23c |

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20 Stamps with 1 lb 27c Coffee.
20 Stamps with 1 lb 23c Coffee.
10 Stamps with 1 lb 18c Coffee.
10 Stamps with ¼ lb 50c Tea.

Salt Mackerel, each 5c, 8c and 10c
Kippered Herring, a can.....15c
Deviled Crab Meat, a can....22c
Mince Meat, a lb.....10c
Fine Hominy, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Yellow Meal, a lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Best Farina, a lb. 6c; 4 lbs. 22c
Pearl Tapioca, lb. 7c; 4 lbs. 25c
Granulated Tapioca, 9c; 3 lbs. 25c
Graham Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs. 20c
Rye Flour, lb. 4c; 6 lbs.....20c

Crackers

Fig Bars, a lb. 10c; 3 lbs....25c
Lemon Cakes, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs..25c
Ginger Snaps, a lb. 7c; 4 lbs..25c
Oakdale Pretzels, a lb.....12c
Oakdale Twigs, a lb.....14c
Grand Ma's Cookies, a lb....10c
5 O'clock Tea, a lb.....12c
Moss Wafers, a lb.....12c
Spiced Wafers, a lb.....12c
Dinner Biscuits, a pkg.....15c
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Breakfast Biscuits, a pkg....12c
Sugar Wafers, lb.....30c

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| Yellow Turnips, pony basket 18c | Choice Michigan Potatoes, ½ bushel basket 45c | Sweet Florida Pineapple Oranges, a dozen 25c 30c 40c | Brussels Sprouts, 2 quarts 25c | Choice Crisp Jersey Celery a bunch 15c | Juicy Florida Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c, 4 for 25c, 6 for 25c |

### ALLOTS SCHOOL MONEYS.

**Union Towns Receive Sums From State and County.**

Westfield, Jan. 26.—County Superintendent of Schools J. J. Savitz last night announced the apportionments of the State school funds for towns in this vicinity. The apportionments are: Westfield, $18,119.82; Cranford, $12,530.62; Roselle Park, $9,491.25; Garwood, $2,601.20; Roselle, $10,359.91.

Dr. Savitz paid yesterday afternoon to the several towns the following amounts from the State fund of $100,000 allotted Union county: Westfield, $382.83; Cranford, $232.76; Garwood, $56.20; Roselle Park, $207.12; Roselle, $183.99.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

### MANY ATTEND FUNERAL.

**Services for Ex-Assemblyman Held at Cranford Home.**

Cranford, Jan. 26.—Funeral services for the late William F. Hall were heir last evening at 8 o'clock at his late home in Linden place, the Rev. Dr. John Edgecumbe, rector of Trinity Episcopal church, officiating. Harry Mook, of the Temple Quartet, New York, sang, "Lead, Kindly Light." The service was attended by a large number of friends and business associates of the deceased.

The body will be taken to New York in a special car on the 9:48 train tomorrow morning, where interment will take place in Woodlawn cemetery. The honorary pall bearers will be James White, James E. Warner, Thomas J. Pierson, Jacob Reuter, W. H. Hulskamper and Abe J. David. The first two represent the county Republican executive committee, and the others the Elizabeth Lodge of Elks.

### FRANK BERGEN HAS SUCCEEDED STRONG.

Among the appointments sent to the Senate Monday night by Governor Fort were those naming Frank Bergen, of Union county, and George L. Record, of Hudson county, to succeed Alan H. Strong and the late George T. Werts as members of the commission to revise and consolidate the public statutes of the State.

Mr. Strong resigned from this commission, as did Mr. Werts some time before his death last week.

### A Brilliant Pageant.

Through the lenses of Lyman H. Howe's cameras the audience at the Plainfield theatre tonight may review the world today as though looking at a passing pageant from an observation window.

Herbert Rockfellow, formerly of this city, but now of Mobjack, Matthews county, Virginia, is visitng his mother, Mrs. George W. Rockfellow, of the Jackson building.

—While everyone is more or less agitated about the high prices of meats, all will agree that vegetables are reasonable in price. Neuman Brothers have the best vegetables, fresh daily, from which a selection is easy. The prices are within your reach.

JANUARY TWENTY-SEVENTH.

1892—Hon. James Gillespie Blaine, statesman and distinguished Republican leader, died; born 1830.

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THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday; not much change in temperature; light to moderate west winds. Maximum, 38; minimum, 27.

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## JOIN IN BEEF BOYCOTT

### Wealthy Women Show Their Sympathy in War Against the Trust.

### RETAILERS HERE SUFFERING.

### Local Meat Shop Proprietors Complain That Their Business Is Hurt By the Crusade Against Monopoly.

That the wealthier people in the city and borough sympathize with the movement to boycott the butchers to compell the beef trust to return to honest prices, is amply demonstrated by the complaints made by local retailers. The meat men say that their trade has fallen off considerably since the National agitation was started. Those who supply the families of the rich frankly admit that they will have to curtail expenses if the new condition of affairs continues much longer.

"I don't want you to use my name," said the proprietor of one big butcher shop today, "but it's a fact that I'm a victim of this holy war against the trust. I have suffered as much as my customers have in the last few years for I am compelled to pay the price exacted by the trust. As these prices have gone up I have necessarily had to raise my own to pay my expenses; but it is a fact that so far as I am concerned my profits are even less than they were two years ago. The burden falls not only on the consumer but on the struggling retailer as well. The trust fixes the prices and we either have to buy of them or go out of business. Yet the people charge it all up to us."

The butcher, in question—that's a misnomer, for in recent years he has been only a retailer—gave the reporter for The Daily Press the names of twenty of Plainfield's wealthier citizens who had told him to stop delivering meat. "These people," he said, "are my best customers and I don't blame them—only that I'm the goat."

Over the telephone at least half a dozen wealthy women admitted to the reporter that they had stopped buying meat but in each instance before going into any discussion they exacted a promise not to reveal their names.

### SCHOOLMATES ATTEND HER FUNERAL SERVICE.

The funeral service of Jeanette, the thirteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott was conducted at the home of the parents yesterday afternoon by the Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor of Hope chapel. A large number of the dead girl's schoolmates were present and among the numerous floral tributes was a large bouquet from her classmates at the Watchung school. Interment was made in the Methodist cemetery, the casket being borne to the grave by Arthur, William and Alexander Campbell, David and Robert Scott, cousins of the deceased, and Martin Kane, Jr.

**Y. M. C. A. Concert Tonight.**

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra will repeat its program of December concert at the association hall tonight. The assisting artists will be Miss Laura Gesswein, soprano, and Harold Jacobs, baritone, of New York. Miss Gesswein will sing "Heaven Hath Shed a Tear," by Kurken, and "Come to Me Mavourneen," by Lynes. Mr. Jacobs will sing "The Little Irish Girl," by Lohr, and "My Song is of the Sturdy North." The program will include eight numbers by the orchestra, a quintet, violin, two flutes, a clarionet and piano and a 'cello solo by Herbert B. Smith. Admission will be free.

**Buys the County House.**

William Smith, formerly proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel, New York, and more recently of Hoboken, yesterday purchased the county house at Somerville from Charles A Speer. The hostelry was owned twenty years ago by Mrs. William Moore, of this city, who disposed of it to Mr. Speer. Her husband once conducted what is now known as the Hotel Iroquois in this city. Mr. Smith is well known here.

**Joe Gunn, Explain Please.**

Joe Gunn, of Newark, who is booming the coming Newark six-day bicycle race, is away off in the weathed dope that he is inculcating in his notices to the press. One of the latest stated "Moran is doing thirty miles a day on the roads around Boston." That's a pretty good stunt for the Chelsea milkman when it is considered that the roads around Boston have a twelve-inch covering of snow.

—In preparing for your Sunday dinner do not forget that Neuman Brothers have a full and complete assortment of fine vegetables from which to make a selection.

## INSTITUTED SR. O. U. A. M.

### State Officers of Order Attend Organization of First Local Council.

### TWO PRESENTATIONS ARE MADE

### Starts With Forty-seven Members—Council Positions Are Filled—Many Speeches and Then Refreshments.

Royal Council No. 77, Senior O. U. A. M., was instituted with a big hurrah in Coward's hall last night, when National Councilor Samuel Charles, of Jersey City, and a large representation of officials of the New Jersey State Council. The new lodge was launched with a membership of forty-seven out of a charter list of seventy-three.

The initiatory work was deferred until Wednesday night, February 16, when a uniformed team from Rahway or Newark councils will come here to exemplify the degree work. Last night the forty-seven members were obligated and instructed in the secret work. The auspicious start made by the council is highly gratifying to Charles Keiderling and James E. Church through whose efforts the organization was effected.

An important feature of the meeting was the installation of officers by members of the State Council. The officers are: Senior Past Councilor, T. E. Currin; junior past councilor, J. T. Bolsterli; councilor, J. O. Randall; vice councilor, Lewis Bimble, Jr.; recording secretary, James E. Church; assitant recording secretary, J. L. Bennett; financial secretary, R. V. Kinney; treasurer, W. E. Day; conductor, F. W. Soper, Sr.; assistant conductor, Lewis C. Ely; inside protector, William J. Trembath; outside protector, Edward P. Shearer; trustees, J. O. Randall, J. T. Bolsterli, T. E. Currin.

A pleasing incident of meeting was the presentation of a Bible and a flag to the new council, a gift from General Sedjwick Council, of Newark.

The State Council was represented at the institution by State Councilor B. L. Hartman, of Trenton; State Vice Councilor S. Early Asy, of Mt. Holly; State Council Secretary Morhis Bauer, of New Brunswick; State Council Treasurer George H. Poulson, of Trenton; Past State Councilor Ike Bartlett, of Rahway; National Representatives C. M. Garrett, of Woodbury; Benjamin W. Hand, of Newark, and Jacob Matheis, of Trenton.

Following the installation ceremonies addresses were made by several of the visitors and members of the local lodge. During the good and welfare session a collation was served.

Applications for charter memberships will be received until February 16. Persons desiring to join the council at that meeting may file their applications with Mr. Keiderling or Mr. Church.

### WOMEN HEAR TALK ON FOREIGN MISSIONS.

The Women's Home Missionary Society of Hope chapel held an all-day sewing meeting at the chapel, yesterday. A large number of women were present in the morning and in the afternoon the attendance was considerably larger because Mrs. V. O. Burtis, of Westfield, spoke on the subject of foreign missions.

Mrs. Burtis is the chairman of the Alaska committee of the Women's Board of Missions of the Presbyterian church and as such has an exhaustive knowledge of foreign missions. She presented the subject of missions in a new light and aroused increased interest among the members of the society.

Mrs. G. Herbert Condict, president of the society, presided at the business session. The members had luncheon at 1 o'clock and at 4:30 o'clock tea was served. The social committee of the society was in charge.

**Pastor Invited to Remain.**

The members of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, have extended an invitation to Rev. Charles S. Kemble, the pastor, to return another year, and no doubt the wishes of the people will be granted at the coming session of the Newark Conference to be held in Newark. Rev. Mr. Kemble has done a good work since coming to Plainfield and there is harmony and good fellowship existing between pastor and people.

**N. P. H. S. Victorious.**

The colors of North Plainfield High waved triumphantly in two basketball contests in Debele Hall yesterday over Westfield. The boy's team defeated their opponents from Mt. Ararat by the score of 38 to 19, and the girls won by an 18 to 3 score.

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## TO DESIGN $1,000,000 BLDG; HAD NO COMPETITION

The architect firm of Tracy, Swartout & Litchfield, of which Evarts Tracy, of this city, is a member, has been engaged to draw the plans for the new armory hall to be built in Washington, which will not only have the largest drill hall in the country, but will be the finest structure of the kind, costing not less than a million and a half dollars. The honors are especially noteworthy, because the firm received the job without competition.

The firm was engaged by a commission comprising Elliott Woods, Gen. Harris, Col. Cosby and Gen. Oliver, and it will begin at once the work of making plans for the building to be submitted to Congress at the earliest possible date. The structure is to be 240x480, and it is proposed to hold all future inaugural balls there.

The building will be constructed of marble, stone or concrete. It will be located on the site of the old Pennsylvania Station in B street, between Sixth and Seventh streets, Northwest. It will contain a memorial hall, a riding hall, swimming pool, gymnasium, rifle gallery, fencing room and running track, besides quarters for the officers, dining room, hospital and in other words, a complete equipment.

Tracy, Swartout & Litchfield were the architects in charge of the construction of the Federal building at Denver, drawing the plans for the same. The firm secured that job in competition.

## BIG MUSICAL COMEDY HERE NEXT WEDNESDAY

"The Yankee Prince," the big musical comedy success with Tom Lewis and seventy-five singers that can sing and dancers that can dance, is a mixture of musical numerous divertisements. With a comedy plot furnished by that well known author George M. Cohan. A long string of musical numbers runs through the play with a dainty chorus of attractive show girls assisting in the many numbers. And a strong cast with the comedy roles in excellent hands. "The Yankee Prince" is unquestionably the musical comedy event of the season. It comes to the Plainfield theatre next Wednesday night.

Unquestionably the great success of all George M. Cohan's musical plays has been the fact that they contain a plot and a consistent one. The back of many of the so-called musical comedies has been the cause of many failures, for the simple fact that dialogue is often interrupted by an interpolated musical number that is by no way consistent with the plot. In all of Mr. Cohan's musical plays he alone writes the book, lyrics and music. With a result that every musical number throughout the different acts of his various plays invariably have something to do with a scene preceding or following. Such was the case with those wonderfully successful songs of his "So Long Mary," "I'm a Yankee Doodle Dandy," "The A. B. C.'s of the U. S. A.," "It's a Grand Old Flag," etc.

### BUSINESS MEN DEFEAT LEALS IN HARD GAME.

The Business Men's basketball five encountered its toughest proposition of the season last evening on the Y. M. C. A. court when it stacked up against Leal's five and won out in a sharp contest by a margin of two points, the score being 34 to 32. Line and Best put up superb games for the Business Men, while Lawrence shone for Leal's. The lineups:

Business Men—Doane, Line, forwards; Dunning, Shaw, center; Stevens, Spicer, Best, guards. Leal's School—Lawrence, Stevenson, forwards; Hibbard, center; Jewett, Dallas, guards.

**Ordain a Convert.**

In the presence of many of the clergy and laity of the diocese of New Jersey, Bishop Scarborough this morning ordained to the Episcopal priesthood Rev. Mr. Elliott, of Roselle, the service being held at the Church of the Holy Comforter, in Rahway. Rev. Mr. Elliott was until recently a Methodist Episcopal minister, having a charge at Roselle. Several of the Plainfield rectors witnessed the ceremony.

**Christian Endeavor Social.**

The Christian Endeavor Society of Hope chapel held a business meeting at the chapel last night, at the conclusion of which an informal social hour was enjoyed and refreshments were served. The entertainment committee comprising Miss Edna Eckert, chairman, Miss Jessie Duncan and Frank Rimmer had charge of the social.

## RECEPTION IN HONOR OF MRS. C. B. TYLER

Mrs. William G. Wright, of West Eighth street, gave a charming tea and reception at her home yesterday afternoon for Mrs. C. Boardman Tyler, of West Seventh street. There was a large attendance of the friends of both Mrs. Wright and Mrs. Tyler, including many society people from the city and borough.

Those who assisted in receiving were Mrs. Frederic E. Mygatt, Mrs. Daniel F. Ginna, Mrs. T. Logan Murphy and Mrs. William G. Wright and Mrs. C. Boardman Tyler. Those who poured were Mrs. R. S. Rowland and Mrs. W. M. Wherry, Jr., Miss Tweedy and Mrs. W. F. Taliaferro. Those who assisted in the dining-room were the Misses Ursula Rowland, Grace Kaufman, Miss Dorothy Fleming, Miss Harriet Goddard, Miss Dorothy Merrill and Miss Edith Van Boskerck. The color scheme was green and white, these colors predominating in the dining-room.

## FRENCH CHILDREN ARE HAVING A REUNION

By the presence of David H. French, of Washington State, and William A. French, of St. Paul, who are the guests of their brother Elston M. French and sister, Miss Harriet A. French, the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. P. M. French, are enjoying their first reunion in ten years at the French homestead on Somerset street.

David French, who has been here several weeks recently removed from Graham, Texas, where he was engaged in the ranching business, to the State of Washington, about one year ago. He is now engaged in fruit raising on a large farm located between Spokane and Seattle.

William French arrived in town on Tuesday and will remain a week. He is known as one of the largest indoor decorating contractors in the northwest.

## "JACK" PEACOCK STARS IN PRINCETON'S SPORTS

"Jack" Peacock, of this city, is a college athlete who is rapidly coming to the front. Peacock is now one of the star hockey players in the intercollegiate ranks. As captain of the Princeton 'Varsity seven, the former N. P. H. S. star, is making a big reputation for himself. At St. Nicholas Rink, New York, last night Peacock was one of the big factors in Princeton's 2 to 1 victory over Yale.

Princeton's athletic moguls got a line on Peacock's standing in sports last spring when he was one of the pitchers of the freshman team. Peacock's performances in the box were of the g lt edge brand and the chances are that he will sine on the diamond next season.

Before entering college Peacock was one of the standbys in North Plainfield High's sports. He was rated as one of the cleverest box artists in interscholastic circles.

**Mrs. Barber Surprised.**

Friends of Mrs. J. W. Barber, of Somerset street, tendered her a birthday surprise party last night which was a very delightful affair. The affair was arranged by Mrs. Clarence S. Giles and Miss Ethel Barber. During the evening the guests listened to phonograph selections and piano selections by Miss L. Edgar. The decorations were pink and green. Refreshments were served during the festivities.

**Will Give Dramatic Entertainment.**

The Young People's Society recently organized at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, will hold its first dramatic entertainment Tuesday evening, February 1, at 8 o'clock. Messrs. Sutton and Ochiltree, well-known comedians, will take part. Dancing will be enjoyed after the entertainment.

**"Red" Waller a Social Lion.**

"Red" Waller, the former Westfield pitcher, and well known to local baseball fans, has organized the John Waller Association in Jersey City. The club will give a grand ball on Thursday night, February 3. A delegation of Westfield and Plainfield fans will attend the function

**Miss Lydia M. Edgar a Bride.**

Miss Lydia M. Edgar, of Westfield, and Edward L. Sanders, of Elizabeth, were married by Rev. Dr. C. E. Herring at his home on DeLacy avenue, last night.

**Concert Tonight.**

Old favorite songs. Tickets at door. High School auditorium. ***

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## QUARREL OVER A DOG RESULTS IN A FIGHT

A quarrel over the ownership of a dog in Isaac Bender's shoemaking establishment at 87 Somerset street last night nearly resulted seriously, and it was only due to the prompt interference of Marshal Lemuel Pope, that Bender was prevented from stabbing Morris Estrim, also of Somerset street, with an eighteen inch file.

For three years Bender kept a dog. Last spring when the borough officials began to enforce the dog tax ordinance Bender was going to part with the bow-wow. Estrim, however, said he was willing to pay the tax, and he did so, but the payment was made in Bender's name.

Since the payment of the tax the dog has remained in the possession of Bender. Last night Estrim and his brother Benjamin, went to Bender's shop and demanded possession of the canine. Bender refused to give the dog up and an all round fight ensued.

Bender's wife and daughters also engaged in the melee with the two Estrims. Marshal Pope heard signs of a scrap and hurried to the store. On his arrival Morris Estrim was in Bender's grasp and that the latter ready to wield the file into Estrim's body. Te instrusion of the cop, however, put an end to hostilities.

All five persons were placed under arrest. After hearing all tell their versions of the fracas in court this morning, Recorder Dolliver fined Bender five dollars and Morris Estrim a three-spot.

## CHURCHMAN'S EDITOR TO ADDRESS LAYMEN

Silas H. McBee, editor of The Churchman, and one of the founders of the missionary laymen's movement, who is to be one of the speakers at the men's mass meeting in the First Methodist church on Friday night, is widely known in the religious world as the result of his writings and activities in the work. The occasion will mark Mr. McBee's initial visit to this city.

The meeting and the nation-wide campaign of which it is a part are everywhere topics of conversation among Christian men of all denominations. Here, as in other cities, where the influence of the movement has been felt, there is a genuine and hearty response to the summons "to acknowledge the paramount importance of the missionary enterprise and to give due honor and support to those who are spreading the gospel

Silas H. McBee.

of peace and goodwill." The bigness of the task that the movement has undertaken has challenged the attention and enlisted the interest of thousands of men who have always considered missions too small an enterprise to interest them.

Apart from the creation of public opinion favorable to missions, two of far-reaching importance to the Christian church have been accomplished by the movement. One is the promotion of a spirit of unity and brotherhood among the men of the nation. The other has been the calling of the men of the church back from selfishness and greed and love of money to the service of men and the love of God.

An attractive musical program has been prepared for the meeting. Selections will be rendered by a quartette consisting of Bertram Tallamy, Alfred Osmun, Thomas McDonald and George Smith, with Judge William N. Runyon as the leader.

**Mrs. Joseph R. Hall.**

Mrs. Joseph R. Hall, formerly of Cranford, died yesterday at her home, 102 Central avenue, after a brief illness. The funeral services will be held from the late residence Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and the burial will be private.

## TAXPAYERS FREELY EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS CONCERNING AFFAIRS OF THE MUNICIPALITY

### Summoned by the Mayor, Citizens Give Opinions as to What Should Be and Should Not Be Done for the City's Welcome and Mr. Fisk Gives His Own Ideas.

In response to one hundred invitations sent out by Mayor Charles Joel Fisk, representative citizens to the number of about fifty attended an open conference held in the Common Council rooms, last night, when Mr. Fisk presented municipal matters of importance. Mr. Fisk touched on the questions of water supply, sewage and that of securing a site for the erection of a city hall.

Among those who entered into the discussion on the various topics presented were former Mayor L. V. F Randolph, William M. Stillman, Donold McInnes, State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, W. R. Codington and L. B. Woolston.

The Mayor was not pleased with the representation and when he began speaking at 8:30 o'clock there were less than fifty people present Others came in later.

**The Mayor's Remarks.**

Mr. Fisk said at the outset that he was disappointed that not more people were present. He did not think it possible to get a fair expression of opinion on the questions he desired to present.

The first question taken up by Mr. Fisk was that concerning water supply. He said that the city's contract with the water company expired in 1912, but that it would be necessary to arrange for the terms this year, if the contract is to be renewed. He then reviewed the work of the water commission, composed of fifteen citizens, explaining that the report of the engineers showed that there was a question regarding the supply of water from the underground source. In dry weather the wells show a marked reduction in supply. The engineers estimated the cost of the plant, but there is no definite idea as to the income.

It was also stated in the report of the commissioners that if another company was formed and a new plant established one would probably draw upon the other. He thought that the company was willing to enter into a fair contract with the city. If condemnation proceedings were taken up with a view to purchasing the present plant, it would mean a large issue of bonds. Mr. Fisk said he would not like to state the purchase price, but it would be at least a half million dollars.

**Sewerage Disposal System.**

Mr. Fisk then took up the question of sewage disposal, telling the history of the present plant; also the work of a commission appointed to investigate other ways and means for disposal by joining with nearby municipalities. In his opinion the beds should not have been located where they are, although he added that he had voted in favor of the scheme. There was no doubt, he said, that the beds are a nuisance and a detriment to property interests in the West End of the city. He then explained that at first the filtration system was adopted and later abandoned because the soil would not permit of its success. Septic tanks were then installed and are now in use, but Mr. Fisk declared that it is only a question of time when other arrangements must be made for taking care of the city sewage. He favored a plan to join with North Plainfield and locate beds out of the city. In a short time it will be necessary to clean the beds at an expense of approximately $6,000, and within the next ten years it will be necessary to expend between $70,000 and $80,000 to make certain improvements.

If the beds are removed from the city, Mr. Fisk said that the present land would be available for building lots and would net the city a big income.

**Site for City Hall.**

Regarding the proposition to purchase a site and erect a city hall, Mr. Fisk said that yesterday a piece of property was offered the city, where the Friends meeting-house now stands, but later in the day the offer with withdrawn, the first price of about $50,000 being considered too low. The owners would probably want $60,000.

Mr. Fisk called attention to the fact that the New Jersey Central wants to secure additional land along Third street so that that thoroughfare can be widened to correspond with North avenue. He said that the city has many valuable records and there should be a suitable place to keep them. He then went into an exhaustive discussion of taxation, adding that everyone should be assessed equal. As to personal taxes, he said that it is almost impossible to get at the right figures. Some people pay more than they should, and others don't pay enough. This, he said, was due to the fact that proper returns are not made. The assessor is obliged to size things up according to his own judgment and then the property-owner goes before the county board and gets a reduction. The man who has property is constantly trying to get out of paying his taxes.

**Some Other Topics.**

Mr. Fisk praised the assessors, saying that he believes they are doing their best. As to the general sources of income to support the city government, Mr. Fisk said that the city receives $[illegible],000 from saloon and hotel licenses, not such a large sum, while from outside sources, including franchise tax, the city's revenue amounts to about $32,000. In addition the Common Council assesses certain taxes for police, fire, lighting, maintenance of sewers, etc., for which the Council is responsible.

Reference was also made to the school tax, which is fixed by the board of estimate and the library tax, which is fixed by law. He said that the library directors could ask for $11,500, but had placed the figures at $7,500. He suggested that a place be opened downtown where mechanics and others could go and read, smoke, etc., explaining that not fifty people could be accommodated at the public library reading room.

As to the city's financial condition, Mr. Fisk said that it was very good. At the end of the year there was $52,000 in the bank and an equal sum collectable from 1909 taxes, while the floating indebtedness had been reduced from $84,000 to $22,000. Mr. Fisk then enumerated the expenses required for the various departments this year and said that he could see no reason why the rate should not be lower next year. He said that the policy of the Mayor and Common Council is not to jump in and expend great sums without consulting the taxpayers and he hoped there would be a free expression of opinion.

L. V. F. Randolph made an extended address. His address follows:

**Mr. Randolph's Address.**

A certain air of mystery has surrounded the subject, or subjects, which His Honor the Mayor might choose to submit this evening to the principal taxpayers; and naturally we could thus hardly be prepared to advise him very fully or profitably. It is indicated, however, that plans for spending public money—or rather private money to be obtained for public purposes—were likely to be introduced. The general subject is not wholly a new one; and, in anticipation I have prepared a few lines in relation to such money-expending suggestions as are contained in the recent thirty-page pamphlet-message sent by His Honor to the Common Council.

The Mayor brings forward the city debt as $594,000 (and we know the debt has rapidly increased) and he states the rate of taxation on the present fully-assessed values at $1.68; and proceeds, under various divisions to explain, in effect, how the debt and the tax rate may be enlarged—namely by new sewer plant, by play-grounds, by additional fire department expense, including more men and higher salaries, by increase of police force and higher pay, by pension fund arrangements and other enterprising and costly propositions.

**Consolidation First.**

The sewerage subject has been more or less agitated. Many citizens like myself who have been large taxpayers have, up to about the present time, received not a single dollar's worth of return or advantage for the money we have paid out for the city's sewerage. Leaving aside this fact, we were all assured when our sewerage system was installed that the scheme was sufficient for a lifetime and more—even allowing for the probable increase of population. On this basis hundreds of thousands were spent. Now we are told that our plant is insufficient and that we must at once run in debt for hundreds of thousands more; for one, do not believe this. I have read the report on sewerage submitted to the Council and consider it fallacious—incorrect both in fact and in theory. But if, by possibility,

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THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY.
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Don't fail to visit the store during the last days of this memorable clearance sale. Bargains await you the next few days.

## Final Closing Sale of
# Remnants Dress Goods, Silks and Wash Goods
For Friday and Saturday.

Inventory day is near at hand, but before that day arrives, we will close out every short length in the store regardless of price or cost. It must be a clean sweep of everything pertaining to short lengths, broken lots and sizes.

The enormous business we've done this month naturally leaves us with an accumulation of these goods, but we have made up our minds not to inventory them. We would much prefer that you have the benefit of this quick Clearance Sale.

THESE LENGTHS VARY FROM ONE YARD UP TO A DRESS LENGTH, and consist of all kinds of materials.

We have placed them on Centre Aisle Bargain Tables, all plainly marked with length and price, so that you can make your selection easily and quickly.

There are many other excellent bargain values throughout the store that we are closing out rather than carry them over to next season.

## Slaughter Sale of
# Ladies' Fine Coats
Friday and Saturday.

## 100 Beautiful Coats

Manufacturers samples that we bought at our own price for cash from one of New York's leading manufacturers. These will be placed on sale during the next few days at less than half their real value. They are mostly black in all sizes from 32 to 44. Mostly all full satin lined, handsomely tailored, full length, this season's best and most fashionable models.

WE ARE ALWAYS ON THE ALERT for snaps of this kind, and we give you the benefit.

Not a coat in the lot worth less than 15.00 to 20.00, while they last

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Westfield.....J. W. Wall
Scotch Plains.....Charles Elliott
South Plainfield.....Victor Attlee
Fanwood .....Charles Elliott
Netherwood.....W. H. Olmstead

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

The Dunellen Board of Trade will be formally launched tonight in borough hall. The promoters of the movement are highly gratified over the interest displayed in the matter by citizens and merchants. Up to yesterday 112 persons had enrolled as charter members. William Jeffery, president of the Plainfield board, will be present tonight and assist in the organization.

The funeral of George Staples, who died Tuesday night at Muhlenberg Hospital, will be held at the home of Sanford Staples, 311 Prescott place, Plainfield, tonight. Mr. Staples was 59 years of age.

Constable Robert Pierce after being confined to the house five weeks with inflammatory rheumatism, was able to make his appearance on the streets yesterday.

William H. Cole, the veteran almanac expert of the borough predicts four more snowstorms before spring.

Owing to the melting snow both Bonegut and Green brooks are carrying heavy streams to the Raritan.

Miss Elizabeth Herlich has returned from a shopping tour to New York.

Terry Ronayne was in New York yesterday on business.

Miss Anna Ace has recovered from a severe cold.

### PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

A real estate deal is under way by which the Central Hotel property will change hands again. Charles Fuchs is to be the purchaser and it is reported that papers will be passed this week. Fred Hetrick, the owner, has decided not to apply again for a license for the place, and the property has been on the market since he withdrew his application, which was opposed by the Anti-Saloon people, when it came up before the court at Elizabeth several weeks ago. Mr. Fuchs intends to use the lower floor for his butcher business and the flat above as a living apartment.

Marshal Logan, who was appointed truant officer of the public schools, has been busy for several days past rounding up delinquents. Several of the habitual stay-at-homes or "hookey players" have been given their last chance, and have promised to attend school faithfully in the future.

The Ladies' Circle of the Baptist church, held an all day sewing meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. Franklin K. Mathiews.

Tickets are out for the Bucket and Engine Company's dance, which will be held in Excelsior hall Tuesday night, February 8.

A number from here attended the dance given last night by the young people of St. Mary's parish, in the Lyceum building.

Miss Susie Parse was the guest yesterday of Miss Harriet M. Squires at her home at Rahway.

Miss Adelaide Harper, of Front street, has returned from a visit with relatives in Brooklyn.

Mrs. M. A. Carrona, of Stanbury avenue, is visiting relatives in New York for a few days.

Mrs. Frederick K. Clark, of Front street, has been entertaining relatives from Sterling.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The Home Corporation, of New York, is preparing to build a row of cottages on the property just above the Lehigh Valley Railroad tracks and across from the Court Meyer property. John Assip, of New York, has completed the construction of a large house on South Plainfield Heights. Another house has just been finished by J. Lerch, on Plainfield avenue.

The local school will have but one session tomorrow on account of the teachers meeting, which will be held in the New Market school building.

Gilbert Sault, of Brookside avenue, is suffering from a severe attack of grip.

Miss Meta Soper, of the local school staff, is confined to her home by a severe cold.

### SOMERVILLE.

Miss Effie Shurts, of North Branch Depot, is home from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Walter Duyckinck, in Trenton.

Charles R. Taggart, of Vermont, gave an entertainment in the Methodist church, Neshanic Station, last night.

Mr. and Mrs. George Conover, of this city, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Vescelius in Annandale.

The Rev. and Mrs. John T. Scott, of Lamington, are guests of the Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Culp, in Bound Brook.

The North Branch A. A. will hold the second of its series of dances in Staat's Hall tonight.

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### BRANDED THE BABY WITH A HOT CENT.

New York, Jan. 27.—Jacob Goldberg, 11 years old, of 242 Delancy street, was sent to the Jewish Protectory yesterday by Justice Deuel in the Children's Court for branding his brother, Sammie, who is two years old, with a cent. Jacob had been given the cent by his mother on condition that he stay in and take care of his little brother while she went out washing.

Jacob didn't like to stay in, but he wanted the cent. It was Sunday afternoon, and from his windows he could see his friends having fine times. He turned away from the window in search of amusement. The cent, which he still held in his hand, fell to the top of the stove. He tried to lift it off, but it burned his fingers, and he got a sliver of wood and poked it off. By that time the coin was pretty hot and it left a black circle on the floor. That was delightful, and he tried it several times until the floor was speckled with circles.

Then he thought that he would see what kind of a mark it would leave on Sammie. It left the same kind exactly, but as the first impression wasn't very clear he made several.

The Gerry Society heard about the case and sent Officer Farrington to look into it. He arraigned Jacob in the court Tuesday and explained the case to Justice Deuel.

### The Worst of It.

"Oh, she's awful. Whenever she tries to sing a song she simply murders it."

"But that's not the worst of it. If she'd only murder it outright I wouldn't mind, but she tortures it so long.—Catholic Standard and Times.

### Hard Cider.

Hank Stubbs—What's your idea uv hard cider, Bige?

Bige Miller—Waal, any cider thet ain't froze into a solid junk ain't none too hard for me.—Boston Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Runyon, of Madison avenue, have gone to Braidentown, Fla., for the balance of the winter.

Mrs. William Sickles has returned to Newark after a pleasant visit with Freeholder and Mrs. William Demler, at Watchung.

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MOTHER'S TOASTED CORN FLAKES, F. S. Faring Puffed Wheat, Quaker Breakfast Biscuits or Quaker White Meal, package..... 9c
FLOUR—White Wonder Brand, the finest family flour, used by many of our patrons, 24½-lb. sack.....88c
BUTTER—The finest Elgin Creamery Butter at the low price of, lb...36c
POTATOES—The finest of the Jersey crop, basket .....48c
SOAP—Swift's Naptha and Pride Laundry Soap, most economical and labor saving of laundry soap, 10 cakes.....36c
PRUNES—Santa Clara Valley, large tender fruit, 3 pounds for.....25c
EVAPORATED PEACHES—Fancy Muir Peaches, lb.....10c
RICE—Fancy Carolina Head Rice, cooks white and tender, 3 lbs. for..25c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER—3 regular 10c cans.....25c
FANCY NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES—None better; qt. 8c; gal.....55c
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# SETS FIRE TO JAIL, WOMEN IN A PANIC

Mrs. Sallie Schaffer, old and demented, set fire to the Middlesex County jail at New Brunswick, late yesterday afternoon and caused a panic among the seventy-three prisoners. The fire department confined the fire to the women's and witnesses' departments. The loss will not exceed $1,500. Mrs. Schaffer has been in jail for two weeks, having been arrested for vagrancy. Warden Charles H. Rogers had learned that she had relatives in Trenton, and he had made arrangements to send her there today. He wanted to get rid of her, as she had recently set fire to her bedclothing.

Yesterday afternoon she fired a couple of old mattresses which were stored in the rear part of the women's department. The blaze gained much headway when discovered and had eaten through the wooden ceiling in the rear of the first floor. There were six women in the department. Sheriff William J. Quackenboss, Deputy Edward Houghton and Wardens C. H. Rogers and William Voorhees quickly transferred the women to the sheriff's office. Judge Adrian Lyon, who was holding criminal court, sent all of the court constables except one across the courtyard to the jail to assist in guarding the prisoners, and Chief of Police Michael O'Connell, with all of his men available, hurried to the scene to prevent a delivery.

The sixty-six male prisoners were given the run of the men's corridor, and arrangements were made to transfer them if necessary, but the heavy brick wall between the two departments kept the fire from spreading and kept the dense smoke from entering. The loss is covered by insurance.

Peter Hendricks, director of the Board of Freeholders, was in the jail when the fire was discovered, showing William Dommon, who is to take charge of feeding the prisoners on February 1, about the place. Therefore Quackenboss, who is to be warden on February 1, was also there. Director Hendricks took steps at once to repair the damaged parts.

The dense smoke drove a number of rats from their holes, and they climbed to the grated wired windows in an endeavor to escape, but could not get out. Crowds of schoolboys in the street amused themselves snowballing the rodents.

The Middlesex County jail was once referred to as the opera buffe jail of the papier mache lockup, owing to the ease with which prisoners cut their way through the roof to liberty. In recent years it has been made more secure, although it is still antiquated. There is a demand for a modern structure.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Men's Bible Conference class will provide an entertainment and refreshments for its members and friends in the church parlors tonight.

Mrs. Robert W. Barnes, of Mountain avenue, will entertain the Young Women's Mission Society of the First Baptist church, tomorrow afternoon, when Miss May Shreve will read a paper on "Labrador."

The program for the organ recital at Grace church Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock will be as follows: "Offertoire," Batiste; "Andante from Surprise Symphony," Haydn; "March Solonelle," Mailly; "Bereceuse," Kinder.

The Men's Club of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, will give its annual entertainment for the benefit of the Women's Society for Christian Work, in the church parlors, tonight at 8 o'clock. This will take the place of the annual dinner.

The fourth quarterly conference will be held at the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, Wednesday night, February 2, and will be in charge of Rev. Dr. B. F. Randolph, the district superintendent. The usual reports will be presented by the officers.

The Plainfield Graded Union of Sunday-school Teachers will meet Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Y. W. C. A. rooms. Mrs. Hubert Holder will lead the devotional exercises; Mrs. Williams will tell a story for the beginners; Mrs. Douglas Darby will teach the primary lesson, and Miss Wilson the lesson for the juniors.

### Bank Stock on Book Value.

The State Board for the Equalization of Taxes decided at Trenton yesterday that bank stock is assessable on its book value rather than on its market value. A dissenting opinion was filed by Commissioner Frank B. Jess, of Camden.

—Howard J. Runyon's new house on West Front street, near Washington avenue, is about completed.

### MILD LIQUID CURES ECZEMA.

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Get a trial bottle at 25c. It will take away the itch right away and you will sleep soundly. We assure you personally of the merits of this remedy; for we know. L. W. Randolph, 143 West Front street.

# Enthusiastic Buyers Voice Appreciation of this Sales Stirring Sacrifice

No sale we ever held has been so generously advertised by our customers. Friend tells friend and so the news spreads of the genuine bargains so plenteously provided here. Thus the attendance at this store-wide January Clearance Sale grows daily. Never greater crowds and never greater values. The one accounts for the other.

New attractions each day. As previous lots dwindle or disappear new items are brought forward and given bargain emphasis through the medium of cut prices. See the racks of Ready-to-Wear Garments—marked down to lower price levels.

**6c BLEACHED TOWELING CRASH FOR 4c.**
20 pieces full Bleached Twill Toweling Crash, 17 in. wide; 6c value; on sale, yard.... .4

**12c STAIR OILCLOTH AT 7c.**
16 and 18 inch Stair Oilcloth; regular 10c and 12c value, at, yard.... .7

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM AT YARD 25c.**
The regular 39c Genuine Heatherbloom, in a big variety of colors (except black), on sale at, yard.... .25

**18c TAFFETA RIBBONS AT 11c.**
No. 60 and 80 all silk Taffeta Ribbons, good range of colors and black; regular 15c and 18c, on sale, yard.... .11

65c Cotton Diapery at 49c—Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Diapery, 18 inch, 65c value, at, piece.... .49

Corticelli Spool Silk, black only; 100 yard spools; on sale at.... .7

5c Toilet Paper, 3c—Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8 oz. rolls; regular 5c quality, sale.... .3

5c Milward's Needles, 3c—Milward's best needles, all sizes, regular 5c, on sale at, paper.... .3

Mercerized White Batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide; a regular 29c quality; on sale at, yard.... .15

7c Best Calicos at 5c—The American Printing Co.'s best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value, sale, yard.... .5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard.... .14

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, sale.... .59

54-in. Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard.... .29

6c Figured Challies at 4c—40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c value, at, yard.... .4

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale.... .39

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value, sale, pair.... .10

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS at $1.49.**
25 Black Heatherbloom Petticoats, made with full deep flounce, label on every petticoat, on sale.... $1.49

**CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES, AGES 6 TO 14.**
The balance of our stock of Girls' Wash Dresses, ages 6 to 14, grouped in two lots to clear out before the new ones arrive.

Lot 1—Wash Dresses, sold up to $1.69, at.... .85

Lot 2—Wash Dresses, sold up to $2.98, at.... $1.39

**WOMEN'S SILK RUBBERIZED COATS, $10.00 and $12.00 Values, at $7.85.**
Here is the way we cut the price during the January clearance. We offer about 25 Women's fine Silk Rubberized Coats, with satin stripes and some plain, all in the newest style; regular $10.00 and $12.50, on sale at.... $7.85

$3.50 Skirts at $1.98—Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts, made in neat dark grey mixed Panamas, good $3.50 value, at.... $1.98

**WOMEN'S TAILOR SUITS AT THIS CLEARANCE SALE.**
Women's all-wool Cheviot and Broadcloth Suits, good workmanship; sold at $16.50; sale.... $10.85
(Broken sizes only.)

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10.00; clearance price.... $6.98

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at.... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at.... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at.... $11.15

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale.... .95

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at .39

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## Boys' $3.50 to $5.00 Reefers, $2.50

These are from our regular stock, all are this season's productions, are made of all-wool chinchillas, kerseys, cheviots and mixtures. Some have fur collars of velvet; all are exceptionally well made in the nattiest juvenile styles; a number of styles but there are sizes in the lot from 2½ to 17, and you can pick any of these $3.50 to $5 reefers, Friday and Saturday for only.... $2.50
Clothing Dept., Second Floor.

## Suit Prices Drop Again

We are relentless in our determination to mow down every suit in this stock before the Springtime garments demand the room, and we are making it pay you to buy, even if you only need a suit for a couple of months' wear to fill out the remainder of the winter season.

**Tailored Suits** of Broadcloth, Cheviot and Mixtures, handsomely lined; full plaited skirts, some in panel effects; sizes somewhat broken; a variety of the best shades to choose from; suits that sold regularly at $18 to $22; now priced.... $9.98

**Handsome Tailored Suits** of Broadcloth, Serge, Wide Wale Mixtures and Fancy Weaves; strictly tailored or trimmed; shawl or notched collars; finely lined; skirts in panel, yoke or full plaited styles; all wanted shades; sizes somewhat broken; suits that sold at $32 to $39, for.... $17.98

**Dainty Lingerie and Linen Dresses** with heavy or Valenciennes lace yokes; some braided models; bodice and sleeves trimmed to match; panel or full plaited skirts, in light blue, pink, rose, navy and other shades and white; the very newest models, specialized at.... $5.98
Second Floor.

## Remnants---Mattings and Linoleums

Now for a sweep of all the short lengths from the store—all our **Japanese, Chinese and Fiber Mattings**, all our Inlaid, Printed and Plain Linoleums—the short ends from the very pieces that have proven the best sellers.

**Japanese, Chinese and Fiber Mattings**, 2 to 5 yard lengths; regular price 25c to 40c a yard; remnant price, the yard.... .9

**Linoleums**—Inlaid, Printed and Plain; pieces of 1, 2 and 3 yards; most of them narrow widths; regular prices 50c to $1.40 a yard; remnant sale price, yard.... .15
Third Floor.

## 1.25 Wool Suitings 79c

Twenty-five Pieces—we could get no more of them—of all wool suitings, fresh from the looms; 54 inches wide, of good weight, in the new season's best colorings with neat hairline stripes; intended to sell at $1.25 a yard; to be a feature on Bargain Table No. 2, famed for its good things, Friday and Saturday, at.... .79

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# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## GOLF.

Although Golf Illustrated of January 14 states that a published report in Great Britain of the match having been arranged is untrue, letters of the same date at hand assert that the American professionals at home for the winter have been taken on for a contest by the resident talent. Arrangements according to the correspondent were arranged by H. H. Barker of the Garden City Golf Club, who was secretary of the committee to send the challenge over in November. The match is to be on February 16 at a course near London and J. H. Taylor is named as captain of the British team. Aleck Smith will captain the American team, which will include Gil Nichols, Isaac Mackie, James Maiden, David Hunter, Peter Robertson and any others who may be available.

The British open championship will be at St. Andrews June 13 to 25.

Harry V. Keep of the Englewood Golf Club was re-elected president of the New Jersey State Golf Association at the annual meeting held Tuesday in the office of the secretary-treasurer, Walter C. Shoup, 40 Wall street. After a course has been selected for the championship tournament a successor to Shoup will as usual be chosen from the club to hold the competition. The reports showed a cash surplus of $[illegible]. An application to hold the tournament was read from the Atlantic City Country Club, and while no action followed the trend of debate was that the course was too far off. An informal application from the Essex County Country Club met with more favor, and it is probable that the championship will be held there.

The tournament will be held on June 2, 3 and 4. Instead of giving gold and silver medals as prizes for each sixteen and beaten eight there was a vote to give medals only to the lowest scorers at medal play and to have other prizes for the match play winners.

## STATE POLICE TO VISIT ELIZABETH.

Patrolmen and superior officers from all over the State will be the guests in Elizabeth this afternoon of the local Patrolmen's Benevolent Association.

There will be an open session, including a banquet, so that the superior officers, all of whom were officers or members of the State L. B. A., will be able to attend as guests. The session will be held in Kiefer's hall, 635 Elizabeth avenue, and will conclude with a banquet and entertainment.

State President Beggans, of Jersey City, together with other State officials and representatives from associations in Newark, Jersey City, Hoboken, Bayonne, Paterson, New Brunswick, Trenton and Camden will be present. A good time is assured the visitors by the local committee. There will be important business transacted at the meeting. The meeting will begin at 2:30 and the banquet at 4 o'clock.

The hall will be decorated for the occasion, and there will be speech-making. The committee in charge includes D. J. McCarthy, chairman; James J. O'Brien, secretary; Daniel J. Bedell, James Ward and Patrick H. Sheridan.

O'Brien is vice-president of the State Association.

## EAGLES TO DANCE.

**Elizabeth Lodge Prepares for Its Annual Reception.**

Arrangements are being made by Elizabeth Aerie, 667, Fraternal Order of Eagles, for its sixth annual reception to be held in Turn Hall, High street, Elizabeth, the evening of February 2.

Among the features will be the snow dance, which made a hit at the reception two years ago. The feature this year will be a tag dance. At the heighth of the dance a gentleman dancer tags another gentleman, and immediately couples are changed, to the amusement of everyone who participates. There will be a concert from 8 until 9, and at 9:[illegible] the ball will be opened with a promenade led by William P. Bergen, floor director. General Dennis F. Collins has been assigned as head of the reception committee. The decorations will be on a more lavish scale.

A large delegation of visiting Eagles and friends from the surrounding cities have declared their intention of being present.

**Postmasters Named.**

The following New Jersey postmasters were appointed yesterday: George L. Clarke, Morristown; Geo. W. Hope, Raritan, and John H. Nunn, Glen Gardner. New York: J. B. H. Mongin, Waterloo; George H. Hubbs, Central Islip; James L. More, Pulaski; George W. Hitchcock, Ripley, and Charles A. Fowler, Rome.

**Club Hears Mrs. Murray.**

The principal speaker at the meeting of the Wednesday Afternoon Club at Cranford yesterday was Mrs. John C. Murray, of the Single Tax League, of New York. Her subject was "Modern Education." The speech was devoted to the conditions in congested schools.

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## VES PAYS PENALTY FOR KILLING WIFE.

Trenton, Jan. 27.—George Ves, an Italian convicted of murdering his wife in a cemetery in Perth Amboy last summer, paid the penalty for his crime in the electric chair in the State prison Tuesday night. Ves was the fourteenth to die in the electric chair in New Jersey, and the second from Middlesex county. He was known for some time that there was no hope of saving him from death and had become reconciled to his fate.

Ves had charged his wife with being unfaithful to him. She denied the charge and then left him. He located her in Perth Amboy and went to see her. He persuaded her to go with him to the cemetery and there killed her. Then he went to the Perth Amboy police station and reported what he had done. The police held him while they made an investigation and found the body. His case was carried to the Court of Errors and Appeals, where his conviction was sustained.

Ves is said to have been wanted for a murder committed in Ohio some years ago.

**To Cremate Actor's Body.**

The body of Ezra Kendall, the actor, who died a few days ago in Oakland, Cal., will be shipped to Elizabeth and incinerated at Rosehill Crematory, according to his wishes.

## RAISING OF THE MAINE.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 27.—Democratic Leader Frisbie called up in the Assembly Monday night his resolution favoring the Sulzer bill for the raising of the Maine in Havana Harbor. Republican Leader Merritt opposed the resolution on the ground of interference with federal functions. Mr. Oliver, of New York, declared that it had become a party matter.

"The Maine will be raised," he said, "when it suits the Republican interests to do so. Until then she will rest on the bottom mud."

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1851—John James Audubon, ornithologist of worldwide eminence, died; born 1780.

1891—Jervis McEntee, distinguished painter, died; born 1828.

1893—Hon. James Gillespie Blaine, statesman and distinguished Republican leader, died; born 1830.

General Abner Doubleday, noted civil war veteran, U. S. A., died; born 1819.

1906—Annie Chambers Ketchum, author of the "Bonnie Blue Flag," died; born 1824.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:07, rises 7:10; moon rises 7:29 p. m.

Plainfield, N. J., January 27, 1910.

### POPULAR GOVERNMENT.

In summoning some of the taxpayers to learn their views on matters being considered by the administration for the municipality's interests, Mayor Fisk did a wise and commendable act. Under our form of government officials are but the servants of the people and are supposed to act according to their wishes.

There are many matters now under discussion upon which there is a wide difference of opinion. Our tax rate is high and consequently there is the expected average of complaint. To make improvements, not absolutely needed, at this time would naturally send the rate still higher. This is the sole reason why there is strong objection to the administration incurring new obligations.

There is no sentiment for a municipal ownership of the water supply. Neither is there any for consolidation under existing conditions since a union of city and borough would place a heavier burden for a time at least on the former's taxpayers. As to the abandonment of the present sewage disposal plant, which has cost the people a fortune, and the establishment of a new plant at a great outlay, the popular feeling appears to be that no immediate action is imperative.

The mayor's plan in getting the views of the people on these and other important subjects, we repeat, is praiseworthy. We hope that the meeting last night will not be the last.

### SENATOR KEAN'S REPARTEE ON PANAMA LIBEL CASE.

Washington, Jan. 27.—"I notice that you have lost another little suit," said Senator Kean of New Jersey to Attorney-General Wickersham, when the news of Judge Hough's decision in the Panama libel case reached the Capitol.

"Oh, I inherited that," the Attorney-General replied.

"Well, it looks like you had squandered your inheritance," said Mr. Kean as he backed off.

**Local Realty Transfers.**

The following real estate transfers have been recorded in the office of the County Registrar: Y. M. C. A. of Plainfield, to Andrew McClean Parker, in line of Daniel Martine, corner of Rachael Henderson, Plainfield, $1; Home Real Estate Company to William H. Lieelin, northwesterly side of West Fourth street, 80 feet southwesterly of Hunter avenue, Plainfield, $1.

There will be a special meeting at the Salvation Army this evening conducted by Adjutant and Mrs. Jackson, of the Industrial Department. There will be special vocal and instrumental music.


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## FOWLER 'INSURGING' BUT ALL BY HIMSELF

Representative Charles N. Fowler, of this district, who used to be chairman of the House Committee on Banking and Currency unil he fell out with "Uncle Joe" Cannon, and was relieved of the job, made an insurgent demonstration all by himself at Washington yesterday. Without any preliminary warning he introduced a resolution to increase the membership of the Rules Committee from four to nine, and to relieve the Speaker of the House from any connection with it. Some of the insurgents who were asked about the proposition seemed inclined to the belief that Mr. Fowler had tried to steal their thunder. They have had something of the same sort on the fire for some time.

Mr. Fowler is a sort of lone outlaw. He is dead set against Speaker Cannon and attacks him at every opportunity, yet his is not conspicuously identified with the organized insurgent movement as are Murdock, Gardner, Hayes, Norris and a few others. Insurgents seen yesterday afternoon following the introduction of the resolution by Mr. Fowler spoke heartily in its favor.

Representative Goebel, of Ohio, made the statement that within 48 hours the Republicans of the house would find it necessary to hold a conference on this proposition, and that in his opinion, after it had been talked over and threshed out, the main idea involved would be approved by the organization. There was an attempt by some members of the house to make it appear that President Taft favored this Fowler resolution. The idea that the President will actively interfere in a purley organization matter of this sort is not credited, however.

**The Egotist.**

"Stuck on himself, ain't he?"

"Is he? Say, do you know why he gave up the idea of becoming a physician?"

"Why?"

"He was afraid he coudln't feel a lady's pulse without giving her heart trouble!"—Cleveland Leader.

**The First Baby.**

"I guess we'd better weigh the youngster."

"But you weighed him only twenty minutes ago, old fellow."

"Well, maybe he's gained a little."—Exchange.

## PRAYERS AS NECSSARY AS FUNDS HE SAYS

A personal plea for prayer was made to the congregation of Trinity Reformed church at the midweek prayer service last night by Dr. Paul W. Harrison, the church's missionary, who departs for Arabia on Saturday. Dr. Harrison impressed on his hearers that prayer was just as necessary as funds, and more so to carry on the work successfully in that country.

"There is a good deal of opposition to receiving Christianity in that country," said Dr. Harrison, "but the chief opposition is by the people, and the work of the missionaries should be prayed for. If Carnegie should give $10,000,000 to build up the kingdom of God in that country no much could be accomplished by the money alone. The opposition can only be overcome by the working of God's spirit.

"I haven't discussed much in public what we will need prayers for in Arabia," continued Dr. Harrison, "but there ar a good many temptations, particularly to those who go to that field as a medical missionary. There will be opportunities and ambitions for wordly success in the medical profession and we are likely to lose sight of the real object of our labors to save souls. There is nothing wrong in such ambitions, and if they are under control, they will not interfere with missionary work. We must have the grace so that other ambitions wont creep in and take the place of the spiritual duties, so I will always look back to Plainfield for support in prayers of this church.

**Case of Capacity.**

Hopkinson Smith tells the story of the Southern slave who diagnosed a boy's illness in her master's home.

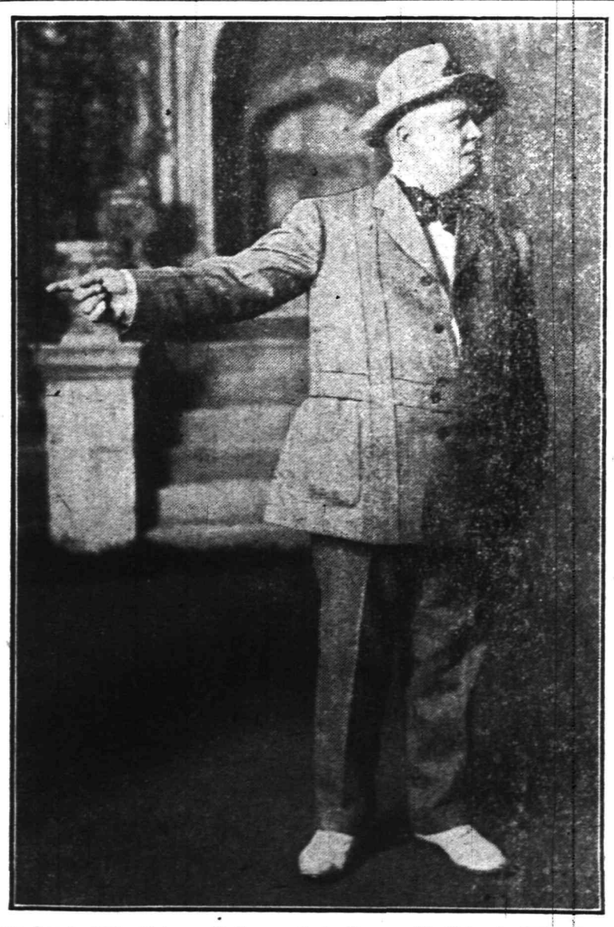
"It's a case of too much watermelon," she said.

Thereupon she was informed with great dignity that there could be no such thing as "too much watermelon."

"Well," she retorted, "then there ain't enough boy."—Cleveland Leader.

**The Ready Excuse.**

"What are you going to do with this sandbag," demanded the Chicago cop. "It's part of me equipment, boss," answered the footpad. "Honest, I got an airship anchored around de corner."—Exchange.



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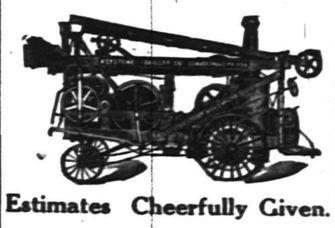

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# TAXPAYERS EXPRESS VIEWS

(Continued from page 1.)

there should be need of further early action (which, from my best information, I do not believe) then surely, before we are plunged into further cost or debt, we are entitled to other and better advice than that of the very same "expert" who misled us before. Moreover, I respectfully submit that the community of Plainfield and North Plainfield is one and should act as one in any new plan of sewage disposal—that, taking steps in logical order, and in view of the absurdity of having two municipalities' rubbing elbows but pretending to keep separate, North Plainfield and Plainfield should first definitely get married "for better, for worse," and then arrange together on a broad and reasonable plan their housekeeping in relation to sewage disposal and otherwise.

Concerning the water problem, I have always considered that an unfair advantage was taken of the rights of Plainfield in connection with what is sometimes called the "charter of the Water Company." I am informed that the water company refuses to divulge its profits to the municipal authorities. The charges made by it so consumers are high. It may be found practicable to obtain the water plant by honest condemnation proceedings, and I believe it is possible (and it may be found necessary) for the city to build outright an entirely new water plant for the use of its citzens. But this, if done, should also follow consolidation with the borough and should be accomplished for the equal benefit of all concerned.

**Taxes Too High.**

One common sense proposition stands out prominently—**We must keep down our tax-rate or be the worse for it. We are now paying, on high valuations, practically the same tax-rate as is Tammany-ridden New York city—with all its parks and public buildings.** One way to increase the tax-rate would be to start a local pension system, which is, for a municipal government, in its last result, a school for the promotion of inefficiency and ultimate pauperization.

An equally unfortunate scheme would be such so-called "civil service" device as would fasten irremovably upon the tax-payers a number of officials who would have to be supported, unless driven out by a tedious and costly conviction for malfeasance; and we know how likely that would be. Another way to increase the tax-rate is to increase the number of police patrolmen and to increase their pay. Is is realized that Plainfield paid last year fifteen times as much for police service as it did when I was Mayor, the city being then of the same size as now, and with nearly half its present population? Is it known that within half a dozen years the cost of the police has doubled, now running above $30,000 a year, and being now so ill adapted to requirements for important investigating or detective work, that when such work is required foreign help must be imported? These are surely not conditions requiring more patrolmen and higher pay and pensions. Even across the brook our neighbors have no notion of scattering public funds in any such fashion. Similar remarks might be made touching suggestions made for increasing taxes to pay for certain fire department and builders' department notions. Expenses in the fire department are increasing by leaps and bounds, and the building department itself, as well as its expense, requires careful supervision.

**Library Economical.**

It is a comfort that His Honor the Mayor has found one public trust requiring economical check and reformed administration. This is the Public Library. Its reports show that it circulates about forty thousand books (two for each inhabitant); that its benefits are rapidly increasing; that it is becoming a scientific centre and place of popular study; that it receives from taxes $7,500 per year; that it expends for a librarian, janitor and four assistants to the librarian—most of them efficiently trained for a period of years—in all $3,000 a year; that $2,500 a year goes for new books; and the rest, about $2,000, for repairs, light, heat, renewals, binding, new shelving and other sundries. It is the one important public institution of an educational and useful character that got built without a cent of public money. It has enjoyed three splendid private benefactions and runs a chance of getting another—unless strangled. But the Mayor has, to use a vulgarism, "caught it with the goods on it." Part way through the taxation year, he found it had cash in pocket $4,208. The Mayor wants a check put on the library legal tax-rate and he suggests to the Common Council—and not to the library trustees—that the board open an outside lounging room which "should be fitted up for men, where they could congregate, read the papers and smoke and talk over questions of the day?" Doubtless if the suggestion of His Honor were carried into effect it would serve to promote one important industry—the tobacco business. But if the library board were to see their way to try it, they would have to call for more tax money.

**Functions of a Mayor.**

On one subject my opinion goes clearly with that of the Mayor. He considers that, as Mayor, he has a right to discharge executive functions and that the Council should not assume them. He is right. The city's charter so provides, and it is in accordance with the fundamental scheme and law of the republic. The legislative body holds the purse-strings; the Mayor is the ruling executive officer. As to whether the Mayor is right in opposing Governor Fort's proposition to repeal the Hillery law I perhaps have hardly the ground upon which a just opinion should be based. But I incline to the Governor's view. The Hillery law was, I think, a device to excuse certain taxpayers from a part of their taxes and to make the rest of us pay more. Every new scheme appears to raise our taxes, and often without benefit to the taxpayer, and we have about reached the limit of forbearance.

As for a new city hall, we are in no pressing need of it. We cannot now afford to run in debt for such a luxury, and the site proposed is not a suitable one.

At the conclusion of Mr. Randolph's remarks, Alexander Kane said that he concurred in everything that the former had said, that his speech was O. K. He said that Plainfield has a Tammany Hall and it was time to put a stop to it right now.

**Others Speak.**

Taking exception to the increasing tax rate, William M. Sillman said that at present it requires two months' rent for a man to pay his taxes and this he thought was all wrong. After awhile Plainfield would be as bad as Elizabeth or New York.

Making a strong plea for an extension of the sanitary sewer system in the West End, Donald McInnes, also took occasion to speak of what he called a "monopoly in the cesspool cleaning business." He said that everyone had to employ one firm and pay its price, because the board of health had only licensed this one firm. He said that it was time that this thing was stopped. He said that there are today many valuable building lots in the West End of the city, but people will not build until sewers are provided.

**Mayor Makes Reply.**

In reply to Mr. Randolph and Mr. McInnes, Mr. Fisk said that the former's criticism was not fair nor just. He said that Plainfield has some of the best detectives in the State, and as good a fire department, which, of course, costs more than a volunteer department, but is not extravagant. He said that the Common Council is trying to find ways to save money. As to Mr. Randolph's criticism of Civil Service, said that if correctly understood it means the obtaining of good men without political influence and is really a saving to taxpayers.

As to providing sewers for the West End, Mr. Fisk said that that section would receive attention soon. He realized that that section of the city is entitled to such consideration, but it could not be done by gravitation. It would be necessary to install pumping stations. Mr. Fisk then gave additional history regarding the installation of the sewer system.

**L. B. Woolston's Views.**

Referring to the question of a city hall, L. B. Woolston said that he recalled a few years ago when the local newspapers were crying, "Oh, for a City Hall." The question finally come up, but one of the newspapers at the last minute took a stand against the improvement and this killed the proposition. He thought everyone should be proud of Plainfield and if the individual is willing to beautify the city, the municipal authorities should be equally anxious to do so. He said that there are millions of dollars worth of fine pictures here that escape assessment. Mr. Woolston said that he was not advocating a city hall, but he thought the city should purchase a suitable site. He also favored a joint sewage proposition and the consolidation of the city and borough. He believed that now is the time to act in the matter of sewage disposal.

As to the question of water supply, Mr. Woolston said that he had no sympathy with Mr. Randolph or the city of Plainfield. He said that there was a charter kicking about for years and no one would pick it up, until Mr. Kean came along and built the present works. He took exception to the statement that the water company's rates are high, on the contrary he thought they were reasonable. The men of the city should have accepted opportunities years ago, and in this connection he charged Mr. Randolph with being derelict in his duty when he was Mayor.

**Mr. Depew's Thoughts.**

R. Henry Depew, president of the Plainfield Protective Association, said that the association had given a warning that unless a check was put on expenditures the rates would go up. He said that he previously suggested the consideration of all questions pertaining to the city government and adopt feasible plans for the growth of the city for the next twenty years. He devoted considerable attention to the police department, and wanted to know if there was not a law that provided for the revocation of a saloonkeeper's license if found guilty of selling liquor to an intoxicated man. Mr. Fisk told him that there was such a law, but that it was always difficult to secure a conviction. A policeman would have to enter a saloon, see the man drink the liquor and in fact taste the liquor himself.

Mr. Depew said that he frequently read in the local newspapers accounts of where intoxicated men are thrown out of saloons, and if the city is paying $30,000 for its police department it should get the evidence. He recalled a published story about the late John Rafferty that an intoxicated man could not get a drink in his saloon. If he could observe the law he thought others should be made to do so. He also recalled the fact that William Taylor got evidence and that the people had not forgotten it. He thought it was a disgrace to have people come out of saloons drunk every day.

**Reply to Mr. Randolph.**

In reply to Mr. Woolston's remarks, Mr. Randolph said that the people would not support a measure to establish water works when he was Mayor, and refused to bond the city. As to the charter that was "kicking about" he said that everyone believed it to be "a dead one." He paid his compliments to Mr. Fisk, thanking him for his kindly reference to him, and adding that they would probably continue to smile at each other and be friends.

As to the lack of adaptability of the police department, he cited an instance of where a detective came to his house to work on a case of depredation. The officer told him he would do all he could to find the guilty parties, and after obtaining clues, went away, and Mr. Randolph added, "I have not seen him since."

**Mr. Ackerman's Statement.**

State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman arose in defense of the Civil Service bill, explaining that he did not want any false impressions given. He said that the bosses and their friends like to hear criticisms about the civil service, especially in Union county. He then stated that today there are 11,000 positions in the State under Civil Service and many who formerly opposed it are now in favor of the plan.

**Two Others Speak.**

Brief remarks were made by W. R. Codington and B. Frank Coriell regarding the question of a city hall, but they were seekers after information instead of giving advice. Mayor Fisk thanked one and all for their presence and hoped that some good might result from the conference.

# BUILDING AND LOAN LEAGUE ASSN. DOINGS

The Executive Committee of the New Jersey League of Building and Loan Associations held its quarterly meeting in the Board of Trade rooms at Jersey City Tuesday afternoon. The committee is composed of one representative from each county in the State in addition to the officers, and there was a large representation present yesterday.

Several points in the building and loan laws which are working unsatisfactorily were discussed and through a legislative committee, which was appointed, an attempt is to be made to remedy the faults.

A committee was also appointed to revise the constitution of the league so that a broader representation might be secured from the associations of the State.

The next meeting of the committee will be held in Elizabeth on April 26, at which time officers and members of all the Union county associations will be invited to attend, to listen to and to take part in the discussion of any subject which might arise touching the general good of the associations throughout the State.

It is not the purpose of the league to interfere with the individual management of any of the associations, but it hopes to secure through co-operation of the larger organization, some reforms in the laws and possibly check legislation which may be deemed unwise.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

Rev. Dr. A. Woodruff Halsey, one of the secretaries of the Board of Foreign Mission of the Presbyterian church, commenting on a recent statement regarding the administrative expenses of the various denominational foreign board of missions, has this to say for his church: "If you look at the seventy-second annual report, you will notice that the expenses last year of carrying on the foreign board were 6 96-100 per cent. This is a little more than ordinarily, as we have branched out in our home department and are spending more money than we did a few years ago. The expenses vary from about 4½ to 7 per cent. with various years."

**W. D. Murray Led Meeting.**

William D. Murray was the leader of the midweek prayer service at the First Presbyterian church last. Mr. Murray spoke on the laymen's movement and also referred to the big Rochester convention which he recently attended.

Mrs. Andrew Morton, of Manatoba, B. C., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Clark, Jr., of Jackson avenue

Mrs. Anna Louise David, harpist, who will assist at the "Old Favorite Song Concert," at the Plainfield High School, tonight, accompanied by her husband, Walter David, will be entertained at dinner by Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Cutter, of Sanford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Turmbull, of Hamilton, Ontario ,Canada, have removed to this city, where they expect to reside permanently. For the present they are stopping with Mrs. Turmbull's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Slorah, of Prescott place.

**Daily Press Ads Pay.**

Another illustration of the value of the Cent-a-Word advertising columns of The Daily Press is cited by Richard Randolph, a local ash carter. One day last week a bundle of valuable clothing dropped off Mr. Randolph's wagon. Mr. Randolph promptly inserted a "Lost Ad" in The Daily Press and the next day he got results. The package was found by letter carrier Frank W. Bailey, of Duer street, while he was covering his route on West Seventh street. Mr. Baily saw Mr. Randolph's advertisement and returned the goods to him.

**A Lost Illusion.**

The Kind Lady—You clear off or I'll set the dog at you.

The Tramp—Ah, 'ow deceptive is 'uman natur'. For two nights I've slept in yer barn, eaten of yer poultry an' drunk of yer cider, and now yer treats me as an utter stranger.—The Sketch.


**New White Label Canned Goods**

Whole Asparagus,
Asparagus Tips,
Fancy Peas,
Fancy Stringless Beans,
Fancy Tiny Lima Beans,
Fancy Maine Corn,
Fancy Jersey Tomatoes.

Special Prices by the Dozen or Case

**NEUMAN Bros.**
Watchung Ave. & 5th St. Tel.760

**MONO**
**Fireproof Storage Warehouse.**
Separate Rooms, Fireproof Partitions. Clean, Dry, Secure.
Inspection Invited—Open 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.
FURNITURE REMOVED WITH CARE.
Telephone 522-W. Opposite freight depot.

**MARSHALL'S LAUNDRY**
**WATCHUNG and FOURTH**
**'PHONE 702**

**Why You Should Have A Savings Account**

May we have two minutes of your time? We want you to consider with us the desirability of a Savings Account in our bank.

FIRST Provision for future needs. You might be incapacitated at any time and unable to earn your own living; if sickness, accident or other trouble came, where would you turn?

SECOND—Opportunities and investments. Money in the bank would enable you to take advantage of the golden opportunities which are constantly arising, at any time they do arise.

**BOROUGH NATIONAL BANK**
Only Bank in N. Plainfield

**Household Loan Co.**
'PLAINFIELD'S RELIABLE BROKERS'

We make it easy as possible for honest people to borrow money from us through a CONFIDENTIAL CREDIT ACCOUNT which can be used whenever desired. Customers dealing here fully appreciate our method which comprises such features as giving an exact copy of agreement, also the privilege of making easy weekly or monthly payments, and allowing a Liberal Discount if paid before full time. We stand upon our reputation for HONORABLE DEALING and COURTEOUS TREATMENT, together with the statement that our RATES are positively lower than any company doing business in this County, a fact easily verified by comparison. Everything fully explained at our office or representative will call and give all particulars upon request.

**Household Loan Co,**
148 EAST FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Office Hours 8 A.M. to 6 P.M. Tele. 820-J.

**L. L. MANNING & SON**
STEAM GRANITE WORKS.
Corner Central Ave. and West Front St.
Opposite First Baptist Church.


**Annual Statement**
OF THE
**Plainfield Savings Bank,**
OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.
January 1, 1910.

ASSETS.

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|---|---|
| Bonds and Mortgages, First Liens | $ 550,950.00 |
| Bonds, Market Value | 392,162.50 |
| Demand Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Banking House and Lot | 25,000.00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 7,500.00 |
| Interest Due and Accrued | 6,608.57 |
| Cash on hand | 39,913.85 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|
| Amount Due Depositors | $ 950,838.65 |
| Surplus | 72,296.27 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

WILLIAM F. ARNOLD, President.
H. G. RUNKLE, Vice President.
A. C. STEBBINS, Vice President.
J. C. POPE, Treasurer.
H. A. POPE, Ass't Treasurer.
1 22 6

**Dividend No. 66.**
**CITY NATIONAL BANK,**
**Plainfield, N. J.**

The Board of Directors haye this day declared their regular semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital stock of this bank, and an extra dividend of 1 per cent. out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, February 1, 1910.

WM. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.
Dated, Plainfield, January 25, 1910. 1 26 5


**PLAINFIELD SECOND-HAND FURNITURE STORE**

MISSION FURNITURE—If you are in need of any call and see us, if we have not got what you want we will make it to match anything you may have; if you have anything you do not want, let us know We buy anything and sell everything. Old looking-glasses resilvered. Auction sales conducted satisfactorily.
**118 Madison Avenue, Jackson Bld.**

**A. M. RUNYON & SON, UNDERTAKERS.**
402 Park Avenue. Telephone No. 40.
Office open day and night.
Office of Hillside Cemetery.
New York Office—50 Great Jones St.
Tel. call 3345-Spring.
New York Embalmers License—1220.
New York Registered Licensed Undertaker No. 815.

Established 1872.
**P. CASEY & SON.**
UNDERTAKERS AND EMBALMERS
Office 116 Park Ave., Tel. 884-w. Res., 417 W. 3d St., Tel. 903-r. Office open day and night. N. Y. office, 10 E. 22d St., Tel. 2094 Gramercy.

**Chas. L. Stanley,**
159 East Front St. 'Phone 928.
Headquarters for choice Cut Flowers and Potted Plants.
Floral design work a specialty.
33,000 feet of glass. South Ave.


**DIED**

HALL—At Plainfield, N. J., January 26, 1910, after a brief illness, Margaret A., beloved wife of Joseph R. Hall, formally of Cranford, N. J.

Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend funeral services at her late residence, 102 Central avenue, Plainfield, N. J., on Sunday, January 30, 1910, 2:30 p. m. Interment private.

**Other Classified Ads on Page 3.**

# Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No alvertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for death and marriage notices and classified advertisirg accepted up to 2 p m

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

**Help Wanted—Female.**

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1239 Watchung avenue, between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 12 tf

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 24 6

GIRLS wanted. Inquire Recher & Co., North avenue. Formerly Vacuum Cleaner Co. 1 24 6

WANTED—An experienced girl for general housework; reference required. Call 1045 Dunellen avenue. 1 25 3

WANTED—Good cook. 515 Park avenue. 1 25 3

WANTED—Girl for general housework; reference required; three in family. Apply R. W. Blake, 15 Hampton street, Cranford, N. J. 1 25 3

EXPERIENCED waitress wanted in family of two; no chamber work; wages $25. Call Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 26 2

NEAT young lady attendant at dental office. 431 Park Ave. 1 26 tf

WANTED—At Murray's Employment Registry 25 girls for this week, including cook, general houseworkers, chambermaids and seven good reliable waitresses; good references required. Good situations always open for such at 226 East Front street, near Watchung avenue. 'Phone 666. 1 26 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

**Situations Wanted—Female.**

WANTED—Young lady desires positioon as stenographer and office assistant; three years' experience. Address C. H., care Daily Press. 1 26 2

COMPETENT chambermaid and waitress (white) desires position. Address L. M., care Daily Press. 1 26 3

POSITION wanted by young white girl to take care of children. 131 Madison avenue, rear of Bender's shoe shop.

COLORED laundress wants place by month; best reference. Address A., care Press. 1 27 3

YOUNG German girl wants position at general housework; two months in this country. Call 204 Plainfield avenue. 1 26 3

**Help Wanted—Male.**

WANTED—An experienced thorough cleaner, colored; must have first-class references. Apply 128 East Seventh street, Wednesday and Thursday evenings after 8 o'clock. 1 26 2

WANTED—Young man about 16 to 20 years old, who can make himself generally useful. A. E. Force & Co. 1 27 tf

WANTED—At once, one milling machine hand; also ten lathe hands. Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 27 6

WANTED—Traveling agents and also local agents, experienced in canvassing. Address Agent, care Press. 1 26 3

**Situations Wanted—Male.**

COACHMAN and gardener, Swede, 30 years old, single, sober, honest, willing; thoroughly reliable; understands the care of a first-class stable; good driver; fully competent to take charge of gentleman's country place; first-class reference. Idof Pierson, 218 East Front St. 1 26 3 w-th-s

**Help Wanted Male and Female.**

WANTED—Man and wife to run my house and take care of children; all at my expense. Address Mechanic, care Press. 1 26 3

**Employment Agencies.**

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

**For Rent.**

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave. 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 644 Essex street. Inquire J. Sacher, 731 West Third street. 1 20 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 22 tf

TO LET—February 1, 5 rooms; steam heated; all improvements; $18. 122 Watchung Ave. 1 25 6

FOR RENT—Farm about 50 acres with large modern barn and cow stables, located 3 miles from Plainfield on line trolley. Address J., care Press. 1 24 6

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. E. Vanderhoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 22 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

**For Sale or To Let.**

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmere, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

**For Sale.**

HORSE for sale; bargain; young, sound. 1020 Arlington Ave. 1 26 3

FOR SALE—Milk business in neighboring town, selling over 200 quarts daily at 8 cents. Cheap to quick buyer, for cash. Must be sold by February 1. Address P. O. Box 62, New Market, N. J. 1 26 2

FOR SALE—Two fine folding beds, in good condition; will sell cheap. Address P. W. N., care of this office. 1 27 3

FOR SALE—1909 Pope Hartford touring car; fully equipped. Laing Machine Auto Repair Co. 1 27 3

FOR SALE—Family cow; fresh. 117 Jackson avenue, borough. 1 27 3

FOR SALE—Boston bindle bull pup, female, two months old, $10. Address Brindle, care Press. 1 25 3 tu-th-s

**Poultry for Sale.**

FOR SALE—White Leghorn, Black Manorcha and Barred Rock Cockerels, at 922 Watchung avenue. 1 25 3

FOR SALE—Barred Rock Cockerel. Smith, 1266 Park Ave. 1 25 3

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, Gowell strain; also S. C. Rhode Island Reds, Tompkins strain. Lewin, Plainfield avenue, near Hunt Club. 1 27 3

TWENTY Barred Rocks and twenty White Leghorns for sale at 507 West Fourth street. 1 25 3

**Wanted Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—To buy six-room house, centrally located; good neighborhood. Address D. F., care Press. 1 21 6

WANTED—To rent April 1 house, centrally located. Address House, care Press. 1 27 3

WANTED—To rent from May 1, 10 or 12 room house in Washington Park section; small family. House, care Daily Press. 1 27 3

WANTED—A second-hand roll-top desk; state price. Address Rebaf, Press office. 1 26 2

**Lost and Found.**

LOST—Grey and red horse blanket between Park avenue and Richmond street Tuesday night. Please return to 314 Filmore avenue

FOUND—Black and white hound dog. 148 East Fifth St. 1 26 3

**Miscellaneous.**

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

**Rooms and Board.**

TO LET—Two rooms at 408 West Third street. 1 27 3

**FINANCIAL.**

WANTED—INVESTMENT OF ADDITIONAL CAPITAL in active paying wholesale mercantile business in New York, run by Plainfield men. Best references. Communications confidential. Address "Investment," care of Daily Press. 1 27 2

# SYNOPSIS OF PIERCE PUBLIC UTILITY BILL

The Pierce bill, providing for a public utility commission, was introduced in the House at Trenton Tuesday as told in The Daily Press. It differs materially from the Pierce bill of last year in that it provides for a continuance of the present State Railroad Commission under the name "The Public Utilities Commission." The membership of the new board is to remain as at present and the salaries are to be unchanged also, except for the president, who is to receive $5,500. The present commissioners are also to be continued until the expiration of their terms.

The jurisdiction of the railroad commission as it now exists is extended to all utility corporations. This includes, by provision of the bill, the right to regulate rates and to provide for a physical property valuation to determine these. There is a clause, also, permitting a court review.

**Powers Defined.**

Among other things the bill, on the subject of jurisdiction, says these things:

To direct any such corporation found unduly discriminating in its rates, fares or charges, to make such rates, fares or charges uniform, except as hereinafter provided.

To direct any such corporation found to be granting rebates or other unjust discriminations, to immediately cease therefrom.

To direct any railroad company to construct, maintain and operate, upon reasonable terms, a switch connection with any private sidetrack which may be constructed by the shipper to connect with the railroad, where such connection is reasonable, practical, and can be put in with safety, and will furnish sufficient business to justify the construction and maintenance of the same.

To require any railroad company, upon the complaint in writing filed by the governing board of any township or municipality, or twenty or more freeholders thereof, where the conditions at any grade crossing are such as to make it necessary for the protection of travel over the same, to erect and maintain such gates or flagmen or other reasonable protection at such crossing, as the public safety requires.

To prevent any corporation subject to the provisions of this act and engaged in the transportation of persons or property as a common carrier, from directly or indirectly, by any special rate, rebate, drawback or other device or method, charging, demanding, collecting or receiving, from any person or corporation, a grater or less compensation for any service rendered or to be rendered, in the transportation of passengers or freight, except as authorized in this act, than it charges, demands, collects or receives from any other persons or corporation for doing a like and contemporaneous service in the transportation of a like kind of traffic under the same or substantially similar circumstances and conditions.

**Rate Regulation.**

The commission shall further have power, upon complaint in writing filed by the governing board of any township or municipality, or fifty citizens thereof, to investigate any rate or charge made by any corporation subject to the provisions of this act, for any service rendered. If, after a hearing upon notice to such corporation, such rate or charge shall be found to be unjust or unreasonable, the commission may make an order fixing said rate or charge at what is just and reasonable. And in determining what is just and reasonable, the commission shall take into account the circumstances of the particular case, including, where the issue is raised by the corporation, the allowance to the corporation of a fair and adequate return upon the value of its property, including franchises, in view of the risks, incidents and hazards of the particular business.

The yearly expenses of the commission are fixed at $35,000, which is about $5,000 more than is at present paid yearly to the State Railroad Commission.

There is also added a stock and bond issue clause, requiring the submission of proposed issues to the commission for its approval, the approval to be given if the proposed issue is lawful.

The Pierce bill is much like the Scharff bill, offered last week. It comes, however, nearer meeting the suggestions of the Governor in his last message. Those who profess to know, say there is small likelihood of any utility legislation this season.

The bill, also, in its introductory paragraphs, would give the Governor the power to remove any commission, with the consent of the Senate, for inefficiency or neglect, and prevents any commissioner from being affiliated in any way in the ownership of any utility concern. Like the Scharff bill, this would have the effect of legislating State Railroad Commissioner Thomas J. Hillery out of his job, as Mr. Hillery is a part owner of the Boonton Water Company.

The clause providing for court review makes the Supreme Court the final court of appeal.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.

# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

County Superintendent Hand has appointed J. B. Hastings, principal of the West Cape May schools; F. W. James, principal of the Goshen schools, and Miss Mary Miller, a woman of long experience as a teacher, to be the Cape May County Board of Examiners for teachers.

The High School building at Haddon Heights is in such a crowded condition that there is room for only a few more pupils and the Board of Education is facing the serious problem of taking care of the new pupils who will apply for admission at the fall term.

The Roselle Park police are trying to find two boys who Monday night threw custard pies against the display windows of George H. Horning's drug store and Ernest Bruni's fruit and confectionery store.

Glassworkers and millworkers at Millville have signed pledges promising to abstain from eating meat for ten days. Dealers feel the effect of the movement and say they will be forced to cut the prices this week to save themselves from loss.

Struck by a trolley car at Broadway and Kaighn avenue, Camden, William Costello, 18 years old, of 749 Woodland avenue, sustained cuts of the scalp yesterday and was attended at the Homeopathic Hospital.

The wideawake Comercial League, which has already been instrumental in securing several industries for Bridgeton, is now endeavoring to obtain two more, one of them being a hosiery mill and the other a factory for the finishing of violins.

William T. Foulks, a large real estate owner of New Egypt, and a prominent granger, died yesterday. He will be buried from the home of his son-in-law, Walter Kirby. His death, following a very short illness, was a great shock to his friends and relatives. He was 68 years old.

Because of the high price of food the supper annually given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, Woodbury, will be cancelled this year. The suppers have always netted from $200 to $300. A canvass has been made and it has been found that with the present prices a profit could not be realized.

Officers of the National Canners' Association, who have made an investigation of the recent illness in the family of John Mameit, of Trenton, who were said to have suffered from ptomaine poisoning after eating canned tomatoes, say they have discovered that there was no foundation for the statement. The family were victims of disordered stomachs, according to the statement of Dr. Mitchell, who prescribed for them. The latter is said to have been greatly surprised by statements that the family had been poisoned by ptomaines.

## REV. CRANE CALLED TO WESTMINSTER.

What was practically a unanimous call was extended by the congregation of Westminster Presbyterian church, Elizabeth, last evening to the Rev. Louis B. Crane, pastor of the Brainerd Union Presbyterian church, of Easton, Pa. It was also decided to fix the salary at $4,000 a year.

There were 98 ballots cast, 97 favoring Mr. Crane's call and one being blank. Many of the ballots were underlined, signifying that the voters were eager for Mr. Crane's acceptance. The majority of those present were women.

The Rev. Dr. William B. Hamilton, of Westminster Hope chapel, a branch of Westminster, was moderator, and announced the result of the vote. William H. Corbin announced the selection in behalf of the committee which has been seeking a pastor. He referred to Mr. Crane's peculiar qualifications, saying that he is an excellent preacher, affable and cultured. He is a widower, 45 years old, and was educated in Princeton University. He will be asked to preach at the church next Sunday morning, when he will decide whether or not he will accept. The salary is understood to be higher than that he receives at present.

The call will be prosecuted before the Elizabeth Presbytery by Messrs. McLean and Simons, and the Presbytery at Easton must then consent to the release of Mr. Crane. In view of the decisive action of the congregation it is very likely that Mr. Crane will accept.

Another Pennsylvasia minister declined the call about a year ago. The pastorate has been vacant more than a year and a half, since the suspension of the Rev. Dr. Henry Elliott Mott, who has since endeavored to be returned by the local Presbytery, but was unsuccessful. The committee has been zealously seeking a pastor since June. The congregation is one of the wealthiest in the city.

**Badly Hurt in Machinery.**

Trenton, Jan. 27.—Falling from a ladder, which he had mounted to adjust some belting in the Roebling Mills, Alfred Wentzel was so badly crushed and torn before the machinery could be stopped that his life is despaired of. Wentzel fell directly upon the machine.

**Rutgers Gets $5,000 for Athletics.**

Dr. Edward L. Stevenson, of Rutgers College, New Brunswick, has raised a fund of $5,000 for the improvement of Neilson Field, the college's athletic grounds.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.


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**Firehouse Matter Brought Before Westfield Council.**

Steps for cancelleing the $1,000 mortgage on one firehouse in Westfield were taken by the Common Council at its meeting Tuesday night. Councilman Schmitt wanted to know why the mortgage on the property, amounting to $1,000, had not been paid. The mortgage is held by the Exempt Firemen's Association. It was decided to refer the matter to the law committee with power to act.

Councilman Affect was added to the committee on municipal water ownership.

"I would like to know," said Councilman Wilson, "why the park committee does not report on the pieces of property on which it holds options. These options will soon expire and the price of the property will be increased."

The matter was referred to the law committee.

**Church Makes Good Record.**

Bayonne, Jan. 27.—The Rev. Father Coyne, of St. Vincent de Paul's church, made the announcement yesterday that $2,500 had been paid last year on the church debt, which now is $22,000. During the year just closed the church raised $8,559.67.

Several applications for membership will be received at the meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., tonight.

## Arrival and Departure of Mails

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## CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR.

**Prayer Meeting Topic For the Week Beginning Jan. 30, 1910.**

Topic.—The most stirring events of foreign missionary history.—Acts xiii, 8-52. Comment by Rev. Sherman H. Doyle, D. D.

The incident recorded in the topical reference took place at Lystra, one of the easternmost points in Asia Minor reached by Paul and Barnabas on their first missionary journey. A man who had been a cripple from birth heard Paul speak. The apostle saw that he had faith enough to be healed and "said with a loud voice, Stand upright upon thy feet. And he leaped and walked." The people were astonished and cried out in their native tongue, "The gods are come down to us in the likeness of men." Because of his great stature they called Barnabas Jupiter, the king of the gods, and Paul, being the smaller of the two, was supposed to be Mercury, the messenger of Jupiter. The priest of Jupiter brought oxen and garlands into the gates of the city and would have worshiped Barnabas and Paul, but they rent their clothes and ran in among the people and protested, saying, "Sirs, why do ye these things? We also are men, of like passions with you, and preach unto you that ye should turn from these vanities unto the living God, which made heaven and earth and the sea and all things that are therein."

This experience of Paul and Barnabas at Lystra was certainly a stirring one. But such scenes and even more thrilling ones have been matters of common occurrence in missionary history. Many imagine that missionary literature is dull and uninteresting, but they were never more mistaken.

In no field of endeavor do we have more "truth stranger than fiction" than in missionary labors. The history of missions in the New Hebrides as told by John G. Paton, who has labored so long there, cannot be surpassed for thrilling adventure by any book of fiction. His encounters with cannibals and the many times that his life was in danger form stirring scenes indeed. And yet the conversion of these man eating tribes to the gentle virtues of Christianity is an even greater event than the physical dangers that he endured. Moffet and Livingstone in Africa passed through many thrilling adventures, as well as did Carey in India and the earlier and later missionaries in China, Korea and Japan, Madagascar and the south sea islands. Every field of missionary effort has its stories of stirring events. Yet in all, as among the cannibals of the New Hebrides, the greatest wonders have been the transformation of savage peoples and tribes from their terrible and cruel methods of living into the ways of Christianized and civilized nations. And when we think of what the early missionaries endured and the heroism which they displayed under the most crucial tests there should be a stirring within our minds and hearts inspiring us to do a still greater work under far more favorable circumstances in winning the world for Christ.

BIBLE READINGS.

I Kings xxii, 25-28; Matt. v, 11, 12; x, 16-28; xxviii, 19, 10; John iv, 25-42; Mark xvi, 14-20; Acts viii, 1-24; x, 34-48; Rom. x, 14, 15; Rev. ii, 10.

**St. Louis' New C. E. Leader.**

The president of the St. Louis (Mo.) Christian Endeavor union is Alfred Fairbank, a bright, energetic Endeavorer, who has been connected with union work for the past two years. During this time he has served on a number of different committees and has done most efficient work. He has

ALFRED FAIRBANK.

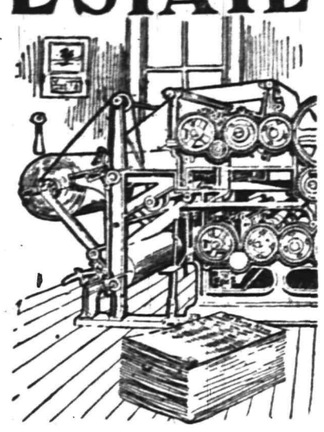
recently toured Europe and America and knows all phases of Christian Endeavor work from personal observation.

Mr. Fairbank recently graduated with the title of LL. B. from the Benton College of Law and has also passed the bar examination. He is supported in Christian Endeavor work by a splendid body of officers, and they will doubtless show to good account in the year's work that lies before them.

**A Governor's Tribute.**

Governor W. R. Stubbs of Kansas welcomed the Endeavorers to a convention at Topeka recently. In the course of his remarks he said: "I am not ashamed to tell you that I try every day to serve God. For a great part of my life I was ashamed to have people know that I prayed. One of the main things in my life every day is to know what I ought to do. I believe God answers prayer, and I am not ashamed to have it known that I ask God to tell me what to do."

# THE FOURTH ESTATE



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CHAPTER I.

> Burke said there were three estates in parliament, but in the reporters' gallery yonder there sat a Fourth Estate more important far than they all.—Carlyle.

THE silence in the managing editor's room of the Daily Advance was abruptly broken by the entrance of Ross McHenry through a private door. His eighteen years of active newspaper work in a career extending from cub reporterhood to his present important office had drilled into him the necessity, even the habit, of constant action, quick thought, keen and accurate perception and readiness for emergencies. He hastily threw off his coat, glanced at several papers laid on his desk while he was out at dinner and seated himself in his managerial chair. He wrote a few rapid words on a pad of paper at his right hand as he pushed a button with his left to summon an office boy.

"Any one here while I was gone?" McHenry queried sharply as the boy entered.

"Yes, sir. Woman whose boy was pinched wants to keep it out of th' paper. Been outside two hours. She's sittin' outside an' bawls an' bawls an' bawls."

"Tell her we're printing a newspaper and I've left for the night."

"Then there was a few phone calls. We handled 'em all 'cept th' last. He was a man named Nolan, an' he wanted ter see you."

*"What'd you tell him?"*

McHenry immediately became interested.

"What'd you tell him?" he asked, rising.

"That you was to th' theayter."

The managing editor picked up a Congressional Directory and shied it forcibly at the lad.

"Well, next time, young man, you tell him I've just stepped down to the night editor's room. Nolan; remember his name—Nolan. He's the new owner."

"Cheese it, another owner. Nobody keeps us long, do they?"

"No," respondest McHenry laconically. "Like certain other luxuries, nobody keeps us long. We're too expensive, Durkin."

The boy grinned and hurried away to summon the night editor at McHenry's command and to dispose of the "bawling" woman.

McHenry seated himself and turned to the ever ready telephone at the right hand corner of his desk.

"Hello, Miss Stowe! Get me Mr. Nolan—Mr. Michael Nolan—on the wire right away."

As the managing editor hung up the receiver Moore, the night editor, entered carrying a bundle of galley proofs in his left hand, a schedule in his right.

"Well, Moore, what have you got for part 1?" asked McHenry.

The night editor repeated rapidly in a dead flat monotonous voice:

"Thirty-five columns of ads. Telegraph editor's hollering for twenty columns. He just got a couple of nice flashes—one from Pittsburg about a man eloping with his daughter-in-law; very fine people. Another first class murder from St. Louis. Local has twenty-six scheduled, sports are very heavy, bowling, fights, checkers, and Kentucky's shut down on racing; they want two pages. We've got a tip that Morgan has the asthma. Steel will probably open soft on Monday."

McHenry took down the telephone receiver and held it expectantly at his ear. He took the proofs from Moore's hand and began looking them over. They contained important articles which had been set up, but which he had not previously seen.

"Hello, there's a live one," he suddenly exclaimed, glancing over one of

*McHenry turned to the telephone.*

the sheets. "Bill, I'd like to run that one. Senator Deering dead yet?"

"No, not yet."

The managing editor was disgusted.

"Pshaw!" he exclaimed. "I'll bet the old codger dies for the afternoon papers. We're having rotten luck lately."

The telephone rang.

"Hello! Who's this?" cried McHenry savagely. But his voice changed abruptly to its most sugary tones.

"Oh, Mr. Nolan, this is Mr. McHenry. Yes; why, the boy said I'd gone to the theater. He's new to newspaper offices. Yes, indeed. He doesn't know we newspaper men have little time for theaters—no, indeed—ha, ha! I was downstairs in the press room all the time—yes, indeed; trouble with the roller on cylinder 5 of the color press, and I happen to have a bit of a mechanical turn of mind—yes, indeed. Anything I can do for you, sir? Hope we may have the pleasure of showing you over the office—your office—pretty soon. Yes, sir. Tonight? Yes, any time. We're always here. Yes, sir. Thank you."

He hung up the receiver and reverted to his natural voice. "It's the new boss, Moore. 'S coming down tonight."

"I wonder if that means more changes?" observed the night editor as he filled his pipe.

McHenry sighed.

"Ain't a man who gets into this business a sucker?"

The night editor smiled grimly.

"Wonder what kind of a joke is this Nolan anyway?" he asked.

The night editor's brow wrinkled.

"All I know is that he's a Colorado miner with a hill of ore all his own." He glanced over the night editor's schedule. "What is this T—T—golf or politics?"

"Taft—both; golf 2 down—conference with Aldrich."

McHenry snorted.

"Gosh, the White House is dead since Teddy left!" He pointed to the schedule. "What's this? 'Baltimore, one column.'"

"Double divorce. They exchanged partners."

"Good people?"

"Not much."

"Fifty words 'll be enough. Dead heavy—stupid paper," grunted the managing editor.

McHenry rang for the boy, Durkin, and on his belated arrival sent him to summon the city editor. "What you got?" saluted McHenry as the editor arrived.

Downs, the city editor, went straight to the point.

"Are you going to use that follow up story about Judge Bartelmy throwing the Lansing Iron company into a receivership?" he queried.

*"Double divorce. They exchanged partners."*

"I dunno. Any kicks on this morning's story?"

"I should say yes — telephone going all day."

McHenry turned and pounded the desk with his fist.

"If they kicked on that they'd get our jobs on this." He pointed at the proof of the new Bartelmy story which he had taken from Moore. "All the same, the judicial ermine is getting rather soiled these days. It makes me sore to think of what they're pulling off on the federal bench. He's bad all through, that Bartelmy. Whose story is it—Brand's?"

"Yep," responded the city editor.

"By heaven, he is a newspaper man."

"That's why he won't last in this office," put in Moore sarcastically.

"Yep," supplemented the city editor.

McHenry's face took on a resigned expression as he said: "Well, we'll have to pass it up." He paused. "It's likely to be libelous."

He laid aside the proof sheet and resumed his perusal of the schedule of articles intended to be used in the next morning's paper.

"How about divorces?" McHenry asked suddenly, raising his head to the city editor.

"The Sarrup divorce is up again. Two new corespondents named." He pointed them out among the photos.

McHenry drew a few lines on one of the photos and rang for the boy. "Bring me an artist, Durkin," he ordered. The artist soon appeared.

"Here," spoke up the managing editor, "take these corespondents and run 'em with the two you had yesterday, but fix those up different. Put a hat on one and the other in low neck, and put Sarrup himself in the middle with a dado of hearts around." McHenry changed his mind. "No; make it a big question mark of cupids and the caption 'Which of These Women Does This Man Love?' Yes, and frame in his wife too. Three columns."

"Yes, sir," responded the artist, starting away with the photos.

But McHenry called him back.

"Hey!" he cried. "Make that 'Which of These Beautiful Women Does This Man Love?'"

The artist bowed in acquiescence and escaped.

McHenry took up another photograph.

"Ha, what a beauty!" he said enthusiastically. "What's she been doing?"

"She is Judith Bartelmy, the judge's daughter. She gave a reception today," answered Downs, the city editor.

"High society all there as usual, I suppose?" mused McHenry. "The Bartelmys are an old family and they've held on to some of their money. Here, Downs," he went on, "play her up for two—no, three columns. Maybe it will square it with the judge for what we did to him in the paper this morning. You explain to an artist."

"All right."

"The new boss, Nolan, is coming down to look us over tonight," added McHenry.

"Wonder where we'll all be working next week?" was the city editor's reply over his shoulder as he quickly made his exit.

The boy came in and laid a card on the managing editor's desk.

"Miss Judith Bartelmy!" exclaimed McHenry as he glanced at it. "Well, what do you think of that, Moore?"

"It's a kick sure, and"—

"By the way," interjected McHenry deliberately, "this girl, Judith Bartelmy, isn't she engaged to Wheeler Brand?"

"Seems to me I've heard something of the sort," assented Moore vaguely.

"Well, same here, and Brand wrote that story this morning showing up her father, the judge, as a trickster of the worst, most dangerous sort. Now the girl comes to this office—probably to defend her dad. Say, Moore"—the managing editor was becoming excited—"things are getting warm around here. Brand certainly had his nerve with him to hand such a roast to his prospective father-in-law."

McHenry turned abruptly to one side and reached for his coat, which he quickly donned.

"Show her in," he called to the boy.

Moore hastily retreated from the room as Judith Bartelmy entered, leaving the judge's daughter alone with the managing editor. McHenry had long flattered himself that he had met many attractive women in his time, but as he rose to meet Judith Bartelmy and surveyed this fashionably gowned young woman he made a mental note that she surpassed them all. Her blond features were of distinctly patrician cast. Her blue eyes had the magnetic qualities so envied by the many less fortunate women, and the pure whiteness of her finely curved chin and neck was advantageously revealed by the low cut collar of her princess gown of wine colored silk which clung to a figure that celebrated artists had pronounced unusual in its symmetry.

"I desire to complain about the article attacking my father this morning," the girl began.

"Yes?" answered McHenry.

"I wish an apology for it."

"Is this a message from your father?"

"That's not the point. This is the first time in his life that any one has ventured to question his honor. The article is false, and I think your paper should apologize for it immediately."

"Before saying as to that," returned the managing editor, "I should have to refer the matter to the new proprietor, Mr. Nolan. You know it is not customary for a newspaper to take back what it says."

The judge's daughter raised her eyebrows in surprise as she drew close to McHenry's desk, where he had resumed his seat.

"I should think you'd have a good many lawsuits," she suggested.

"Oh, no; not many. We go up to the line, but we try not to step over it." He picked up several newspapers from his desk. "For instance"—scanning the papers—"I don't think your father will feel inclined to sue us." He rose as if to end the interview.

Judith, however, was not to be thus disposed of.

"I don't want to detain you," she remarked, "but I should like to ask you who was responsible for that article." She seated herself in a chair which McHenry indicated.

"We never tell the name of our writers," answered the managing editor.

Her father had diplomatically suggested to her that Wheeler Brand might have written the story. This she found difficult to believe. But she must be convinced, and one of her motives in visiting the newspaper had been to ask him—to ask him to tell her that he was not the author of the new attack on her father. She must see him and learn the truth from his lips alone.

"Is Mr. Brand in the office now?" she asked.

"Yes, I think so."

"Would it be possible for me to see him?"

"Why, yes, if you wish. I'll send for him."

McHenry summoned the boy and told him to "ask Mr. Brand to come in."

"We've noticed"—she hesitated—"all his friends have noticed that he's becoming very radical lately." Judith rose from the chair and stepped nervously toward the editor's desk.

"Oh," he laughed, "they all get that when they're young, like the measles."

"And that's something they all get over, isn't it?" she asked eagerly.

"Yes," responded McHenry, stirring as though to leave the room.

Judith stepped squarely in front of his desk.

"But I don't want to disturb you. Can't I go to his office?"

"He hasn't got any office, and they're all bunched in the local room in their shirt sleeves smoking. You wouldn't like it. We haven't a reception room." McHenry laughed as he spoke.

In his shirt sleeves, rolled to his elbows, with quick steps and squared shoulders, Wheeler Brand, one of the ablest men on the city staff of the Advance, strode into the office of the managing editor through the door leading from the city and telegraph rooms.

"Yes, sir," he greeted McHenry. Then he stopped short both in his steps and in his speech. He had caught sight of the managing editor's visitor. "Why, Judith!" he gasped. "What in heaven's name are you doing here? I"— At this point words failed him, and he stood staring at her, with his breast heaving violently as the result of his surprise.

The girl was also deeply disturbed in spite of her previous knowledge that she was to be confronted by the man she loved.

McHenry thought that the moment had arrived when his presence was no longer necessary.

"Miss Bartelmy has asked to see you for a few minutes," he said, rising and starting toward a door. "You may talk here." A handful of proof sheets rustled in his grasp as he disappeared.

Wheeler Brand started toward the girl.

"Is there anything the matter?" he queried anxiously.

She hesitated before answering. Then she spoke determinedly.

"Yes; two things. First, you did not come to my reception the afternoon; secondly, there is that article about father this morning."

"I couldn't get off from the office to attend the reception, and I am awfully sorry," he protested. "But as for the story about your father—well, did he send you here?"

"No, he didn't send me. But I couldn't help seeing how disturbed he was, and"—

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E. H. Cuthbert Company, Atlantic City; capital, $10,000; incorporators, Herbert J. Cuthbert, Edna Nebinger and Edwin H. Cuthbert; to deal in real estate.

Novelties Development Company, Newark; capital, $100,000; incorporators, Isaac B. Kilburn, Harry H. Poole and Roland D. Crocker; to manufacture novelties.

Provincial Lumber Company, Cranford; capital, $25,000; incorporators, Charles L. Bell, J. Bernard Bell and Edith A. Shaw; to deal in lumber and timber.

Real Estate and Search Company, Cape May Court House; capital, $20,000; incorporators, William H. Bright, Julius Way and John Sayrs; to deal in real estate.

Lesco Realty and Construction Company, Jersey City; capital, $5,000; incorporators, Harry Osterman, Samuel Osterman and Joseph Steinberg; to deal in real estate and engage as builders, contractors, etc.

Markowsky Inventions Company, Newark; capital, $50,000; incorporators, W. M. Brown, H. C. Bescher and Alfred Markowsky; to manufacture automobiles, motor vehicles, mechanical devices, etc.

Rosenbaum & Co., Jersey City; capital, $20,000; incorporators, H. O. Coughlan, S. A. Anderson and John R. Turner; to deal as dry goods merchants, cloth manufacturers, furriers, etc.

Clinton Hill Construction Company, Irvington; capital, $100,000. Incorporators, John T. Castles, Jr., John R. Franke and Charles Weidenbacher. To deal in real estate and engage as builders, contractors, etc.

The Ellor Hartley Company, East Orange; capital, $50,000; incorporators, William Ellor, Walter Ellor and Edwin L. Ellor; to manufacture hats.

E. N. Little's Sons, West Hoboken; capital, $3,000; incorporators, John N. Little, George F. Little and Edward N. Little. To engage as painters and signmakers.

Franco-American Importing Company, Jersey City; capital, $25,000; incorporators, James C. Malone, Fred W. Gaffney and Emil Gribeschock; to deal in the dressing of hides, skins and wool.

The Franklin Press Printing Company, Perth Amboy; capital, $5,000; incorporators, Louis Nanassy, Ladislaw Szabo and Stephen Osepke; to print, publish, etc.

Riverside Steel Spring Company, Riverside; capital, $20,000; incorporators, Harvey J. Mitchell, Louis J. Berkholz and Henry Walter; to manufacture iron and steel products.

St. Luke's Realty Company, Montclair; capital, $250,000; incorporators, Charles Whiting Baker, Benjamin V. Harrison and Michael M. LeBrun; to deal in real estate and engage as builders, contractors, etc.

## HOBOKEN ELKS COMING TO BOWL TONIGHT.

Hoboken Elks' bowling teams, leaders in the Elks League, are due to hit town tonight to engage in a series on Campbell's alleys and a lively session is anticipated by local Elks. In the first place there is sure to be a battle royal for supremacy on the alleys and then the local Elks will extend a hand of central New Jersey hospitality to the Hudson county aggregation.

Johnny Campbell expects an overflow audience and has arranged to accommodate a big crowd on the alleys.

# KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS DOWNS PUBLIC SERVICE

Little trouble was experienced by the Knights of Columbus quintet in making a clean sweep over the Public Service five in a Fraternal League series on Campbell's alleys last night. Blatz and Campbell carried off the honors for the winners, the former averaging 207.1 and Campbell 204. The K. of C. pin knights totaled 2,846 pins to the trolleymen's 2,388, a majority of 458. The scores:

| Knights of Columbus. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Blatz | 221 | 187 | 214 |
| O'Keefe | 189 | 179 | 186 |
| Taylor | 179 | 175 | 173 |
| Shannon | 186 | 151 | 184 |
| Campbell | 204 | 195 | 213 |
| Totals | 979 | 897 | 970 |
| **Public Service.** | | | |
| Mullin | 166 | 161 | 169 |
| A. Causbrook | 116 | 132 | 167 |
| Conklin | 145 | 1b2 | 190 |
| Terry | 167 | 180 | 157 |
| Britton | 157 | 161 | 178 |
| Totals | 751 | 776 | 861 |

# PLAINFIELD HIGH 94, SOMERVILLE HIGH 4

The Plainfield High School basketball team defeated the Somerville High School five yesterday afternoon in the local gymnasium, by a score of 94 to 4. It was a complete walkover for the local boys and made a good practice game. The Somervillians were too light, and seemed to be all out of practice.

Doane did the best work for P. H. S., putting up a splendid game and scoring most of the points. Morris also did good work, being second in the number of points scored. In the first half P. H. S. did not show up well, but in the last half they tried to make the score as near one hundred as possible. The line-up:

P. H. S.—Forwards, Clark, Manley, Woodhull; centre, Morris; guards, Doane, Overton.

Somerville H. S.—Forwards, Davenport, Brunt; centre, Garretson; guards, Morton, McCullough, Bolby.

Goals were made as follows: Doane, 16 field and 9 foul; Morris, 13 field; Clark, 3 field; Overton, 6 field; Manley, 2 field; Woodhull, 2 field; Brunt, 1 field and 2 foul. Time of halves, twenty minutes; referee, Lidgate.

## HOPE JUNIORS TAKE ANOTHER CONTEST

The Hope chapel junior basketball team deefated the Social five last night by the score of 44 to 11. The Hopes gained a big advantage in the first half by registering a lead of fifteen points. The Socials made several changes in their lineup, but they were unable to overhaul the west enders. The lineups:

Hope Juniors—T. and J. Heron, forwards; W. Brown, center; C. Nicholson, G. Leighs, guards. Social five—McNamee, Ball and Weber, forwards; Grisley, center; Manley, Moulton, Champlain, guards. Referee, J. Porter; umpire, Weber.

## DEMOCRATS STILL IN RAHWAY JOBS.

The State civil service commissioners, who met Tuesday in Trenton, when it was expected they would officially classify the Rahway officials under municipal civil service, reopened the case and heard arguments as presented by former Councilman Reuben Tharp, former City Attorney Fred C. Hyer and others, after which the commissioners completely reversed their former decision as given in Rahway Friday last.

At that meeting they placed on the unclassified list all of the city officials excepting a few of the minor officers and the chief of the fire department. Tuesday they placed on the classified list nearly all the city officers.

The commissioners deferred submitting their official decision for one week, giving as a reason that they expected the courts to give an important decision which would have an important bearing on the act in the meantime.

The reversing by the commissioners of their former decision causes the Democrats, who are holding fast to the offices, to feel much elated, while the Republicans, who expected to take hold of the jobs yesterday, are dejected.

Miss Nellie Jones, of Bayonne, has returned home after a visit with friends in this city.

# JOURNALISTIC OPINIONS

**The Health of Urban New Jersey.**

We confess to being puzzled as well as interested by an analysis which Mr. James Owen has made of the last report of the State Board of Health in New Jersey as it relates to the urban population. The subject is one of concern not only to the majority that earn a livelihood within the State and pass their days there, but to the commuting population; not only to medical men, but to laymen. Local pride is involved, and with easier acess to New Jersey by the Hudson tunnels it is of the utmost importance that local pride should feel a stimulus to sanitary improvement in instances where the health statistics seem to reflect upon the government of a town. New Jersey's population is urban for the most part. We believe that in no other State are there so many dwellers in cities or towns in proportion to the whole number of inhabitants. Therefore if Mr. Owen deals mainly with urban statistics the explanation is obvious. In the State at large there has been a reduction of 2.3 per thousand in the death rate during the last twenty-nine years, or from 18.73 to 16.37. A table that will set rival cities exulting or explaining he reproduces:

| City or Town. | Population. | No. of Deaths. | R. per 1,000 |
|---|---|---|---|
| East Orange | 26,643 | 297 | 11.15 |
| Bloomfield | 12,468 | 145 | 11.63 |
| West Hoboken | 31,477 | 371 | 11.79 |
| Perth Amboy | 29,173 | 399 | 13.68 |
| Millville | 12,402 | 174 | 14.00 |
| Kearny | 14,683 | 213 | 14.50 |
| Paterson | 114,072 | 1,839 | 16.12 |
| Town of Union | 17,732 | 291 | 16.46 |
| Bayonne | 46,078 | 763 | 16.56 |
| Montclair | 17,333 | 291 | 16.79 |
| Atlantic City | 41,495 | 699 | 16.85 |
| Camden | 86,334 | 1,506 | 17.44 |
| Bridgeton | 13,508 | 239 | 17.69 |
| Plainfield | 19,709 | 358 | 18.01 |
| Trenton | 88,529 | 1,599 | 18.06 |
| Hackensack | 11,760 | 218 | 18.54 |
| Long Branch | 15,493 | 288 | 18.59 |
| Elizabeth | 63,861 | 1,194 | 18.70 |
| Orange | 26,885 | 513 | 19.08 |
| Newark | 298,177 | 5,736 | 19.11 |
| New Brunswick | 24,384 | 468 | 19.19 |
| Jersey City | 243,205 | 4,723 | 19.24 |
| Harrison | 13,714 | 264 | 19.25 |
| Passac City | 41,861 | 808 | 19.30 |
| Morristown | 12,498 | 281 | 22.49 |
| Hoboken | 67,910 | 1,556 | 22.91 |

To those familiar with their location, topography and character of government some of these places seem to occupy the position in the list they deserve. But as the report of the State Board of Health is unread except by proofreaders, doctors, undertakers and sanitary experts, it will excite surprise that detached, remote and mountain Morristown should be, according to these statistics, the unhealthiest town in the State except Hoboken proper. West Hoboken is not a bad third as a health resort to East Orange, where Governor Fort lives, and Bloomfield, which should be salubrious if there is anything in a name. Why East Orange should be at the top and Orange in the ruck we leave to their public spirited citizens, including the real estate interests, to settle. Mr. Owen has a suggestion that might pour oil on the controversy. He has noted that in Montclair, which as a select and superior community should at least be bracketed with East Orange for salubrity, a report of the local health officer shows that 49 non-residents died in the Montclair hospitals, and he suggests that if these were not included Montclair's death rate would be 11.81 per thousand. The same explanation, we presume, could be offered in behalf of Morristown, Orange, Plainfield, Elizabeth and New Brunswick, in all of which there are public hospitals. But the trouble with the explanation is that it may act as a soporific upon health authorities that should bestir themselves to make a better showing in the next annual report.

When Perth Amboy (13.68) and New Brunswick (19.19), both on the Raritan and both manufacturing places, are so wide apart in their death rates, as are those suburbs of of Newark, Kearny (14.50) and Harrison (19.25), the health experts ought to be able to put their fingers upon some salient cause of the difference. In the case of Passaic, far down on the list, we should say that to the ever fetid and repulsive river that flows sluggishly through the town might be attributed its insalubrity in part. Newark also suffers from the same black infection. A study of the components of population in the large cities should disclose reasons for their high death rate. In 1900 Newark had 246,070 people, of whom 71,400 were foreign born and 6,700 were negroes. In Trenton, Jersey City, Elizabeth and Passaic there was and is a considerable proportion of foreign born and negroes. Considering the slums in which many of them live, the nature of their labor, their necessities and their habits, it is not surprising that they contribute largely to the death rate. But eternal vigilance on the part of health officers is the price of of hygenic excellence, and we have no desire to help authorities remiss in their duties over a stile.—New York Sun.

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William M. Smith, of Elmwood place, has been visiting his sister at Orange.

# URGING TRADE SCHOOLS FOR NEW JERSEY'S GOOD

Simultaneously with the appearance in both branches of the Legislature of the report of the State commission to investigate the subject of industrial education, Senator John D. Prince, of Passaic county, introduced a bill to carry out the commission's recommendation that that body be made permanent. The report, as submitted over the signatures of President George R. Rowe, of Essex, and his associates, says in part:

"Statistics show that of every twenty pupils who enter the elementary grades of the public schools nineteen leave permanently before or at the age of 14; in other words, 95 per cent. It is to this large number starting out in life with but an elementary education that the State should lend its aid in order to make them proficient in the work which they set out to do.

"When a boy reaches the age of 14 or 16, economic conditions usually compel him to go to work, either to support himself or to assist in the support of his family. He is not mature enough to make a selection of the occupation which he expects to follow through life, and tries one thing after another until he locates in some calling which he seems best adapted for. If he enters a trade, it is but a short time before he realizes that there is no place or method by which he can secure the supplemental education necessary to make him a skilled workman. This lack of opportunity no doubt prevents many boys from undertaking a trade, and its importance is now recognized by those who have given any thought to the subject.

"From the investigation and study of the subject by the commission it is convinced that the best results at the outset will be obtained by establishinbg evening schools for industrial education in the various communities of the State, under local boards of trustees appointed by the chief executive of the municipalities. These schools must offer special courses of instruction for the different industries. The boards of trustees should be made up largely, if not wholly, of those interested in industrial pursuits.

"The law of 1881 now provides for State aid schools for industrial training, but what is lacking is a comprehensive basis on which to establish the schools, and on which to provide for proper textbooks and instructors.

"The commission believes that one of the greatest benefits to be derived from the better education of those employed in the industries will be a solution of the labor problem, which at times has caused so much disagreement and hard feeling between the employers and employees. A well educated and skilled mechanic is the one least apt to make trouble, or to join in a movement against the best interests of his employer and fellow workmen."

Labor organizations will not take kindly to the last statement, which, while ambiguous, is not regarded as very friendly.

The Commissioners state that they bore personally part of the expense of their work in 1908, and, because the Legislature made no appropriation last year, all of the expense during 1909. In his message Governor Fort praised the report highly. On the commission with President Howe are William A. Bainbridge, John A. Ferguson and Frederick W. Roebling, Jr.

Another report submitted yesterday is that of the commission which had charge of the erection of a battle monument at Salem Church and battle tablet at Spottsylvania Court House, in Virginia, commemorating the heroism of the Fifteenth New Jersey Volunteer Infantry in battles there during the Civil War. Former United States Senator John F. Dryden is the head of that commission.

## P. H. S. NOTES.

The board of directors of the Athletic Association held a meeting yesterday afternoon and passed a law permitting all second team players to wear their letter "P" with the Roman numerical "two" after it.

The second team will play the second team of the North Plainfield High this afternoon.

Committees of the four classes held a meeting this afternoon and decided that every Friday afternoon small entertainments will be held in the auditorium. Games will be played and sketches and speeches will be given.

**At Proctor's.**

"The Silk Stocking," a comedy playlet, is being presented at Proctor's theatre this week by Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth and it made a decided hit today. Alice Davenport & Co. present an original dramatic playlet entitled "Now." Mrs. Davenport is a sister-in-law of the late Fanny Davenport and is supported by her youngest daughter, who is clever. The sketch is from real life. West & Volkes are a pair of funny German comedians, who can produce a real laugh. John Marion and Grace Lillian, singers and dancers, are a pair of celever entertainers. Don't fail to see the films d'art.


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NUMEROUS SMALL CLAIMS.

Creditors Did Not Know That Couple Were Removing to Denver, Colo., Leaving Unpaid Bills.

Attachments for a tax bill amounting to $15 and other bills aggregating $210.71, were sufficient to stop the removal on Wednesday of household goods belonging to Wallace P. Bache, formerly of North Plainfield, but more recently of 141 East Ninth street. Mr. and Mrs. Bache left town on Wednesday for Kansas City, where he is to take the position of general superintendent of the Union Stock Yards, it is said. The same day the household goods were placed in a box car at the freight station for removal to Kansas City.

Various creditors got word of the proposed sudden departure and through counsel got busy and placed an attachment on the goods. The action was taken in the District court. In addition to the attachment for a tax bill amounting to $15, seven other creditors took action. Their names as well as that of counsel and amount attached for follows:

Wadley & Goodenough, coal dealers, $12; Plainfield Cleaning Pressing Company, Robert Newton Crane; Gorham Manufacturing Company, of New York, $10, Harry C. Runyon; Frank Brothers, of New York, shoe dealers, $85.50; W. W. Warnock, baker, $15.91; A. H. Enander, plumber, $64.50; George I. Forgerson, butter and egg merchant, $13.80, V. W. Nash, Jr.

The bill that started all the trouble is said to be that of the Plainfield Cleaning and Pressing Company for $9, and it is said, that if that amount had been paid, Mr. Bache would probably have had no trouble in getting his goods out of the city. It is also understood that the rent for the house remains unpaid.

Martin B. Stutsman represents Mr. Bache, and it was said today that probably a check would be received soon to liquidate the entire indebtedness.

## GRAND JURY HOLDS FAREWELL BANQUET

The dinner of the Union county Grand Jury for the January term was held last night in the Barkely Hotel in Broad street, Elizabeth. Robert B. Cissel, of Elizabeth, the foreman, presided. He made an address thanking the members for their careful and thorough consideration of the cases brought before them during the term. The jury completed its labors yesterday afternoon. Other speakers were Judge Edward S. Atwater, Prosecutor C. Addison Swift, Sheriff Robert J. Korkland.

The members of the Grand Jury are: Robert B. Cissel, foreman; Richard T. Potts, the Rev. Otis A. Glazebrook, John P. Weber, James C. Kellogg, Sidney M. Williams, Thomas M. Clark, Palmer H. Charlock, Edward L. Tillou, Edward S. Hersh, John E. Keron, Charles E. Hand, Ralph I. Tolles, B. Frank Coriell, Stanley W. Jones, Lester La Rorge, Chester M. Smith, Eugene C. Pierson, Emor K. Adams, James E. Johnson, Rosswell S. Nichols, Dennis C. Long, Benjamin King.

Robert L. Eaton was the Grand Jury clerk.

### MICHAEL G. ISENMANN, BANK PAY TELLER, DEAD.

Michael G. Isenmann, of 1,001 West Front street, died yesterday after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Isenmann was thirty-six years of age and had resided here for two years. He was a paying teller of the Park National Bank, New York.

Surviving Mr. Isenmann are a wife and brother, William Isenmann, who resides in this city. The funeral service will be conducted at his late home tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

**Seats for "The Yankee Prince."**

Manager Sanderson, of the Plainfield theatre, wishes to state that owing the unusual demand for seats, "The Yankee Prince," which comes to the Plainfield theatre February 2, under no circumstances will any seats be held after January 31. All reservations for seats by mail must be accompanied by check and will be filled in the order received. The curtain will rise promptly at 8:15 and Manager Sanderson requests all those intending to witness the performance be ready by the above time.

—Great laymen's meeting tonight in First M. E. church, 8 p. m. ***

## SANG GOOD OLD SONGS

### Joseph Mc Intyre's Concert Heard by an Appreciative Audience.

THE ENCORES WERE FREQUENT.

Mrs. Goold, Miss Hussey, Dr. Dufft, Mme. David and Mr. McIntyre the Artists— The Program.

Never was there a better illustration of the popularity of old melodies than the enthusiasm evoked at the Old Favorite Song concert, given last night under the auspices of Joseph McIntyre at the High School auditorium. Encore after encore greeted the four artists, who in their repertoire included those old songs which we asociate with our earliest childhood, and which like old wine, seemingly improves with age. It was a brilliant, fashionable and appreciative audience which assembled at the pretty auditorium and throwing off that restraint so much in vogue among smart folk of today, entered so thoroughly into the zest of the songfest that the artists and their critics were soon in perfect harmony.

Two artists new to Plainfield made their debut here last night, Miss Ada Hussey, contralto, and Mme. David, harpist, added fresh laurels to their wreaths and each was accorded a warm welcome and assured of a cordial greeting should they consent to pay us a return visit. Mrs. Edith Chapman Goold, soprano; Mr. John Young, tenor, and Dr. Carl Dufft, baritone, all have been heard here before and all three are prime favorites. Each was in splendid voice and then too, the songs they selected appealed strangely to their audience.

The first number, a quartet, "Come Where My Love Lies Dreaming," was splendidly rendered, and in consequence vociferiously encored. Mrs. Goold was the first soloist of the evening and all of her songs were exquisitely sung. Both Kathleen Mavourneen and Robin Adair brought forth thunderous applause, and it was difficult to judge which was the more popular.

The duet, "Beware, Beware, She's Fooling Thee," sung by Mr. Young and Dr. Dufft, was immensely popular, and proved a splendid medium for demonstrating the tone worth of these two finished artists.

Miss Hussey's group of three songs followed and the reception accorded each must have been gratifying to this artist, who has won so many plaudits in the larger cities of the east and west. Mme. David came next on the program and she too played with a brilliance of execution that won for her round after round of hearty applause.

Mr. Young sang quite as delightfully as of yore, and that he is firmly established in the affections of Plainfield's musical vistories was attested by the reception accorded him.

In the opinion of many no musical season in Plainfield is complete without one or more appearances here of Dr. Dufft. Last night this most sterling artists was in capital voice, and two of the group of three songs he sang, "Beware, of All Those Endowing Young Charms," and "Heart Bowed Down" alone were worth the price of admission. Mrs. Goold and Miss Hussey in their duet, "See the Pale Moon," sang charmingly and the "Good Night," quartet from Martha, was a fitting climax to a delightful evening in harmony's realm. The program follows:

### SCANDINAVIAN SOCIAL CLUB GIVES TWELFTH ANNUAL DANCE

The twelfth annual masquerade ball of the Scandinavian Social club was held last night in the Coward Hall on Park avenue. There were about seventy-five couples present. The costumes worn were cleverly gotten up preventing recognition. Dancing was continued until a late hour this morning. There were guests from New York, Newark, Orange, Cranford, Westfield, Elizabeth, Bayonne and this city.

During an intermission at midnight supper was served. Christian Hove was chairman of the committee in charge, assisted by Benjamin Hansen, Alfred Jensen, Christian Ramussen, A. Wetrub and Charles Madsen.

**Will Open Branch Office Here.**

Messrs. W. A. Macdonald & Co., the well-known New York brokerage firm, has opened a branch office in the Codington building, at 102 West Second street, opposite the Plainfield Trust Company, for the purpose of trading in stocks, bonds, grain and cotton on the Consolidated Stock Exchange, of New York. John C. Thom will be the manager of the local branch.

—Great laymen's meeting tonight in First M. E. church, 8 p. m. ***

## FORM BOARD OF TRADE

### Frank R. Wynkoop Elected of Dunellen's New Civic Body.

STARTS WITH 126 MEMBERS.

Mayor Sanford, President Jeffery and Others Give Advice—The Officers Are Chosen.

Dunellen's board of trade was organized last night under the most auspicious conditions. The board starts out with an enrollment of 126 members which is 7 per cent. of the population of that borough. Assisting in the organization were President William Jeffery, J. V. E. Vanderhoef, George N. Christian and Professor A. S. Herr, of the Plainfield Board of Trade.

President Jeffery made a big hit in his speech to the Dunellenites and he was repeatedly interrupted by rounds of applause. One member of the board who occupied a seat in the rear of the hall became so enthused while Mr. Jeffery was making his address that he shouted: "You're O. K. Jeff, we'll have you for a governor some day."

The chief point in Mr. Jeffery's address was his advice to keep politics out of the organization. "If you will eliminate politics entirely, you are sure to achieve wonderful success," said Mr. Jeffery. The speaker also touched on a number of needed improvements in the municipality in which he declared the organization would be in position to demand. The remarks of Messrs. Vanderhoef, Christian and Herr were also enthusiastically received.

Mayor W. A. Sanford delivered a practical talk in which he predicted that the board is bound to flourish. He also declared that Dunellen is on the boom and that the population will be doubled in the course of a few years.

Frank R. Wynkoop, who acted as chairman of the meeting, was unanimously electer president of the organization. Mayor Sanford was nominated but he declined. The other officers selected were A. S. Todd, Jr., vice president; Dr. Thomas Hogan, vice president; Wilson S. Frederick, treasurer; executive committee, John H. L. Peters, George T. Schenck, Paul Reusch, Henry S. Garretson, S. D. Baerman. Auxiliary committees will be selected by the executive committee and announced at the next meeting. The regular meetings of the organization will be held on the last Thursday of each month.

## COUNTY W.C.T.U. ATTACK TEMPERANCE TEXT BOOK

The Union County W. C. T. U. executive meeting was held yesterday at the home of Mrs. Edward Wheeler, of Prospect street, Elizabeth, when several matters of considerable interest was taken up. A book entitled "A Text Book of True Temperance," distributed by a brewery company, was presented for inspection by Mrs. Peter H. Bennett, of this city, and received the condemnation of the women.

The spring institute will be held at Westfield in April, when among other topics to be discussed will be that of "Suffrage," "Scientific Temperance Instruction," and the "Loyal Temperance Legion," with a matrons' silver medal contest in the evening.

Mrs. T. H. Tomlinson reported a new union for Plainfield, and that an L. T. L. will be organized at Cranford on February 4. Judge Vail was commended for recent saloon restrictions and Senators Kean and Briggs are to receive petitions favoring reform measures. The White Ribbon News, of New Jersey, a paper recently started by the State organization, was given attention and subscriptions were received.

**C. H. Eldridge Loses Finger.**

Charles H. Eldridge, of South avenue, who is employed by the Baird Company, manufacturers of surgical instruments on East Fourth street, while engaged in work on a machine finishing hyperdermic syringes, yesterday stepped on a lever which brought a clutch down on the second finger of his right hand, and bruised the first finger. He was taken to Dr. C. A. Gesswein's office, where it was found necessary to amputate the finger at the first joint.

**P. H. S. "Seconds" Win.**

The Plainfield High School second basketball team defeated the borough "seconds" yesterday in an exciting contest by the score of 35 to 31.

—Special Ritz Maple Pecan Caramels, 40c a pound. ***

## BLACK HAND SCARE SCHOOL BOYS' PRANK

Scotch Plains manages once in a while to get into the lime light and this time succeeds with a "black hand" scare. Robert Jansen, the young son of Frank Jansen, of Park avenue, was the scared one and perhaps the perpetrators of the joke, if such it was, will be glad to know that if their identity were known they would receive the punishment they deserve for perpetrating it.

Master Jansen received a note duly signed withe symbols of the black hand demanding $5 which was to be deposited in a certain spot near the Episcopal church and failing to do so was threatened with kidnapping. Robert failed to make the required deposit and is still running around as usual. The affair is considered a prank of schoolmates, but coming as it does when the blackhand are so busy in the surrounding country it takes on a serious aspect and ought not to be repeated.

## BIG MASS MEETING OF LAYMEN TONIGHT

Large delegations of laymen from the evangelical churches of Plainfield, North Plainfield, Westfield, Dunellen and Bound Brook, will attend the laymen's missionary meeting at the First M. E. church, tonight. Charles W. McCutchen will preside and addresses will be given by E. T. Colton on "Will America Evangelize Her Share of the World?" and Silas H. McBee, editor of The Churchman, will speak on "Men and Missions."

Judge William N. Runyon will lead the singing and there will be selections by a quartet comprising Arthur H. Osmun, Bertram F. Tallamy, George H. Smith and Thomas MacDonald. J. Edmund Skiff will preside at the organ. There will be no solicitation of funds at this meeting, its purpose being purely inspirational.

Mr. McBee will be entertained while in town by Mr. and Mrs. William S. Tyler, of West Eighth street, while Mr. Colton will be a guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Murray, of West Ninth street.

## ST. MARY'S ALUMNAE EUCHRE AND DANCE

Socially and financially the euchre and dance given by Mount St. Mary's Alumnae Association last night at the Park Club was a great success. Fully three hundred people were present. In the euchre preceding the dance forty-two tables were in use. The play was spirited and at the conclusion thirty-five awards were made to scorers of the greatest number of points among the men and women playing. Presents were received by Miss Ethel Hudson, Mrs. Nash, Miss Anna McCullough, Miss Anna Daley, Mrs. C. Dineen, Mrs. C. Bowlby, Miss M. A. Smith, Mrs. C. D. Pope, Mrs. W. J. Hudson, Miss Irene Duchesne, Louis Pentigill, William Hickey and others.

The dancing, however, proved to be the feature of a wholly enjoyable evening. Parubeck's orchestra furnished the music for the affair, which continued until midnight. Refreshments were served.

The committe in charge was composed of Miss Irene Duchesne, chairman; Miss Theresa Snyder and Miss Ethel Chamberlain. They were ably assisted by Miss Kathryn Reddington, Mrs. A. G. Slevin, Mrs. A. Slevin, Mrs. Hillaire Blatz, Miss Lorette Nolen, Mlle. Jaccard and Messrs. Andrew Kenney, Arthur Cannon, M. T. Moynihan, Leo Kenney and Louis De Brigard.

The dance was attended by friends from New York, Newark, Elizabeth, Somerville, Westfield, Raritan, Cranford, South Plainfield Fanwood Roselle, Bound Brook, Dunellen, Watchung and this city.

**Printers' Grand Ball Tonight.**

The first grand ball of Typographical Union, No. 399, of this city, will be held in Saengerbund Hall tonight. Great preparations for this event have been making for a long time, and a large crowd is expected. Suhr's full orchestra will furnish the music and delegations of printers and their friends are expected from Newark, Elizabeth, Rahway, Somerville and New Brunswick.

**After Delinquent Taxpayers.**

Tax Collector Brown will advertise all unpaid tax accounts on February 1. A deputy will aslo be employed to collect poll and personal taxes.

—Great laymen's meeting tonight in First M. E. church, 8 p. m. ***

## SOUGHT BY HER HUSBAND

### Mrs. Victor Lees Left Orange Two Weeks Ago to Visit Friends Here.

APPEALS TO THIS PAPER.

Mr. Lees Asks The Daily Press to Help Find His Wife, of Whom He Gives a Description.

Is Mrs. Victor Lees in Plainfield? If so, her husband, Victor Lees, of Orange, would be glad to know just where. Mrs. Lees left home on January 15 and with the understanding that she would either telephone or write of her safe arival here. But Mr. Lees has not had a word from his wife since she left home and is almost frantic.

In a letter to The Daily Press Mr. Lees says his wife is twenty-six years old, but appears to be no more than twenty. She is five feet two or three inches tall and very petite. When she left home she wore a close fitting lavender coat, black dress and cream colored silk shirt waist, a picture hat with large black ostrich plumes. She has light brown hair, small blue eyes and small features, in other words she is pretty.

Mr. Lees says she came to Plainfield to make her usual visit to some girl friends, the mother of one of whom is a widow. The widow was to have sailed for Europe last fall but was taken ill and the trip was postponed. The name of the widow is not given in the letter and the only other information about her is that she has a son and that she owned the house in which she lived until it was bought by an Italian woman (name not given) who runs a hotel or high class boarding house in New York.

"I know my wife would be with me," Mr. Lees says, "if she were free to come and she is alive. Unless some one is exerting some undue influence over her I cannot understand her absence."

The distracted husband has closed up his store and is using every means at his command to find his missing spouse and hopes that some one will recognize the description if she has been seen and notify him of the fact. The store which the couple have conducted in Orange is one of the kind patronized by school children and furnishes a comfortable living for Mr. Lees and his wife. He says they have always lived happily and there is no cause for her remaining away from home unless she is forcibly detained.

## EDWARD F. RANDOLPH, AGED 70 YEARS, DEAD

Edward F. Randolph, aged 70 years, of 1310 Park avenue, one of the best known residents and a prominent member of the Seventh-Day Baptist church, died this morning at Muhlenberg Hospital, following a short illness. His death was due to a kink in the intestines which developed a day or two ago. Mr. Randolph's wife has been ill for some time with heart trouble and her condition was reported today as being no better.

Mr. Randolph was born in this city and always lived here. He was employed at the Spicer Universal Joint Company's works on Madison avenue. He had been a member of the Seventh-Day Baptist church for many years and active in the work there. He was a man of strong Christian character and esteemed by all who knew him. He is survived by a wife and one daughter, Mrs. Frank Kellogg.

The funeral services will be held from the late home, 1310 Park avenue, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock and the relatives and friends are invited.

**Misuse of Commutation Tickets.**

The practice of loaning and hiring Central Railroad commutation and fifty-trip tickets, when discovered last summer, resulted in the issuance by the Court of Chancery, of an injunction restraining this practice. That injunction applies not only to the defendants in the suit instituted by the railroad company, but to all persons in the State of New Jersey engaging in such practice. The Central Railroad has given notice that all persons violating this injunction will be proceeded against according to law.

—Special Ritz Home-made Chocolates, 30c a pound. ***

—Great laymen's meeting tonight in First M. E. church, 8 p. m. ***

—Drs. Leonard, dentists, have removed their offices from 104 East Front to 17 Craig place, near Somerset street. *** 12 31 1m eod

## GATHERING OF M. E. FOLK

### Dinner Marks Social Union of the Three Local Congregations.

DR. CARROLL TOASTMASTER.

Speeches Made by Ministers and Laymen—One Hundred Men and Women at the Feast.

For the purpose of forming a religious social union of the members of the three local Methodist churches a banquet was held in Vincent chapel of the First M. E. church last night. More than one hundred men and women from the First M. E., Monroe Avenue and Grace M. E. churches, attended the affair and enjoyed the excellent dinner and the fine addresses afterward. The idea was suggested by Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, district superintendent of the Elizabeth district, of the Newark Conference, and that much good will result is not doubted by those present.

After two hours was spent in enjoying the dinner, the speechmaking began. Dr. H. K. Carroll, of the borough, was the toastmaster, and he made a good one. In his introductory remarks he referred to Farmer Anderson, Gardiner Shoop and Truckman Kemble and about each he made a humorous remark, in speaking of their particular field of work.

Dr. Carroll praised Methodism in general and said that he was not only proud that he had been born an American, but that he was also a Methodist, a member of a denomination that holds a wide influence throughout the world. He referred to the strength of the denomination in the city and borough, of the harmony existing among the members and of the possibilities for greater usefulness in the work for the Lord.

There were six speakers in all, the three local pastors, two laymen, S. S. Swackhamer and W. J. Conroy and Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph. The assigned topic for the evening was "What Three Things Does Our Church Need?"

Rev. Dr. C. M. Anderson, of the First M. E. church, was the first speaker. He said that it was a rather risky thing to say what three things his church was in need of. Some might turn it about and suggest "What Do the Preachers Need?"

The speaker said that every Methodist Episcopal church is a unique church, and first, it needs a positive experience of the New Birth as taught by Nicodemus and enjoyed by St. Paul. In the second place it needs a belief in the Holy Scriptures as interpreted by the twenty-five articles of religion as taught by the church, and thirdly, loyalty to the church as recorded in the Book of the Disciples. Then it will be possible for all to wear the crown and wave the palm.

In telling what three things his church needs, Pastor Shoop, of Grace church, said that his son, Hamilton, suggested arithmetic, bioglogy and geography, which thought was not so bad. The first would help one to count their blessings, the second would help one to cultivate life in the fullest, highest and best sense, and the third would give the world as a parish.

Continuing, Mr. Shoop said:

"The three things needed for the highest efficiency of Grace church, are first, we need a vital sense of personal responsibility on the part of the membership of the church. This will entail a very general throwing aside of indifference, irresponsibility and spiritual desuetude; with a glorious confederation of all the vital forces of the church for the triumph of the Kingdom of God.

"Secondly, the men of Grace church need the assurance borne in upon them that the work of the Kingdom of God is a man's job. Our women of Grace church, God bless them, are high minded, consecrated and active and loyal. But the church must have for her highest efficiency, the broad statesmanship and business acumen, the high, grand note of earnest enthusiasm, the spirit of intelligent daring and the masculine virility.

"In asking men to consecrate their powers to the work of the church we are not taking them from the manly tasks of which they are worthy, to place in their hands the distaff! No! No! The church demands men for a man's work. The church needs the rich, cultured muluality of a Paul; the bold daring and fiery fervor of a Savonarola; the Dutch determination and God-like steadfastness of a Luther; the evangelistic grace and spiritual wealth of our Father in God, John Wesley; the heroic zeal and apostolic fortitude of an Asbury. All five of these types are hiding in the men of Grace church.

"The supreme need of Grace church is the delicious vision and

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## DAVID D. SMALLEY DEAD

### Death of Well-Known Justice of the Peace Due to Bright's Disease.

IN HIS EIGHTY-THIRD YEAR.

Served Two Terms in the Legislature, Representing Somerset County—Funeral Tuesday.

David D. Smalley, one of the best known citizens in the borough, as well as Somerset county, passed away at 6:30 o'clock this morning. Death was due to Bright's disease and complications. He had been ill for nine months and was confined to his room for five weeks. The last time he appeared on the streets was on Election Day in November.

Born at Smalleytown August 1, 1827, Mr. Smalley was in his eighty-third year. He was of the fourth generation of the Smalley family that emigrated from England and settled in the Passaic Valley in about 1650. Mr. Smalley was a farmer until 1884 when he gave up his agricultural pursuits and removed to the borough where he has since resided.

In politics Mr. Smalley was a Democrat of the old school and always voted the Jeffersonian ticket. In 1871 and 1872 he was elected to the Legislature representing Somerset county in the Assembly. During his resident in the borough Mr. Smalley was justice of the peace for about fteen years. He was also a commissioner of deeds and also engaged in the real estate business.

During his career as a farmer Mr. Smalley raised hay in large quantities which he marketed in Newark. He also came from Smalleytown to this city in the early days and sold produce.

Surviving Mr. Smalley are three daughters and one son. The daughters are Mrs. Charles Major, of Jackson avenue, and the Misses Emma and Anna Smalley, of Manning avenue. The son is the Rev. David D. Smalley, of Port Jervis, New York. There are nine grandchildren. Mrs. Smalley died four years ago.

The funeral service will be held at his late home Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

## PLAINFIELDER FIGURES IN UNUSUAL ACCIDENT

Harry Le Page Heaume, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel T. Heaume, of Dunellen avenue, who is in charge of the Postal Telegraph Company's office at Rodeisa, South Africa, in a recent letter to his parents in this city, relates a collision between a train and a herd of elephants which created a lot of excitement among the passengers on the train.

The engine was derailed and the cow-catcher was all buckled and twisted back under the wheels of the locomotive as a result of the force of the collision. One large elephant became entangled in the train and did not die for two hours although several of the passengers tried to shoot the brute to death.

Mr. Heaume, who was a passenger on the train, said the collision was accompanied by a loud crash which terrorized the women on the train. The accident occurred in an elephant jungle in which the train was obliged to remain all night.

### SCOTCH PLAINS KICKS OVER TROLLEY SERVICE.

Workmen who live in Scotch Plains and work in the local shops, have complained to the Public Service Railway because the trolley car leaving there at 6:30 in the morning, going west has been discontinued, and they say they can get no satisfactory explanation from the company for its action in losing that particular trip which brought the men to Plainfield in time for the commencing of work at 7 o'clock.

The matter has been referred to the township committee and township Counsel Walter L. Redfield, Jr., has taken the question up with the railway with a view to having the trip restored or some adequate explanation given for its removel.

**Searching for Dr. Richards' Will.**

Surrogate Thomas, of New York, yesterday signed an order directing the Lincoln Safe Deposit Company, to permit George H. Richards, eldest son of Rev. Dr. William R. Richards, to examine the contents of the safe deposit box rented by the latter, to ascertain if it contains a will. If such will is found the surrogate directs that it be filed with the clerk of his court. A diligent search has been made, but no will found.

—Great laymen's meeting tonight in First M. E. church, 8 p. m. ***

Ladies' White Waists. 100 doz. of beautiful lawn waists, handsomely trimmed; this season's styles; value $1.25; sale price 75c.

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Don't fail to visit the store during the last days of this memorable clearance sale. Bargains await you the next few days.

## Final Closing Sale of Remnants Dress Goods, Silks and Wash Goods

### At Half Price and Less

Inventory day is near at hand, but before that day arrives, we will close out every short length in the store regardless of price or cost. It must be a clean sweep of everything pertaining to short lengths, broken lots and sizes.

The enormous business we've done this month naturally leaves us with an accumulation of these goods, but we have made up our minds not to inventory them. We would much prefer that you have the benefit of this quick Clearance Sale.

THESE LENGTHS VARY FROM ONE YARD UP TO A DRESS LENGTH, and consist of all kinds of materials.

We have placed them on Centre Aisle Bargain Tables, all plainly marked with length and price, so that you can make your selection easily and quickly.

There are many other excellent bargain values throughout the store that we are closing out rather than carry them over to next season.

## Slaughter Sale of Ladies' Fine Coats

Friday and Saturday.

### 100 Beautiful Coats

Manufacturers samples that we bought at our own price for cash from one of New York's leading manufacturers. These will be placed on sale during the next few days at less than half their real value. They are mostly black in all sizes from 32 to 44. Mostly all full satin lined, handsomely tailored, full length, this season's best and most fashionable models.

WE ARE ALWAYS ON THE ALERT for snaps of this kind, and we give you the benefit.

Not a coat in the lot worth less than 15.00 to 20.00, while they last

**$9.98.**

SEE SHOW WINDOW

**SALE OF SWEATERS** Men's and Boys' Sweaters, in solid grey, with blue and grey and red borders, all sizes; 1.50 Value for - - **75c**


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### SOMERVILLE.

The following officers were installed by Wadsworth Post, G. A. R., Tuesday evening by Post Commander William H. H. Wyckoff: Commander, James B. Brown; senior vice-commander, Charles A. Madison, Jr.; junior vice-commander, Colonel Wilson; quartermaster, Christopher Ehni; officer of the day, John T. Conkling; surgeon, John W. Weaver; officer of the guard, Lewis Ramsey; adjutant, William H. H. Wyckoff.

The Woman's Aid Society of the Fourth Reformed church will hold a rummage sale the first week in February. The proceeds will go toward a new parsonage.

Rev. Robert H. Middleditch, of Westfield, will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Q. Ten Eyck will start soon for Florida, where they expect to spend a month.

Mrs. A. S. Pierson, of San Francisco, is a guest of Mrs. John B. Osbourn, on Middaugh street.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Allen are spending the week in Rockport.

### RARITAN.

Cards are out for the marriage on Saturday night of George Falak and Miss Veronica Czshop. The ceremony will take place in the Slavish hall.

District Superintendent Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, of Plainfield, will preach in the Methodist church on Sunday.

Arthur V. De Hart, of Morristown, is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. William H. De Hart.

Miss Kittie Phelan will sail today for Bermuda, where she expects to remain two months.

The marriage of Edward Ryan and Miss Perlee is announced to take place February 3.

Miss Grace Mahoney, of Lehigh, Pa., has been spending a week in Raritan.

Peter McNally left on Tuesday for North Attleboro, Mass.

### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Edward Trimmer, who has been laid up since December 4 with rheumatism, shows little sign of improvement.

The child of Mr. and Mrs. Willard N. Apgar, who has been ill with scarlet fever, is convalescing.

Charles Rogers, son of Justice Rogers, who is visiting in California, is reported to be ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kuntz have removed to the Coriell house on Columbia street.

Andrew Hazlin has been serving as interpreter in the Somerset County Court.

J. Y. Wilson has returned from Alfred, where he has been visiting relatives.

Mrs. Joseph E. Kelley has returned from a visit to Harrisburg.

Mrs. G. H. Gardner is out again after an attack of illness.

Miss Virgina Grant has returned from a visit to Newark.

Mrs. A. N. Randolph has recovered from a slight illness.

### PLAINFIELD AND FANWOOD.

The Bachelors' Club is striving hard to make the fourth of its series of dances, which will be held Tuesday night, even more successful than its predecessors. Invitations must be presented at the door. The club is obliged to do this as a matter of protection, the dances having become so popular that the floor was overcrowded at the last one.

Fred Clark, who is ill with pneumonia at the home of his uncle, David R. Clark, at Newark, is reported as being somewhat improved.

Mrs. Frank Hosinger, who has been quite ill for a week, is reported as being somewhat improved.

Mrs. M. A. Corrona, of Stanbury avenue, has returned from a visit with relatives in New York.

Twilight Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., held its semi-monthly meeting last night in the Library rooms.

The Town Committee meet in the town rooms tonight at 8 o'clock.

### SOUTH PLAINFIELD.

The game scheduled for Saturday between the local club and the New Market hockey club will probably be cancelled on account of the condition of the ice.

Mrs. George Fedock, who has been critically ill for the past week, is now slightly improved.

Miss Nellie Ryno has returned home after a short visit with Plainfield friends.

Miss Theresa Blundetto visited friends in Plainfield yesterday.

Mrs. John Conners visited relatives in Plainfield yesterday.

### CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church is planning to hold a social and entertainment next week.

The Young People's Association of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church will meet tonight in the church parlors for mission study.

The fourth quarterly conference of the First M. E. church will be held in Vincent chapel Wednesday night, February 2, after the prayer-meeting.

The Junior League of the First M. E. church, will meet in Vincent chapel, this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock when an attractive program will be offered.

There will be a rally of Plainfield Group No. 4, Epworth League, in the First M. E. church Thursday night, February 3, with interesting speeches.

### TEACHES SCHOOL IN THE HALLWAYS.

Bayonne, Jan. 28.—Because of the overcrowded condition of the building, many High School pupils are on part time. Classes are being held in the hallways and on the stairways leading from one floor to another. There are accommodations for 305 pupils, but about 100 more are registered. With the February graduating classes the number of pupils in the High School will be increased by seventy. The classes will then be divided into two sections and every hall and corridor used as classrooms and study halls.

The new High School was built to relieve these conditions, but because of a strike of the steam fitters there is no telling when the building will be ready for occupancy. It was to have been finished February 1. This is now impossible, as no work is being done on the heating apparatus.

The steam fitters demand an increase in wages from $5.50 to $6 a day. There is talk of the plumbers joining in the strike.

—D. D. Denny, of Fairview avenue, has gone on a Western business trip.

—The Common Council will hold its next regular meeting on Monday night, February 7.

## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms, apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—1909 Pope Hartford touring car; fully equipped. Laing Machine Auto Repair Co. 1 27 3

FOR SALE—Family cow; fresh. 117 Jackson avenue, borough. 1 27 3

**FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf**

HORSE for sale; bargain; young, sound. 1020 Arlington Ave. 1 26 3

**OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf**

**NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf**

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

GOOD accommodations, low rates. Stover's Hotel, 97 Somerset St.

THE WALDORF, 132 134 Crescent avenue, rooms et suite with bath, also double and single rooms, table board, service first class. 1 2

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

FURNISHED rooms high and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Money to Loan.

**MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 tf**

**MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf**

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

$2,000 TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Address 25, care Press. 1 22 6

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

**MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf**

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

**$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf**

**TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf**

LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail. tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

## Classified Advertisements

### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

**BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf**

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

**BABIES crochet sacques for sale, all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf**

**P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer, sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf**

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 197 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. tf

**Other Classified Ads. on Page 5.**


## REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE Fidelity Trust Company

NEWARK, N. J.

At the Close of Business, December 31st, 1909

### RESOURCES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Bonds and Mortgages | | $ 1,829,761 09 |
| Stocks and Bonds (Book value) | | 16,040,734 25 |
| Loans on Collaterals | | 8,058,151 85 |
| Loans to Cities and Towns | | 351,034 24 |
| Overdrafts | | 106 26 |
| Real Estate | | 35,108 40 |
| Cash Deposited in Banks, etc | | 1,995,794 30 |
| Cash on Hand | | 420,486 76 |
| Title Plant | | 142,026 73 |
| Other Assets | | 346,213 57 |
| | | $29,225,447 45 |

### LIABILITIES

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Capital Stock Paid in | | $ 2,000,000 00 |
| Surplus Fund | | 7,000,000 00 |
| Undivided Profits (net) | | 678,649 79 |
| Deposits. | | |
| Commercial Dept. | $13,245,826 11 | |
| Savings Dept. | 3,620,252 28 | |
| Of Other Banks and Trust Companies | 2,236,912 12 | |
| Certified Checks | 5,808 97 | |
| | | 19,108,799 48 |
| Bonds Outstanding | | 200,000 00 |
| Other Liabilities | | 237,998 18 |
| | | $29,225,447 45 |

Stocks and Bonds at Market Value, $16,879,461 05.

### OFFICERS

UZAL H. McCARTER, President.
JOHN F. DRYDEN, Vice-President.
ANTHONY R. KUSER, 2nd Vice-President.
FREDERICK W. EGNER, 3rd Vice-President.
SAMUEL W. BELDON, General Counsel.
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PAUL C. DOWNING, Asst. Secretary and Asst. Treasurer.
EDW. A. PRUDEN, Asst. Secretary and Asst. Treasurer.
JEROME TAYLOR, Trust Officer.
THEODORE HAMPSON, Asst. Trust Officer.

STORE CLOSES DAILY 5:30 P. M.; SATURDAYS 10 P. M.

# L. S. Plaut & Co.

"BEE HIVE." New Jersey's Shopping Centre. NEWARK.

## Some of the Best Features of the January Sale Come at the End.

### The Sale Positively Ends Monday Night

From among the numerous ones on sale tomorrow, we have selected the following:

### The Climax Offering of Women's Tail'd Suits

at **$9.75, $12.75 and $15.75,** which in many instances cost considerably more at wholesale; the majority of these suits are brand new.

### Balance of Our Fur Sale at 1/4 Off

You can go through our entire fur stock and select whatever you want now at an actual discount of 25 per cent from the marked price.

### Girls' New Spring Wash Dresses

**Priced Lower Than They Will Be Later in the Season.**
A big lot of New Styles in Girls' Wash Dresses at **$1.00.**
A big lot of Girls' Wash Dresses at **$1.50.**
A big lot of Girls' Wash Dresses at **$2.00.**
The greatest assortment we have ever shown at **$2.50, $3.00** and **$3.98.**

### Young Men Here's Your Chance!

$10.00 for Suits that sold up to $22.50, and for Overcoats that sold up to $15.00. Broken lines of our regular stock. The suits consist of all wool cheviots, cassimeres and worsteds, three and four button models—sizes 32 to 38. The Overcoats are made of all wool cheviots, in plain gray and brown; also green stripe effects—sizes 34 to 38. Remarkable value for ..... **10.00**

### And Great Bargains in Boys' Clothing, Too

$4.98 to $6.98 Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, special at **$2.98.**
$6.98 to $9.98 Suits, Overcoats and Reefers, special at **$4.39.**
Boys' 50c and 55c Knee Trousers, special at **39c.**
Boys' $5.00 Long Overcoats, special at **$3.98.**
Boys' $7.98 and $9.98 Overcoats, special at **$6.50.**

### The "Help Yourself" Shoe Sale Ends Monday Night

Fashionable shoes for women in all sizes and widths. There are shoe styles of every sort and character, but in the entire catagory of special shoe selling we firmly believe this event takes precedence. There are scores of styles in every fashionable leather. The shoes are arranged on counters according to size—no trouble to tell in a minute if the style and size you want are here. Not a pair in lot worth less than $2.00 and from that up to $3.50. $2.00 to $3.50 values..... **1.45**

707 TO 721 BROAD ST., NEWARK.

# FURNITURE SALE

Our annual clearance sale of FURNITURE, BEDS AND BEDDING at greatly reduced prices. All odd lots must be closed out regardless of cost. If you wish to save money come to this store.

# L. B. VAN CAMP

Tel. 868-J 12-29 31 Front and Somerset Street

Advertise in The Daily Press

# Enthusiastic Buyers Voice Appreciation of this Sales Stirring Sacrifice

No sale we ever held has been so generously advertised by our customers. Friend tells friend and so the news spreads of the genuine bargains so plenteously provided here. Thus the attendance at this store-wide January Clearance Sale grows daily. Never greater crowds and never greater values. The one accounts for the other.

New attractions each day. As previous lots dwindle or disappear new items are brought forward and given bargain emphasis through the medium of cut prices. See the racks of Ready-to-Wear Garments—marked down to lower price levels.

**6c BLEACHED TOWELING CRASH FOR 4c.**
20 pieces full Bleached Twill Toweling Crash, 17 in. wide; 6c value; on sale, yard.... .4

**12c STAIR OILCLOTH AT 7c.**
16 and 18 inch Stair Oilcloth; regular 10c and 12c value, at, yard..... .7

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM AT YARD 25c.**
The regular 39c Genuine Heatherbloom, in a big variety of colors (except black), on sale at, yard ..... .25

**18c TAFFETA RIBBONS AT 11c.**
No. 60 and 80 all silk Taffeta Ribbons, good range of colors and black; regular 15c and 18c, on sale, yard..... .11

65c Cotton Diapery at 49c—Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Diapery, 18 inch, 65c value, at, piece ..... .49

Corticelli Spool Silk, black only; 100 yard spools; on sale at..... .7

5c Toilet Paper, 3c—Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8 oz. rolls; regular 5c quality, sale ..... .3

5c Milward's Needles, 3c—Milward's best needles, all sizes, regular 5c, on sale at, paper ..... .3

Mercerized White Batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide; a regular 29c quality; on sale at, yard..... .15

7c Best Calicos at 5c—The American Printing Co.'s best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value, sale, yard..... .5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard ..... .14

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, sale..... .59

54-in. Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard ..... .29

6c Figured Challies at 4c—40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c value, at, yard..... .4

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale..... .39

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value, sale, pair..... .10

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS at $1.49.**
25 Black Heatherbloom Petticoats, made with full deep flounce, label on every petticoat, on sale ..... $1.49

**CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES, AGES 6 TO 14.**
The balance of our stock of Girls' Wash Dresses, ages 6 to 14, grouped in two lots to clear out before the new ones arrive.

Lot 1—Wash Dresses, sold up to $1.69, at ..... .85

Lot 2—Wash Dresses, sold up to $2.98, at ..... $1.39

**WOMEN'S SILK RUBBERIZED COATS, $10.00 and $12.00 Values, at $7.85.**
Here is the way we cut the price during the January clearance. We offer about 25 Women's fine Silk Rubberized Coats, with satin stripes and some plain, all in the newest style; regular $10.00 and $12.50, on sale at..... $7.85

$3.50 Skirts at $1.98—Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts, made in neat dark grey mixed Panamas, good $3.50 value, at..... $1.98

**WOMEN'S TAILOR SUITS AT THIS CLEARANCE SALE.**
Women's all-wool Cheviot and Broadcloth Suits, good workmanship; sold at $16.50; sale ..... $10.85

(Broken sizes only.)

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10.00; clearance price ..... $6.98

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $11.15

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale..... .95

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at .39

# M. & A. TEPPER


**ACTIVE BIDDING FOR TRENTON BANK STOCK.**

Trenton, Jan. 28.—Lively bidding marked the public sale of First National Bank and Trenton Banking Company stock offered by Charles L. Patterson at his office on West State street Wednesday. In all there were fifty-one shares of local bank stock sold and fifty shares of Standard Fire Insurance Company's stock. All the stock brought good prices.

The bank stock belonged to the estate of Julia Day. There were sixteen shares of First National and twenty-five shares of the Trenton Bank. William E. Ford, of Crosswicks, bought seven shares of the First National at 165, and F. J. Bowen, of this city, took the remainder at 163. The par value of this stock is $100.

In all there were thirty-five shares of the Trenton Bank's stock, Caleb S. Green, of this city, buying ten in one lot, at 99.5, and fifteen in another at 100. The balance, ten shares, went to James C. Tattersall, at 100. The par value of this stock is $50.

Irwin W. Rogers, secretary of the Standard Fire Insurance Company, bought in the fifty shares of stock of his company at 38. These shares belonged to the estate of Richard A. Donnelly.

**MAGAZINE PUBLISHERS PROTEST POSTAL PLANS.**

Washington, Jan. 28.—An error of $60,000,000 exists, according to the Association of American Magazine Publishers, in the Postoffice Department's figures on the deficit in carrying second-class mail matter. This and other mistakes were alleged in the department's figures upon the basis of which it is proposed to raise the rate for carrying magazines and periodicals through the mails, when some twenty-five leading magazine publishers appeared yesterday as representatives of the Periodical Publishers' Association before the House Committee on Postoffices and Post Roads.

Frank H. Scott, president of the Century Company, said that any increase in the rates on second-class matter would affect not only the publishers, who themselves, he said, were by no means wealthy, but the printers, paper manufacturers, advertisers, authors, artists, and the millions of readers of magazines, with whom the publishers would be compelled to adjust the increased burden laid upon them. It would result in greatly increasing the prices of magazines to subscribers, said Mr. Scott.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.


CLOSE EVERY EVENING EXCEPT SATURDAY AT 5:30.

BAMBERGER'S
"THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE"
MARKET, HALSEY & BANK STS.

# Vigilance and System

Have you ever noticed how the tide of traffic at Broad and Market streets move first north and south, then east and west—without friction and without hitch?

This is admittedly one of the busiest if not THE busiest crossing in the world, and the reason things do move so smoothly and quickly is due to the eternal VIGILANCE of those in charge and to SYSTEM.

Without vigilance and without system affairs at this famous corner would be in a chaotic state constantly.

Now the management of a great store requires vigilance and system without end. VIGILANCE in the selection of the merchandise and SYSTEM in the distribution of it.

The executive heads of this establishment are busy from morning until night WATCHING, WATCHING, WATCHING—they are constantly on the alert and constantly devising NEW systems and strengthening the OLD.

While none of us are exactly perfect, and while it is but human to make mistakes SOMETIMES, we believe (and we speak advisedly) that there is LESS friction here than in most stores where a large volume of business is transacted and an ARMY of people employed.

Vigilance and system—vigilance and system—no business can exist or no individual can succeed without practicing the one and adopting the other.

# L. BAMBERGER & CO.
NEWARK N.J.



# HAHNE & CO.
·IMPORTERS· NEWARK'S STORE BEAUTIFUL BROAD, NEW AND HALSEY STREETS ·RETAILERS·

# Every Parlor Suite Reduced 25 Per Cent.

## Over 100 Different Suites Now on the Floor to Choose From

We have done handsomely by the people of New Jersey thruout this month of January in the selling of furniture. We have saved thousands and thousands of dollars. No one has paid within **10 per cent.** of the value of any piece of furniture bought during this month. Many have secured the furniture they wanted at a quarter less than it was worth, and many got things at about half price. We are getting near the end and we want to do something spectacular, at the same time profitable to you, and we have decided to offer tomorrow, Saturday, every parlor suit in the house at **25 per cent.** less than the regular marked prices. This means—

**A $200 Parlor Suite for $150.**
**A $160 Parlor Suite for $120.**
**A $100 Parlor Suite for $75.**
**A $50 Parlor Suite for $37.50.**

**Mind you, there is not an old parlor suite in the house!** We made a clean sweep last season and have only new stock here to sell you, so that you may be sure that any suite you lay your hands on will be **up-to-date style** and finish, and that it will be upholstered in the newest materials, free from blemishes, free from fault. Some are very plain in outline, others are elaborately carved. Some are covered with velour, others with tapestry, others with silk plush, panne plush, damask and novelties. **Gold suites** are included and you can pick any one you like, no matter what the original selling price, and pay us just one-fourth less than marked prices.

**Stipulation**—No parlor suite bought tomorrow at the special selling discount of **25 per cent.** will be taken back or exchanged, nor will they be stored for later delivery unless entirely paid for.

The selling begins immediately at the opening of the store at 8:20.

NOTE—But two days remain of the Annual January Furniture Sale, during which we marked everything in the Furniture Store at 10 per cent. less than regular, sometimes 33 1-3, sometimes 1-2, as conditions warranted. All beds, both enameled and brass, all sorts of bedding, such as mattresses, pillows, springs, couches, divans, etc., are very liberally reduced during the sale. Economical people will note the fact that the selling ends Monday night, and if they are wise they will come Saturday or Monday and buy furniture they are likely to need now or in the Springtime, and save at least 10 per cent.

# Sale of Ginghams at 6½c

**A REMARKABLE LOT OF GINGHAMS FOR A VERY REMARKABLE PRICE.**

A big wholesale quantity of the well-known Gold Loom brand fine Dress Ginghams—a profusion of the prettiest clear stripes, both wide and narrow; ginghams commonly sold for 10c and 12½c; all to be sold tomorrow at..... .6½

**4,000 yards Best quality Amoskeag and Amherst Apron Ginghams,** chiefly in the favorite blue and white checks; colors absolutely guaranteed; not more than 20 yards to a purchaser, and these must be bought in person; no mail orders will be filled—at ..... .6½

## 8,000 Yards Very Best AMERICAN CALICOES - 5c yd

We need not extol these celebrated calicoes for they are known far and wide for their excellence—known as calicoes with unfadable colors, and we have them in a variety of light and dark grounds that will delight you; plenty of black and white checks in the lot; patterns and colorings to please the multitude, and this lot of 8,000 yards is to be placed on sale tomorrow, Saturday only, at the insignificant price of..... .5

# A Run on Raincoats

**SURE TO RESULT FROM THESE LOW PRICES.**

We have just purchased a lot of 250 raincoats suitable for sunshine or storm, all of them in very good styles; some, with the new Presto collar; all priced exceptionally low.

**Women's Rubberized Cravenette Cloth Coats** in gray, tan and olive; the kind we regularly sell at $12.50, for..... $6.50

**Women's Rubberized Cravenette Cloth Coats**—gray, tan and olive; regularly $15.00, at ..... $8.00

**Priestley's Moire Cravenette Roseberry Cloth Coats;** regularly $15, at.. $10.50

**Fancy Cravenette Cloth Coats** with patent Presto convertible collar, in black, navy and gray; regularly $19.50, for..... $12

## Half Price for These Coats

**Loose-fitting, Semi-fitting, Tight-fitting, Double and Single Breasted; Broadcloth, English Double Faced Cloths, Serge, Chevron, Plaids and Mixtures—**

**$9.50 Coats and Capes.....$4.50**
**$12.50 Coats and Capes.....$6.50**
**$18.50 Coats and Capes.....$8.50**
**$22.50 Coats and Capes.....$11.50**
**$29.50 Coats and Capes.....$14.50**

**Men Who Grasp Opportunities Will Save Money on This Sale of**

## $10 to $15 Suits and O'coats for 7.50

Another day of this big sale for men—another day of big bargains for the thrifty. If you know clothes, you will appreciate these good things.

Fashionable suits and overcoats in the most showy as well as the more conservative styles and fabrics, all of this season's production; workmanship is unexcelled and the trimmings are of the best; the suits in fancy worsteds, cheviots, cassimeres and velours that will give you no end of service and see you thru the remainder of the season nicely—the overcoats of excellent cheviots and fancy mixtures, including the **Hahne & Co. Two-in-One Coat;** both suits and overcoats reg. sold at $10 to $15; Saturday for only... $7.50

## Boys' 3.50 to 5.00 Reefers for - - 2.50

These are from our regular stock, all are this season's productions, are made of all-wool chinchillas, kerseys, cheviots and mixtures. Some have fur collars, others collars of velvet; all are exceptionally well made in the nattiest juvenile styles; a number of styles but not all sizes in each, but there are sizes in the lot from 2½ to 17, and you can pick any of these $3.50 to $5 reefers, Friday and Saturday for only..... $2.50

Clothing Dept., Second Floor.

# Ending White Sale in a Blaze of Glory

Good as have been the many offerings of the **White Sale** this wind-up feature planned for Saturday will prove most interesting and tempting to all.

We have gathered all those muslin undergarments that have been handled a great deal and mussed up and just a bit soiled—nothing the matter with them that will not come out in the first laundering; the lots including **gowns, chemises, drawers, corset covers, skirts, combinations and short petticoats,** and we have cut these in price most decidedly to effect a complete clearance tomorrow.

**Lot 1—Undermuslins at.....$1.15**
**Lot 2—Undermuslins at.....$1.45**
**Lot 3—Undermuslins at.....$1.95**
**Lot 4—Undermuslins at.....$2.45**
**Lot 5—Undermuslins at.....$2.95**
**Lot 6—Undermuslins at.....$3.45**

Second Floor.

# Hahne & Co. Broad, New & Halsey Sts., Newark, N. J.


**Search for Gem Ends.**

Trenton, Jan. 28.—The police of numerous Eastern cities have been searching several months for a $450 diamond stud belonging to R. J. Stokes, of this city, and a burglar insurance company has been aiding in the search, when Wednesday Stokes notified the police that the stud had been located in the home from which it had never departed. The house was entered last November, when a number of articles of jewelry were stolen. The stud could not be located in its accustomed place, and was supposed to have gone, too. It developed that Stokes had put the stud in a more secure hiding place just before the robbery, and forgot about it.

**Women Faint at Bargain Sale.**

Trenton, Jan. 28.—Several women fainted, many had narrow escapes from being injured, children were trampled upon and handbags and muffs were lost in a crowd of several hundred persons Wednesday that tried to gain admission to a "tin sale" at a South Broad street store. "It was one of the worst mix-ups I was ever in," said Patrolman Schuman, who was sent to the place with Patrolman John Kelly to keep the crowd in order.

—Daily Press want ads. Pay.

# SPORTS HERE AND THERE

## GOLF.

An unofficial offer to hold the annual championship was received from the Esex County Country Club at the annual meeting of the New Jersey State Golf Association in New York this week. A written bid was also received from Walter E. Edge, of the Country Club of Atlantic City, but unanimous opinion among the delegates was that a more central course would be preferable.

The dates for the tourney, however, were settled at the session, June 2, 3 and 4 being the choice. This is about the time usually selected by the State body. Numerous prizes will again be in order for the championship, but there will be fewer medals, although this point is to be left largely to the discretion of the executive committee, which will also select the course.

Harry V. Keep, of Englewood, was elected to succeed himself as president. He will name his committee later on. The treasurer's report as read by Walter C. Shoup, of Englewood, showed a balance on hand of $482.32, about $7 in excess of a year ago.

## PERSONAL.

Mrs. O. H. Smith, of Fairview avenue, is visiting relatives in Utica, N. Y.

John Van Pelt, of Millstone, who has been visting here, has returned home.

Miss Estelle Brown, of Brooklyn, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

Miss Florence Smith, of Madison avenue, who has been ill with scarlet fever, is convalescing.

W. H. Heidloff, of Westervelt avenue, has been detained at home several days with a severe cold.

Mrs. C. H. Thompson, of Elizabeth, has returned home after a short visit with friends here.

John O'Mara, of Rockview avenue, has returned home after a business trip of several weeks in Florida.

Miss Frances Rafferty, of White Plains, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Rafferty, of Sandford avenue.

Miss Marie Smith, of Elizabeth, who has been visiting friends here for several days, has returned home.

Miss Dorothy Hannigan, of Richmond street, is spending several weeks with relatives at Lake Hopatcong.

James Vail, of this city, who has been seriously ill for a long time, is now able to get about by the aid of a wheel chair.

Mrs. Gustave Gesswein, of West Front street, is able to be out again after being detained at home by illness for several days.

Miss M. Ewart, of Columbus, Ohio, has returned home after spending several days at the home of M. H. Ewart, of Fairview avenue.

Mrs. George Rose, of Manning avenue, who has been spending several months in New Mexico, is expected to return home this week.

Mrs. John Morton, of Annapolis, Md., has returned home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Burtis, of Fairview avenue.

Mrs. Charles E. Herring, of DeLacy avenue, has returned from a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Francis Flannery, of New York city.

H. G. Black, who is in the employ of the Armour Beef Company, at Bridgeport, Conn., has been spending a few days at his home on Sandford avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Alnaugh, of East Sixth street, arrived in the Bahama Islands yesterday, where they will remain for three weeks. They will then go to Cuba and later to Florida.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Hervey Buchanan, of Duer street, will be among the Plainfield members to attend the annual banquet of the Peddie Alumni Association to be held this evening at the Hotel Empire, New York. Dr. Buchanan is president of the association.

**Faces Forgery Charge.**

Hackensack, Jan. 28.—Robert J. Stanton, of Hoboken, was brought here yesterday from Hoboken to answer to a charge of forgery made by Peter Cello, of Fort Lee. Stanton was arrested Wednesday by the Hoboken police, who notified the local authorities. Stanton asked Cello to cash a check for $50 for him several months ago, and, it is alleged, the check came back marked "no good." Stanton comes of a wealthy and prominent family.

**Liquor Men Want Protection.**

Trenton, Jan. 28.—At a meeting of the New Jersey Wholesale Liquor Dealers' Association held here Wednesday afternoon it was decided to instruct former Senator Robert Hudspeth, of Jersey City, counsel for the association, to draw a bill to be introduced in the Legislature aimed to protect liquor dealers against the purchase of fraudulent duplicate bonded warehouse receipts in connection with the purchase of distilled liquors.

—Street Commissioner Gavett's men are now engaged in removing the ice from the brick pavements. In some places the ice was several inches thick.

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### Jan. 28 In American History.

1770—Beginning of the administration of Lord North, during which the American colonies were lost to Great Britain.

1859—William Hickling Prescott, distinguished historian, died; born 1796.

1899—General George Sears Greene, noted regular army and civil war veteran, died; born 1801.

1902—Rear Admiral Lewis Ashfield Kimberly, U. S. N., retired, died; born 1830.

1909—The government of Cuba formally turned over to President Gomez by United States Governor General Magoon.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:09, rises 7:09; moon rises 8:32 p. m.

Plainfield, N. J., January 28, 1910.

# SEVENTH-DAY BAPTISTS MEN'S ENTERTAINMENT

The Men's club of the Seventh-Day Baptist church held its annual entertainment in the church parlors, last night, for the benefit of the Women's Society for Christian Work. Instead of giving the usual turkey dinner, the club decided to engage a professional entertainer in the person of Charles R. Taggart, of New York, who provided descriptive piano selections, violin selections and songs. Mr. Taggert is exceedingly celever as an impersonator and he entertained his large audience for over an hour.

During a social hour which followed, refreshments were served by a committee comprising George M. Clark, Frank Langworthy, Rolland Davis and Charles Neagle. The entertainment committee comprised O. S. Rogers, William M. Stillman, Arthur L. Titsworth and Dr. O. B. Whitford. The finance committee comprised Frank J. Hubbard, Dr. O. B. Whitford and Asa F. Randolph. The club presented the Women's Society for Christian Work with $100 as its contribution toward its work, and in addition gave a carnation to each member of the women's society present. The whole affair was one of the most pleasing given at the church by the club. John D. Cottrell is the president of the club, and had general direction of the evening's entertainment.

**At Proctor's.**

The sketch, "The Silk Stocking," presented at Proctor's theatre this week, is one of the best seen here in a long time. A black and white silk stocking furnishes no end of amusement. Ward & Vole are two of the funniest German comedians on the stage, while Alice Davenport & Co., in a dramatic sketch, "Now," presents modern society life, and Marion & Lillian are a couple of youngsters who can dance and sing and not tire the audience. The films d'art are a big feature.

**Six Months for Joy Ride.**

James McManus was sentenced to six months in the Hudson County Penitentiary by Judge Robert Carey in Jersey City yesterday for an alleged joy ride in an automobile, which was wrecked. It was alleged that McManus took a car from Thomas Wolverton's garage, in Wayne street, and gave some friends a fast ride until they hit a wagon.

Somerset Council, No. 104, Jr. O. U. A. M., will meet tonight and receive applications for membership.


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### BOTTLES SHOW OCEAN CURRENT

Valuable information regarding ocean currents is obtained by means of bottles—inanimate scientific messengers that drift with the flotsam of the North Atlantic, sometimes following a straight line, some times zigzagging across the green water, at other times traveling in a semicircle, says the New York Evening Post.

Ordinary bottles they are, corked and sealed with wax or pitch. Beer, vinegar or catsup they may have contained, for there are no official bottles like those the Prince of Monaco used to throw into the sea years ago. They are dropped into the ocean by mariners, and contain forms furnished by the United States hydrograhpic office, which seeks enlightenment on all subjects dealing with the science of navigation. These bottle papers, as they are called, are printed in seven languages, and have blank spaces for the name of the vessel from which the bottle was cast and the vessel which picked it up, as well as dates and the latitude and longtitude of the starting and finishing points of the voyage.

If a man finds a bottle on the beach and follows directions, he mails the paper to the hydrographic office, whose experts trace the path followed by the bottle, delineating this path on the map which forms a part of the regular pilot chart given to navigators who furnish marine data to the office.

A star on the map marks the point at which the bottle was cast adrift; a circle the pint of recovery, and a number is attached to indicate the order in the commpanying chronological list. The drift is shown as following the shortest possible route, except in the case of bottles whose path is made to conform to a certain extent to the accepted knowledge of ocean circulation.

In equatorial and tropical regions, where trade winds prevail, the drift is westerly, all bottles finding their way to the Windward Islands, the Bahamas, or the shores of the Caribbean or the Gulg of Mexico.

North of the fortieth parallel, or, to be more explicit, north of the latitude of New York, bottles are driven by prevailing westerly winds in an easterly or east by northeast direction, going across the ocean to be cast upon the western shores of Great Britain or the coast of France. Between the two main drifts, or between the Florida Peninsula and New York, according to explanatory notes of the bottle chart, "lies a debatable region, crossed by many sailing and steamship routes, and within which in all probability are cast as many bottle papers as in other portions of the ocean. The recovery of such bottles, is, however, rare, the records of the hydrographic office furnishing but fourteen since 1888."

Confirmation of the circulatory movement was obtained through the course taken by bottle papers Nos. 122 and 145, with drifts of 3,120 and 5,380 miles in 489 and 896 days respectively, at the rate of 6.4 miles and six miles a day. No. 122 was cast loose by the German steamship Parnagua not far from Cape Finisterre, traveled down the Portugese and West African coasts to about the twentieth parallel, and then moved across in a half-circle to the Caribbean, landing on one of the West Indian Islands. No. 145 started about midway between Nova Scotia and France. The bottle took a circular course, which carried it southeast to Africa, thence westward to a point north of San Domingo.

An interesting record of a long drift is found in the bulletin of the Arctic Club of America, dated January 30. A buoy that was driven ashore on November 3, 1908, at Soeroe, Denmark, contained a notice to the effect that it had been set adrift on July 24, 1900, near Cape Bathurst, a point of Canadian territory that juts out into the Arctic Ocean.

### HUNTING FROM A TREE.

I need scarcely say that while my companion, with the help of the men, was trying to secure the live cub, I was keeping a sharp lookout, and soon had the satisfaction of seeing my first wild lion, writes A. R. Dugmore in Colliers' Weekly. Not one, but the pair, attracted, evidently, by the cries of the young one, they came within three hundred yards. A finer sight I have seldom seen than those two big tawny creatures. For a minute or so they watched us, then turned and disappeared; incidentally, I may add, so did most of the men, tall trees being considered the favored retreat.

Believing that the lions would return, we selected a tree with large horizontal branches from which I hoped to be able to use the camera, and there we proposed to stay. Unfortunately, the cub soon died from its violent struggles, so that we no longer had its growling to attract the old ones.

Just as we were about to take our places we were surprised to see the old lion and two lionesses appear about 400 yards away. The wretched men in their flight made such a noise that the lions would not come nearer, so I got back again and I was equally unfortunate. All day we stayed in the tree, but nothing further occurred, and we finally decided to spend part of the night there in hopes of getting a shot.

Shortly after sunset, while we were eating our meal, the lions appeared once more. We could just distinguish them in the dim and rapidly vanishing twilight, but they were too far to fire at with any degree of certainty. In a few minutes darkness had set in and a darker night I have never seen. We sat in our uncomfortable perch in a state of great excitement, and soon we heard something approaching through the high grass; nearer and nearer it came, and the low, growling purr of the lioness added to our excitement.

I thought if I could get down to a lower branch I might be able to see a little better, and so as noiselessly as possible I got down to within about eight feet of the ground. Just as I reached this place the lioness or lion passed directly under me, but the darkness was so intense that I could see nothing, though they were probably not more than twelve or fourteen feet away. We heard them continue their way up the bed of the stream, stopping once to drink at a pool, and that was the last we heard of the lions.

About 10 o'clock the moon rose, and as we were too tired to stay any longer in our uncomfortable position we started for camp, and it was not a particularly pleasant walk, as every bush assumed the form of a lion to our overwrought imagination. We were thoroughly glad to reach camp in safety and get a good night's sleep. Not even the roars of lions could disturb our well-earned rest.

**Winter Wisdom.**

It is better to wear loose clothing in cold weather, because the loose dress encloses a layer of warm air, which the tight dress shuts out. Wear cork or felt socks in the boots during winter months. Cold feet may be as harmful as wet feet. Don't forget that linen sheets are very cold, whereas cotton ones are warm. Cellular sheets are also excellent, being warm but airy at the same time.


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# FOURTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE DAY NURSERY

The fourth anniversary of the Plainfield Day Nursery, the charity supported by the City Union of The King's Daughters, was held yesterday afternoon at the Nursery and was attended by more than one hundred men and women. Everyone brought something for the storehouse and the contributions were generous. They included four bushels of potatoes, fifty pound of sugar, seventy-five pounds of rice, one hundred packages of cereals, also jams, jellies and canned goods and about $40 in cash.

The "In His Name Circle," of which Mrs. Frederic W. Butler is the president, was in charge of the tea and reception, and was assisted by Mrs. Frank W. Jones, president of the City Union, and other officers. Mrs. A. M. Most was chairman of the committee arranging for the affair.

The Day Nursery has been doing a good work during the four years of its existence, as is shown by the fact that in that time over 14,000 children have been cared for. There is an average of between 300 and 400 or about twenty-five children a day cared for by Mrs. Emma L. Bird, the efficient matron. At present there are twelve babies under two years of age in the care of the Nursery.

During the afternoon yesterday several children delighted the guests with recitations and songs and everyone was delighted with the progress of the work.

# 100 CARS ORDERED; WHERE DO THEY GO?

A contract for the one hundred new trolley cars of the latest type recently authorized by the Public Service Corporation has been placed with the Cincinnati Car Company. A representative of the latter concern was in Newark yesterday completing the details of the order and getting into final shape the specifications for the new vehicles, including the time when deliveries are to be made.

No action has been taken by the operating officers of the Public Service as to the assignment of the cars when received.

Contracts have also been entered into by the Public Service for a large addition to the Marion Power Station in Jersey City. A building 78x100 feet in dimensions and 7' feet high is to be added to the present structure. The addition will provide for 18,000 kilowatts extra capacity, which is equivalent to about 24,000 horse power of current for moving the street cars or furnishing light and power.

The A. E. Sanford company is already at work on the foundation work which consists of concrete on piling and the Hedden Construction Company will erect the building of brick and steel.

# GOVERNOR TO CONFER WITH STATE'S MAYORS

Governor Fort this afternoon, after a talk with Mayor Fisk, issued a call for all mayors of New Jersey to meet with him at the Assemblyman chamber, Trenton, Tuesday morning, February 4, at 11 o'clock, to discuss suggestions for the welfare of the municipalities. The matters to be considered are mainly those dwelt upon by Mayor Fisk in his recent annual message and his speech at the Merchants' dinner.

Briefly stated the topics to be considered are these: Tax rate; a debt limit; single headed departments in municipal government; a uniform system of accounting and a State auditing department for municipal accounts; appointment by the Mayor of all heads of departments whether at present elective or otherwise, with the Common Council's consent; a shorter form of municipal ballot.

The several recommendations of the commission on municipalities, as contained in the report of their investigations issued in 1908 will be thoroughly considered.

### Injured His Finger.

Dr. H. V. Hubbard, of Central avenue, is carrying one of his digits in a bandage as a result of cutting the finger with a razor. Dr. Hubbard, while shaving, heard the warbling of birds outdoors, and as he looked out of the window the blade of the razor slipped and made the gash.

### Pupils Have Tea Party.

Members of the kindergarten department of the Somerset street school entertained the kindergardners of the Watchung School at a tea party yesterday morning. The former classrooms were adorned in Japanese decorations and the little folks had a delightful time.

### Dr. Harrison's Farewell Tonight.

A farewell reception will be tendered to Dr. Paul W. Harrison by the congregation of Trinity Reformed church tonight. Dr. Harrison will sail for Arabia tomorrow.

—Advertise in The Daily Press.

# GATHERING OF M. E. FOLK

(Continued from page 1.)

sense of the gowing fire of evangelism re-kindled upon our altar. We need to witness with our own eyes the glorious triumph of the Christ in the conversion of penitent souls.

"'Tis not a cause of slight import the Master's work demands; but what might fill an angel's heart and filled the Saviour's hands."

Rev. Charles S. Kemble, the next speaker, gave as the three needs of his church, first, more people like it has at present; secondly, larger activity, and thirdly, an inspiring peacher to do his best. He laid great stress on the importance of the people encouraging the preacher to larger and better things, to preaching eloquent sermons, to encourage him to study and reseach, to be a prophet and not a scribe. He said that if the people wanted short sermons they would get them, and in this connection he said that a friend of his declined to attend the dinner, because the meal might be worth a dollar, but it would not be like the merchants' association dinner where they had eloquent addresses. He explained that the man was a member of some other church.

"Methodist Unity" was a theme chosen by S. S. Swackhamer, and after he spent several minutes in a humorous vein, during which he had his audience convlused with laughter, he became more serious and made a strong appeal to those presnet as well as the church in general to protest against the efforts being made at Trenton to secularize the Sabbath. He hoped all would rise in indignation and enter a protest.

William J. Conroy, of Grace church, the second layman to speak, said that the three things needed by the church was first, consecrated men, secondly, consecrated women and thirdly, consecrated children. He spoke of the great part the church has in caring for the children through the Sunday school and also deplored the tendency to desecrate the Sabbath. He said that he understood that the auto garages are open here all day Sunday and that it is the most profitable for the owners. He did not know whether it was against the law or not.

The last speaker was Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, who spoke of the advantage of the church people getting together. He also referred to the fact that the Methodist church is a peculiar church, that its great progress was due to Providential leading. He spoke of the great development of the church in modern mission work, of the grand work being done by the Sunday-schools and added that he did not believe that the members half realized what is being done by the church.

Dr. Randolph said that he thought

Dr. aRndolph said that he thought the office of pastor to be one of the highest in the church, one he would not swap for the place of bishop. He said that his heart went out to all pastors, knowing their troubles, but in his opinion there was nothing that gave greater satisfaction than to be with God on the job working for His Kingdom. He concluded his remarks with words of praise for his church and the great work she is doing.

The affair was brought to an end with the singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and the pronouncing of the benediction by Rev. W. F. Randolph, brother of Dr. D. B. F. Randolph.

The dinner was in charge of a committe comprising representatives from all three churches, of which Maurice E. McGrath was the efficient chairman.

### OAK TREE.

Mrs. M. S. VanCourt celebrated the seventy-first anniversary of her birthday yesterday and in honor of the event there was a family reunion. There were about twenty-five members of the family present throughout the day and evening, the time being given up to a general good time. Dinner was served at noon and all remained for supper.

Arthur Gray, who has been employed by W. E. VanCourt for the past two and a half years, has taken a position with the water company, which is laying mains between Elizabeth and this place.

Mrs. J. T. Lansdale and children, who have been spending a month at Baltimore, have returned. During their absence the children have been ill, but they are now improved.

### Call Rev. Mr. Crane.

The congregation of the Westminster Presbyterian church, Elizabeth, has issued a call to the Rev. Louis B. Crane, pastor of the Brainerd Presbyterian church, of Easton, Pa. The salary offered the Rev. Mr. Crane is $4,000 a year. The pulpit of Westminster Presbyterian church has been vacant since the suspension by the Elizabeth Presbytery of the Rev. Dr. Henry Elliott Mott more than a year ago.

### Selecting Armory Site.

A joint session of the Board of Freeholders and military officers, as well as a member of the Assembly, was held in Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon to further the project of erecting an armory in that city. Several sites were mentioned and discussed. The freeholders favor the idea if the expense does not exceed $25,000 for a site.

# HEAVENLY REST MEN MAKING THEIR PLANS

The Men's Club of the Church of the Heavenly Rest held a large and enthusiastic meeting in the parish house last night, more than fifty men being present. During a business session, B. Frank Coriell, William N. Runyon and Albert Walsh were elected honorary members.

A communication was received from Emerson E. Parvin, of this city, stating that he would give his illustrated lecture on "Ship Building" at the parish house on Thursday night, March 10. It was also announced that William Lynch, of the Northwestern Association, will give an illustrated lecture on May 12, on "Oregan the Land of the Red Apple." He is now lecturing under the auspices of the Board of Education of New York city.

The club appropriated $25 from the receipts of its last entertainment to the church. Ernest Dorflinger and William Crozier were appointed a reception committee for the next two meetings. W. W. Moore made a strong appeal to the club members in the interest of church attendance on their part and extended an invitation to all to be present at the regular services. The club now numbers ninety-six men. A social time followed.

# SWEENEY IN BRAZIL; WILL RETURN SOON

William R. Sweeney, formerly of this city, but recently of Trenton, is expected to return to that city some time in March. Sweeney disappared about a year ago but it is understood that he is in Brazil. After Sweeney left Trenton his wife announced that he had gone to a santarium.

Sweeney at the time of his departure from Trenton was a central figure in numerous litigations and when he returns to Trenton, he will have to contest the ownership of a number of shares of stock of the Kline Chair Company, of that city. Shortly before Sweeney's leave-taking an injunction was issued restraining a Trenton bank from turning over these shares to Sweeney. He will also be compelled to contest several other business entaglements.

### SUNDAY BASEBALL BILL WILL BE GIVEN HEARING.

Majority Leader Edge, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, has fixed next Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock at the Assembly chamber, Trenton, as the time for the hearing on House bill No. 51, introduced by Mr. McCran, of Paterson, which is aimed to prevent the carrying of subterranean waters out of the State. This hearing will attract a large number of persons from Paterson, Newark and Jersey City. Mr. McCran, as the introducer of the bill, will lead the fight to have the bill favorably reported.

Another important hearing arranged by the Judiciary Committee is for Monday morning, February 7, to hear arguments for and against the Olwell bill purposing to amend the crimes act so as to allow the playing of baseball games on Sunday. A large delegation of men favorable to the bill will come down from Hudson county, and here they will meet an equally large and determined representation of ministers and church people who will argue against the liberalizing of the Sunday law in favor of baseball.

### Surrpised Mrs. W. C. Squier.

A surrpise party was tendered to Mrs. Warren C. Squier, of Astor place, last night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Wheeler, of Stone street. The affair was given in honor of Mrs. Squier's birthday anniversary. There were about twenty guests and all enjoyed playing games and listening to vocal and instrumental music. The affair was arranged by Mrs. Wheeler.

### Policemen Want More Pay.

Chief Tenney, of Elizabeth, in an address yesterday before the Elizabeth Patrolmen's Benevolent Association, which was host to the State P. B. A. officers and locals, advocated higher pay for the Elizabeth policemen. He claimed that their pay was the lowest paid in any municipality in the State of the same class.

### Obsequies of George Staples.

The funeral service of George Staples, of Dunellen, was held last night at the home of his cousin, Sanford Staples, on Prescott place. The service was conducted by the Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector of Grace P. E. church. The body was taken to Hunterdon county for interment this morning.

### Death of a Child.

George O., the nine months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Isem Neal, of Scotch Plains, died yesterday of pneumonia The funeral service will be held tomorrow afternoon and the Rev. Mr. Diggs, of this city, will officiate.

### Clarence LaRue a Vice-President.

Clarence B. LaRue, of this city, was elected vice-president from Union county, at the annual meeting of the Lord's Alliance, held at Trenton, yesterday.


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'PHONE 702

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May we have two minutes of your time? We want you to consider with us the desirability of a Savings Account in our bank.

FIRST Provision for future needs. You might be incapacitated at any time and unable to earn your own living; if sickness, accident or other trouble came, where would you turn?

SECOND—Opportunities and investments. Money in the bank would enable you to take advantage of the golden opportunities which are constantly arising, at any time they do arise.

BOROUGH NATIONAL BANK
Only Bank in N. Plainfield

Household Loan Co.
'PLAINFIELD'S RELIABLE BROKERS'

We make it easy as possible for honest people to borrow money from us through a CONFIDENTIAL CREDIT ACCOUNT which can be used whenever desired. Customers dealing here fully appreciate our method which comprises such features as giving an exact copy of agreement, also the privilege of making easy weekly or monthly payments, and allowing a Liberal Discount if paid before full time. We stand upon our reputation for HONORABLE DEALING and COURTEOUS TREATMENT, together with the statement that our RATES are positively lower than any company doing business in this County, a fact easily verified by comparison. Everything fully explained at our office or representative will call and give all particulars upon request.

Household Loan Co.,
148 EAST FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Office Hours 8 A.M. to 6 P.M. Tele. 820-J.


### Easy to Estimate.

She doesn't care if people know
How old she is.
She doesn't bid inquirers go
About their biz.

We needn't ask her to confess
Her age, I ween.
The same is very safe to guess
At seventeen.

—Washington Herald.

### Hot Air.

The "full dinner pail" is still in existence, according to Farmer Orator James E. Martine, but it is full of wind. And the farmer orator knows what he is talking about, for he is an authority on wind.—Newark Evening News.

### Entertained by Manila Elks.

Copies of the Japan Advertiser, of Tokio, and the Manila Times were received by The Daily Press today from former Mayor James F. Buckle, who is touring the world. At Manila the Elks lodge entertained the tourists.

### Chimney Fire.

A chimney fire in the Lederer building called the firemen out early this afternoon. There was no damage.


Annual Statement
OF THE
Plainfield Savings Bank,
OF PLAINFIELD, N. J.
January 1, 1910.

ASSETS.

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| Bonds and Mortgages, First Liens | $ 550,950.00 |
| Bonds, Market Value | 392,162.50 |
| Demand Loans | 1,000.00 |
| Banking House and Lot | 25,000.00 |
| Furniture and Fixtures | 7,500.00 |
| Interest Due and Accrued | 6,608.57 |
| Cash on hand | 39,913.85 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

LIABILITIES.

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|---|---|
| Amount Due Depositors | $ 950,838.65 |
| Surplus | 72,296.27 |
| | $1,023,134.92 |

WILLIAM F. ARNOLD, President.
H. G. RUNKLE, Vice President.
A. C. STEBBINS, Vice President.
J. C. POPE, Treasurer.
H. A. POPE, Ass't Treasurer.
1 22 6

Dividend No. 66.
CITY NATIONAL BANK,
Plainfield, N. J.

The Board of Directors have this day declared their regular semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. on the capital stock of this bank, and an extra dividend of 1 per cent. out of the earnings of the past six months, payable on and after Tuesday, February 1, 1910.

WM. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.
Dated, Plainfield, January 25, 1910. 1 26 5

PLAINFIELD SECOND-HAND FURNITURE STORE

MISSION FURNITURE—If you are in need of any call and see us, if we have not got what you want we will make it to match anything you may have; if you have anything you do not want, let us know We buy anything and sell everything. Old looking-glasses resilvered. Auction sales conducted satisfactorily.

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UNDERTAKERS.
402 Park Avenue. Telephone No. 40.
Office open day and night.
Office of Hillside Cemetery.
New York Office—50 Great Jones St.
Tel. call 3345-Spring.
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P. CASEY & SON.
UNDERTAKERS AND EMBALMERS
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### DIED

ISENMANN—On Thursday, January 27, 1910, Michael George Isenmann, in his 36th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1001 West Front street, on Saturday, January 29, at 2:30 p. m.

RANDOLPH—On Friday, January 28, 1910, Edward F. Randolph, in his 70th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1310 Park avenue, on Sunday, January 30, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 28 2

EMALLEY—On Friday, January 28, 1910, David D. Smalley, aged 82 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 33 Manning avenue, North Plainfield, on Tuesday, February 1, at 1 p. m. Interment at Mt. Bethel, N. J. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 28 2


Chas. L. Stanley,
159 East Front St. 'Phone 923.
Headquarters for choice Cut Flowers and Potted Plants.
Floral design work a specialty.
33,000 feet of glass. South Ave.

L. L. MANNING & SON
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Corner Central Ave. and West Front St.
Opposite First Baptist Church.


## Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

No alvertisements received for less than ten cents.

Copy for death and marriage notices and classified advertising accepted up to 2.30 p m

THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

### Help Wanted—Female.

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

WANTED — Competent girl for general housework. 1220 Watchung avenue. 1 22 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 24 6

GIRLS wanted. Inquire Rechet & Co., North avenue. Formerly Vacuum Cleaner Co. 1 24 6

GIRL for housework; washing and ironing; sleep home; 3 adults; $20. Address H. K., care Press.

WANTED — Immediately, chambermaid and waitress. Call 964 West Seventh street.

WANTED—White girl for general housework. Call 21 Myrtle avenue.

WANTED—Girl for general housework and cooking; no washing. 34 Sycamore avenue. 1 28 3

WHITE girl for general housework. Call 15 Grove street. 1 28 3

WANTED—At Murray's Employment Registry 25 girls for this week, including cook, general houseworkers, chambermaids and seven good reliable waitresses; good references required. Good situations always open for such at 226 East Front street, near Watchung avenue. 'Phone 666. 1 26 3

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

### Situations Wanted—Female.

COMPETENT chambermaid and waitress (white) desires position. Address L. M., care Daily Press. 1 26 3

COLORED laundress wants place by month; best reference. Address A., care Press. 1 27 3

YOUNG German girl wants position at general housework; two months in this country. Call 204 Plainfield avenue. 1 26 3

### Help Wanted—Male.

WANTED—Young man about 16 to 20 years old, who can make himself generally useful. A. E. Force & Co. 1 27 tf

WANTED—At once, one milling machine hand; also ten lathe hands. Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 27 6

WANTED—Young single man to take care of horse, place and fires. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 28 3

BOY wanted; must be acquainted with town. Apply Frank Rowley.

WANTED—Traveling agents and also local agents, experienced in canvassing. Address Agent, care Press. 1 26 3

### Help Wanted Male and Female.

WANTED—Man and wife to run my house and take care of children; all at my expense. Address Mechanic, care Press. 1 26 3

### Lost and Found.

LOST—At McIntyre's concert or returning from there, gold calla pin with small diamond in centre. Reward at this office. 1 28 2

LOST—Bull dog, name on collar. Reward. Rogers, 955 West Seventh street.

LOST—Brindle bull dog, brass studded collar. Reward for return to 141 East Fifth street. 1 28 2

### For Sale or Rent.

FOR SALE or to let, the Fountain Poultry Farm, just beyond the city limits on Plainfield avenue; houses for six hundred hens. George H. Fountain, 936 West Seventh street. 1 28 3

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Two fine folding beds, in good condition; will sell cheap. Address P. W. N., care of this office. 1 27 3

Other Classified Ads on Page 2.

### For Rent.

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 644 Essex street. Inquire J. Sacher, 731 West Third street. 1 20 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 22 tf

TO LET—February 1, 5 rooms; steam heated; all improvements; $18. 122 Watchung Ave. 1 25 6

FOR RENT—Farm about 50 acres with large modern barn and cow stables, located 3 miles from Plainfield on line trolley. Address J., care Press. 1 24 6

APARTMENT to let in the Bristle. Apply L. L. Manning's Marble Works. 1 28 tf

FOR RENT—Eight rooms, convenient to R. R. station and trolley; good neighborhood. Address House, care Press.

FOUR and six-room houses to let; $10 and $15. Inquire 28 Stone street. 1 28 3

TO LET—Modern 7-room house, with all improvements; 1659 South Second street; rent $15. 1 28 3

TO LET—Two fine corner flats, with improvements, at corner Third and Richmond streets; also an eight-room and nine-room house on East Second street, for sale or to let. Callahan & Son. 1 28 tf eod

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 22 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 27 tf

### Wanted Miscellaneous.

WANTED—To rent April 1 house, centrally located. Address House, care Press. 1 27 3

WANTED—To give house with all improvements in exchange for board. Fuel and light furnished. Address Times, Daily Press. 1 28 3

WANTED—To buy small store, candy or cigar. Address Candy, care Press. 1 28 6

MANURE wanted. Lewis Stout, Watchung, N. J. 1 28 3

WANTED—To rent from May 1, 10 or 12 room house in Washington Park section; small family. House, care Daily Press. 1 27 3

WANTED—A second-hand roll-top desk; state price. Address Rebaf, Press office. 1 26 3

### Employment Agencies.

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

MURRAY'S Employment Registry, 226 East Front street, for reliable help, male and female; good situations; very moderate fees. 'Phone 666, near Y. W. C. A. 1 5 tf

FIRST-CLASS places and first-class help always on hand at Mrs. Keller's agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 8 17 tf

### Rooms and Board.

TO LET—Furnished room for lady with or without board; centrally located. Apply 218 West Second street. 1 28 2

TO LET—Two rooms at 408 West Third street. 1 27 3

### Miscellaneous.

CHILDREN'S dresses, ladies' house gowns and shirt waists made to order. 430 Watchung avenue. 1 28 3

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; portrait work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

### Poultry for Sale.

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, Gowell strain; also S. C. Rhode Island Reds, Tompkins strain. Lewin, Plainfield avenue, near Hunt Club. 1 27 3

### FINANCIAL.

WANTED—INVESTMENT OF ADDITIONAL CAPITAL in active paying wholesale mercantile business in New York, run by Plainfield men. Best references. Communications confidential. Address "Investment," care of Daily Press. 1 27 2

# Marshall & Ball

*Highest Type of Ready-to-Wear for Men and Women*

## January Clearance Sale of Overcoats and Suits Ends Tomorrow

Tomorrow night we bring to a close one of the most important January Clearance Sales in the history of this unusual store.

In every department have the qualities been of the highest character and the saving most extraordinary.

In Men's and Young Men's Clothing the offerings have been extremely attractive on account of the refined individuality and the superior tailoring skill exhibited in all our garments.

In rounding out this great sale we present an Overcoat opportunity that is without precedent. These are fancy mixed Cheviot Overcoats, regular collars; also long coats with military collars, and the popular "Presto" collars that can be worn open or closed.

Men's $15.00 to $20.00 Overcoats ..... $13.25
$12.00 to $15.00 Suits, $9.75.

Men's $22.00 to $30.00 Overcoats ..... $18.75
$16.00 to $20.00 Suits, $13.75.

Young Men's $15.00 to $23.00 Overcoats ..... $12.95
$22.00 to $30.00 Suits, $19.75.

## January Sale Boys' Clothing

Saturday the Last Day

SUITS—Double-breasted and Junior Norfolks in wool mixtures, corduroys, blue serges and cheviots; knickerbocker trousers, lined with seams taped, patent elastic waistband, belt loops and watch pocket.

Boys' regular $5 and $6 Suits, sizes 5 to 17 years, special..... $3.59

Boys' regular $7 to $7.50 Suits, sizes 5 to 15 years, special..... $4.89

Boys' regular $3 to $9 Suits, sizes 9 to 14 years, special..... $5.49

Boys' regular $10 to $15 Suits, sizes 8 to 14 years, special..... $6.95

Boys' Knickerbocker Trousers, including all our fancy mixtures, regular $1 and $1.25, now 69c. Regular $1.50, now $1.19.

REEFERS AND RUSSIAN COATS—Fancy cassimeres, cheviots, gray and blue frieze and a few blue chinchillas. Lined with red, gray and brown wool, also Venetian.

Boys' regular $5.50 to $6.50 Coats, sizes 6 to 11 years, specials..... $3.55

Boys' regular $7.50 to $11 Coats, sizes 5 to 12 years, special..... $5.36

MILITARY COLLAR O'COATS in all wool Scotch Cheviots, a choice of attractive patterns, sizes 10 to 16 years.

Boys' regular $5.50 Coats at.....$3.95
Boys' regular $7.00 Coats at.....$4.95
Boys' Regular $9.50 Coats at.....$6.95
Boys' regular $10.00 Coats at.....$7.50

Boys' 60c Blouses, with or without collars, 39c. Boys' $1 White Blouses, without collars, 77c.

## Saturday the Last Day of Men's $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00 Shoes at $2.85

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**74-76 MARKET ST. NEWARK, N.J.**

**The Best Way to Show True Appreciation Is by DEEDS, Not Words**

How Thoroughly We Live Up to This Theory Is Best Demonstrated by

Our Famous Credit Terms, 50c., 75c. and 1.00 a Week, Are at Your Service.

## The Marvelous Values that Mark Our Great APPRECIATION SALE!

It's a sale that means the saving of many dollars on every article purchased here. Savings that in many instances equal as much as 50 per cent. on the newest styles and the best constructed furniture money can buy. We bought when prices were low, when manufacturers were anxious for orders to keep their factories going—it's different now—the fact is that we are able to sell you at prices lower than the mills will deliver the goods. That's a pretty strong statement, but here are the goods and here are the prices to back them up.

**Large Rugs**

Regular $15 room size Rugs for.... 7.49
Regular $20 room size Rugs for.... 9.95
Regular $25 room size Rugs for.. 12.49

**Small Rugs**

Regular $3.00 Rugs reduced to..... 1.19
Regular $4.00 Rugs reduced to..... 1.79
Regular $5 Rugs reduced to.... 2.29

## BARGAIN GEMS IN BEDS

**1.69** for regular $3.50 IRON BEDS—This is an excellently constructed, non-breakable malleable iron bed, heavily enameled in white, and brass trimmed.

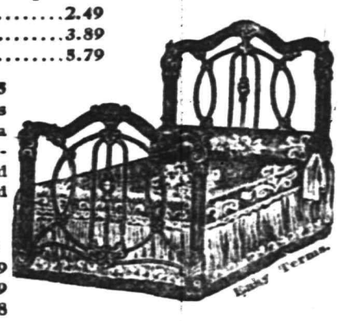
**Other Iron Bed Specials**

$5.00 Iron Beds.....2.49
$7.50 Iron Beds.....3.89
10.00 Iron Beds.....5.79

**7.29** for reg. $15 Brass Beds—This is a handsome, well-built bed, finished in the finest gold lacquer.

**Other Brass Beds**

$25 Brass Beds 12.49
$35 Brass Beds 17.49
$45 Brass Beds 21.98



**CHINA CLOSETS AND SIDEBOARDS**

An elegant golden oak China Closet, with swell glass front and door, regular $20 value, for only ..... 10.25

$25 China Closets 12.98

$30 China Closets 15.98

Cash or Credit

Regular $20 golden oak Sideboard, fitted with plate glass mirror, has 2 drawers and large linen cupboard, at. 9.98

$25 Sideboards for 12.49

$30 Sideboards for 14.98

COUPON

FREE CARFARE. Cut out this coupon and bring it with you to our store and we will refund your carfare. CROWN CO. 74-76 Market St. Newark, N. J.

Cash or Credit

**Chiffoniers**

Regular $12 Golden Oak Chiffoniers, with handsome mirror and 5 drawers, appreciation sale price..... 6.49

$20 Chiffoniers, sale price 9.49

$30 Chiffoniers, sale price 15.00


missioner's approval the work will be started at Cape May Courthouse.

Declaring that it is the duty of the city government to raise good citizens and that gambling is a vice that leads many a youth to his downfall, Mayor Farner, of Burlington, Wednesday ordered the police and plain clothesmen to make a special effort to break up "crap-shooting." At the the same time the Mayor began a crusade against pool parlors that harbor minors.

Without a mother, who died a short time ago, eleven small children were found in destitute circumstances with their father on a farm in Haddon township Wednesday and the matter was called to the attention of Prosecutor Scovel in Camden. Finding that the father was unable to care financially for the large family, the prosecutor referred the case of destitution to Probation Officer White. It is likely that the children will be sent to the almshouse until the attention of the State Board of Charities and Correction can be called to the condition of affairs.

Samuel Rosenteur, dealer and jobber in woolen goods, of 22 Temple street, Paterson, was swindled in one of the oldest schemes known to the police by a stranger Wednesday afternoon. At 2:30 o'clock the stranger entered Rosenteur's place and picked out seventeen yards of woolen goods. After agreeing on a price, the stranger requested Rosenteur to send his daughter along to secure the money. The stranger took the girl to Main and Market streets, sent the child in a store to purchase candy, and then disappeared. Rosenteur says the goods are valued at $28.

### FOR OPEN BARS TILL 2 A. M.

Elizabeth, Jan. 28.—Owing to the outcry that was made by Newark and New York theatre-goers from this city against its action to close saloons at midnight, Elizabeth's new Republican Excise Board has rescinded its previous ruling and extended the closing hour until 1 o'clock.

This, however, does not satisfy the Republican Mayor, who wants a further extension given to places like Turn Hall, where balls, theatrical and concert entertainments are given. The Mayor thinks on such occasions the bar should be permitted to remain open until at least 2 A. M. The Mayor says he intends to keep on agitating for the step which he thinks is only right.

### Attacked by Strikers.

Bayonne, Jan. 28.—Several strikers from the shirtwaist makers in New York came to this place Wednesday night and attacked two men and a girl who were employed in a factory at 82 West Twentieth street. Those assaulted were Edgar Manning, Jacob Hoffman and Annie Stella. The New Yorkers first asked the trio if they would join the strikers and when they refused they were called "scabs" and knocked down. The attacking party then made its escape.

### Aldrich Released on Bail.

Rahway, Jan. 28.—W. H. Aldrich, former manager of the Cordova plant here, who was arrested Sunday, accused of making libelous and threatening charges against Dr. John M. Randolph, was released yesterday morning under $1,000 bail furnished by Captain W. H. Clokie, of Rahway.

## SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Many bands of gipsies are roaming through Gloucester county.

Rev. LeRoy S. Long has resigned the pastorate of the Sergeantsville Brethren's church, having accepted a call to Johnstown, Pa.

A $30,000 schoolhouse has been ordered erected on Ventnor avenue, Ventnor, to accommodate the increasing juvenile population of the resort.

Squeezed between pipes at the Camden Iron Works Wednesday afternoon, Martin Haas, thirty-four years old, of 1023 Atlantic avenue, was so badly hurt that he was removed to Cooper Hospital.

A large bell buoy has replaced the old sea buoy near the entrance to the inlet at the upper section of Ocean City. This change was made by the government at the request of local yachtsmen.

The Atlantic City Rifle Association Wednesday indorsed the movement in Congress to get the government to supply arms and ammunition for the teaching of citizens rifle shooting. The association has a range at Ventnor.

With an open safety-pin in her throat, Pearl Melbourne, one year old, was hurried to the Cooper Hospital in Camden Wednesday, where the obstruction was removed. While crawling on the floor the child found the pin and swallowed it.

Falling from a ladder while adjusting some belting in the Roebling Mills at Trenton Wednesday, Alfred Wentzel was so badly crushed and torn before the machinery could be stopped that his life is despaired of. Wentzel fell directly upon the machine.

Vice-Chancellor Leaming, in Camden, Wednesday, rendered a decision in the suit of John G. Danenhower & Son, against Theodore Hampton of Sea Isle City, to set aside a deed, on the ground of fraud, finding against the plaintiffs, and imposing costs on them.

Buildings worth $10,246,192 have been erected in Atlantic City during the past five years, accordng to the report of Chief Gillison, of the building department, made Wednesday. Over $2,000,000 worth of building was done the past year, most of the permits issued being for cottages and dwellings.

The Cape May County Board of Chosen Freeholders has instructed Director Sayre and County Engineer Rice to submit to State Road Commissioner Gilkyson plans for the first ten miles of the new road between Cape May Courthouse and Beesley's Point. If the plans meet the com-


OPEN 8.30. CLOSE 5:30.

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## Splendid Suits Handsome Coats

### Many at Half Price

In no department in the store are the savings on odd lots as great as in Cloaks and Suits. Buy now; don't let this chance slip by. Never before this sale were such well made, handsome Coats and Suits priced so low.

### Suits for Women and Misses

17.98 to 22.50 vals. 13.50 to 17.98 vals. 11.98 to 13.50 vals.

11.98 8.98 7.50

### Long Coats for Women & Misses

14.98 and 17.50 vals. 10.00 and 12.00 vals.

9.98 7.50

### Fur Coats

50-inch Pony Skin Coat, worth $50.00, at - - - - - 35.00

50-inch Pony Skin Coat, worth $60.00, at - - - - - 39.00

The David Straus Co.

683-687 Broad St. 21 W. Park St.



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# BURR McINTOSH MONTHLY

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**50 Magnificent Illustrations** selected from among thousands of subjects, exquisitely printed with fine art tone inks. Among these pictures are

**30 Full Page Plates** every one worthy a frame. There is also a special section which contains eight of the most beautiful photographic art studies ever

**Color Section** published, printed in color on fine enamel paper; any one of these above would sell at 50 cents in any art store.

**The Mysterious North Star** by GARRETT P. SERVISS, the eminent astronomer, is an article of unusual interest which discloses many hitherto unknown facts about this extraordinary planet.

**The Problem of the Railroads** is the result of a series of conferences with President W. C. BROWN of the New York Central Railroad, President E. P. RIPLEY of the Atchison Railroad, President RALPH PETERS of the Long Island Railroad. It presents this subject of national importance from the intimate viewpoint of the men who run the roads, and is calculated to interest every thoughtful person.

**The Confessions of Nero** by WALLACE IRWIN. The most amazingly humorous article that this well-known author has ever written. It is strikingly original in tone and the illustrations will make you gasp for breath.

**The Pinkertons, the Police, and the Crooks** by O'CONNOR DOUGLAS, is an article from material furnished the author by a reformed confidence man who has operated in this country and Europe for over thirty years and who writes of startling conditions little known to the general public.

Besides other articles and stories we must mention two crackajack stories:

**The Watcher in the Pit** by MAXIMILLIAN FOSTER, the most absorbing story of vengeance carried across two continents and an ocean.

**Unmitigated Molly** a most delightful story by EDNA KENTON. Both these stories are profusely illustrated from drawings.

**Two Liberal Offers**

THE BURR McINTOSH MONTHLY is 25c. a number, except the double Christmas numbers which are 50c. a copy. **If you will send $3.00 to our address below for the year 1910,** we will send you absolutely **free** our Art Portfolio containing twenty-five (25) superb pictures printed on enamel paper, retail price $1.00; and, for good measure, we will also send you the Christmas, 1909, number, conceded to be the finest Christmas number of the year — a total retail value of $4.50.

ONE YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION, 1910, $3.00
CHRISTMAS NUMBER, 1909 . . .50
PORTFOLIO OF 25 PICTURES . . 1.00
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"When we shoe you, you are shod right."

N. B.—Yes, we carry Sorosis Shoes for women. Full line of Hosiery for Women, Misses and Children

# GIDDES' Shoe Parlor

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THE PLAINFIELD

# SILK STORE COMPANY

Why go to New York for SILKS, when you can get them in your own Town at New York prices? If we have not what you want in stock, we will gladly get it for you.

We have an exclusive line of Japanese drawn work, including scarfs, centre pieces, lunch cloths and all size doilies and handkerchiefs.

Raymond Germain, Manager.

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## An Afternoon Off

It began at the breakfast table. Blifkins had come down ahead of the other members of the family and now, buried in the morning paper, he paid no attention to the noisy greetings of his two boys as they romped into the dining room. Mrs. Blifkins' "good morning" was received in silence. The family was properly subdued. Finally, perhaps ten minutes later, Blifkins noticed that his wife was speaking to him.

"Hardly a good way to start the day," Mrs. Blifkins was saying. "It's getting to be a custom. I know you're not angry or cranky, but you might as well be; the effect is the same. You'll never gain the boys' confidence that way. You never play with them. You're always too busy, thinking or working, and I can't keep Billy at home because there's nothing here to amuse him. Why don't you come home early this afternoon and get acquainted? You can live if you miss your club one afternoon."

So Blifkins went home at three o'clock. Billy, 4½ years, and Dick, two, were waiting for him on the front steps. They began to whoop like young Indians when they saw him get off the car.

"I'm going to play with you this afternoon, boys," Blifkins said. "You wait till I take off these duds and we'll have a time. We're going to get acquainted, we are."

Fifteen minutes afterward Blifkins had turned an old porch seat upside down in the back yard and was making it into a work bench for Billy and Dick. He next fetched from the basement a large tin box filled with all sorts of valuables, such as broken locks and keys, discarded buckles, bits of wire and other junk. It was a treasure box for Billy and Dick, and soon they were exploring its contents.

Just then Blifkins heard more Indian yells and turned in time to see three boys of Billy's age about to attack from the rear, over the fence.

"I won't play with you," Billy said. "I'm going to play with my papa."

"Well," said one of the boys in perfect good nature, "we're going to play with you."

Blifkins didn't desire to offend Billy's playmates. He determined to be patient. "I don't come home often in the afternoon," he said, "so I wish you'd run home now and come back to-morrow. Billy and Dick and I—"

"Maw said we could come," one of the boys said.

"But your mamma didn't know I was—"

"Yes she did. That's why she let us come. We're going to—"

Four more boys and three girls, none more than five years old, now appeared, some from the front, some from the rear. They lined up around Blifkins and stared at him much as they'd stare at a giraffe of an elephant. It's a way children have.

"Children," he said—Billy and Dick here took up their positions near their father—"children, I don't come home often in the afternoon, so I wish you'd go home now and—"

"Maw said—" one of the girls began, but Blifkins interrupted her.

"It doesn't matter what 'maw' said. This is my house and I wish you'd go home."

"We want to play with Billy," was the calm rejoinder.

"I don't want you," Billy said, sturdily supporting his father. No one was at all offended by Billy's candor.

The argument was here interrupted by the arrival of three more boys. Blifkins' backyard resembled a kindergarten. Blifkins appealed to his wife, who had come to the kitchen door.

"See here, Martha," he said. "I don't want to insult these children, but—"

"Don't worry, you can't do it," Mrs. Blifkins said. "I've tried it 50 times. I'd like to see you get rid of them."

Blifkins brought out his old speech. "Children," he said. "I don't come home often, so I wish you'd go home no wand—"

"Maw said we could come over"—in chorus.

"Well, this is my house and I think—"

"I'm going to stay," one of the five-year-olds announced, and walked over to the tin box and began to examine what was in it. Blifkins, growing angry, took the boy by one arm, and led him gently but firmly to the front of the house and shooed him off the place. When he returned another boy had stepped just across the property line so that he stood on Blink's lot and cried shrilly: "I'm going to stay here. Maw said—"

Blifkins seized him by the collar and led him to the fence.

One, a very obliging little chap, announced: "Maw and I could come, but I'll go home and take a nap and come back."

The others, realizing at last that they weren't wanted, walked away grumbling. One turned at the front steps and called: "Billy, oh, Billy! Maw said—"

"Scat," said Blifkins, and the boy ran.—Kansas City Star.

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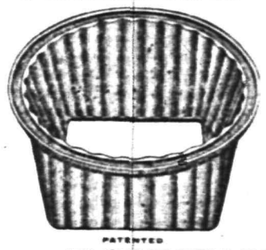

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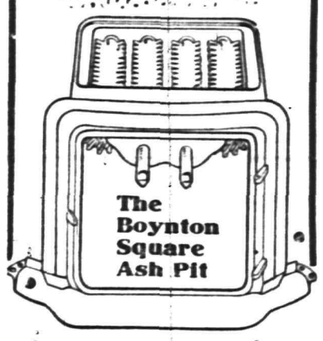


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## PSYCHOLOGY OF THE COURTSHIP

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## TRESSES ABLAZE AT LODGE BAZAR.

Bayonne, Jan. 28.—As a result of getting too close to a cigar lighter at the fair of the Bayonne Lodge of Elks, in its clubhouse here, two women are minus tresses today. Incidentally, they caused a commotion at the fair, and had it not been for the prompt action of several of the men nearby their loss in tresses would probably have been even greater.

Mrs. J. W. Emple, wife of the city treasurer, was one of the victims. The other was Miss Rescher, City Collector Robert A. Gardner, together with Mr. Emple and several other men, went to the rescue.

The two women were admiring the cut glass set donated by the Jersey City lodge. It was near the cigar case, on which was a lighter.

"Isn't that punch bowl exquisite?" remarked Mrs. Emple.

"Indeed it is," replied Miss Rescher. "I would like to be the person who wins it."

"I have four chances on it," said Mrs. Emple. "I do not suppose that I will win it."

"And I have just double that number of chances," said Miss Rescher.

Both women leaned forward to get a closer view of the punch bowl. In doing so their hair touched the cigar lighter.

"Oh, your hair is afire!" exclaimed Miss Rescher.

Mrs. Emple was horrified. "And so is yours," excitedly ejaculated Mrs. Emple.

Then both women screamed. They placed their hands to their heads, and feeling their hair burning, again screamed. Mr. Emple and Mr. Gardner hurried to their assistance and beat out the fire with handkerchiefs.

## WILSON DROPS FIGHT ON VREDENBURGH LAW.

Trenton, Jan. 28.—The attorney-general's office has abandoned the idea of applying to the Court of Errors and Appeals for a reargument of the proceedings under which the Vredenburgh retirement law of last winter was declared unconstitutional. It had been the intention to make the application yesterday, and with that end in view Attorney-General Edmund Wilson made a motion last week, which resulted in an order that the records be held by the secretary of State until today. The abandonement of the reargument proceedings will probably result in the remittur being sent to the Supreme Court today or tomorrow.

This action will be preliminary to the reinstatement of General Edward A. Campbell as commander of the First Brigade. The enforcement of the decrees of the Court of Errors will set aside the executive order under which he was retired last year.

No formal statement was obtainable from the attorney-general's office as to the reasons for not making the reargument application. It is generally understood, however, that after carefully reviewing the case, as well as the court decision, and the overwhelming vote by which the act was set aside, the Governor and the State's counsel concluded that nothing would be accomplished by pressing the motion for a reargument.

## SUES FOR ESTATE.

### Heirs Want Property Relative Left to Friends.

Trenton, Jan. 28.—Relatives who were cut off without a cent of the $20,000 estate of Miss Susan W. Freeman, of Carson's Mills, are suing in Mercer Orphans' Court because the woman left the bulk of her estate to her neighbors. John F. McKay, a grandnephew, of this city, is the caveator to the will.

It was brought out in the testimony yesterday that Miss Freeman left $4,500 to her niece, Miss Georgiana Freeman, and the remainder of her estate to Mary E. Bryant, Richard Wright, Amanda Clayton and Hattie Bucher, neighbors, who, she told Dr. George A. Sivers, her physician, had been good to her when she lived alone near Hightstown.

## TO REVIEW ASSESSMENTS.

Trenton, Jan. 28.—Justice Reed in the Supreme Court yesterday allowed writs of certiorari carrying up for review the assessments levied by the State Board of Assessors upon second-class railroad property in Jersey City for the year 1909.

The writs are similar to those now pending and involving the second-class railroad property assessments of 1906, 1907 and 1908.

### Probing Counterfeiter's Case.

Elizabeth, Jan. 28.—The Union County Grand Jury began yesterday an investigation of the recent raid at 232 Niles street, this city, where, it is alleged, a den of counterfeiters and thieves was unearthed by the police. The Elizabeth detectives who made the raid, together with United States secret service men, who examined the dies, smelting pots and other materials found in the place, appeared before the grand inquest and gave testimony.

### May Get Another Factory.

Elizabeth, Jan. 28.—Another large factory is to be erected in this city. The Jones Company, an English firm, is negotiating for a tract of land near Neck lane. The firm manufactures paper.

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| Plainfield. | | | |
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| Blatz | 216 | 188 | 125 |
| Laing | 166 | 167 | 210 |
| Causebrook | 200 | 181 | 185 |
| Stout | 157 | 198 | 205 |
| Campbell | 241 | 206 | 232 |
| | 980 | 940 | 957 |
| **Hoboken.** | | | |
| Branda | 156 | 168 | 220 |
| Savatelle | 191 | 167 | 151 |
| Duffy | 148 | 179 | 197 |
| Schneider | 176 | 171 | 157 |
| Keller | 216 | 139 | 170 |
| | 887 | 824 | 895 |

## TRINITY'S ENDEAVORERS BID MISSIONARY FAREWELL

More than two hundred young people, members of the Y. P. S. C. E., of Trinity Reformed, gathered last night in the Sunday school room to wish Goodspeed to Dr. Paul W. Harrison, who starts tomorrow on his long journey to Arabia, where he will enter the missionary field under the auspices of Trinity. An informal hour was spent in a cheerful interchange of cordial greetings and during the evening Dr. Harrison received a handsome watch fob and several volumes of books which he will take with him on his trip.

In addition to the books, a mail bag filled with letters written by the members was handed to him. These letters are not to be opened and read until Dr. Harrison is on the high seas and they are calculated to help while away the tedious hours of the long ocean voyage.

Preceding the presentation of the gifts a musical program of unusual excellence was given. Piano selections by Philip Meisner and duets by Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Young were heartily applauded. The rooms were handsomely decorated with American flags and a Turkish flag was draped over the platform. On introducing Fred Soper, the president of the Y. P. S. C. E., Rev. John Y. Broek spoke in eulogistic terms of the new missionary and his remarks brought forth applause. Mr. Soper called Dr. Harrison to the platform and told him of the deep sensibility the society feels at the sacrifices the doctor is going to make in leaving home for the foreign field and that he might depend upon the society for strengthening prayers during his ministrations.

Mr. Soper recited an original poem written by one of the young women, which was favorably received. Dr. Harrison made a happy response to the various tokens of love which he had received and said he hoped the pastor would some day make him a visit at his post in Arabia. Refreshments were served. The following committee had charge of the affair: Miss Mary Randolph, chairman; the Misses Elsie Dunham, Edna Dilts, Marie Hahn, Edna Cole, Minnie Hahn, Minnie Leitheuser, Harritt Randall, Mrs. M. W. Farnham, Delia Dufford, Lucy Coriell, Abbie and Edna Van Cleef, and Messrs. A. W. Dunham, Elmer Gayle, Russel Doeringer, E. R. Honeyman and Fred Soper.

### THE WEATHER.

Rain or snow tonight and Saturday; increasing east and northeast winds, becoming high, tonight and shifting to northwest Saturday.

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| Chuck Pot Roast, per lb | 10c |
| Shoulder Steak, per lb | 10c |
| Sirloin Steak, per lb | 14c |
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## ANNUAL MEETING OF OF MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

The Men's Bible Conference class, of the First Baptist church, held its annual meeting and entertainment in the lecture room of the church, last night, the affair being largely attended and very enjoyable. A business session was held first when these officers were elected: President, John G. MacLaughlin; vice-president, W. H. Matlack; secretary, Fred K. Armstrong; treasurer, Charles Conover.

The members entertained their wife and women friends and altogether the affair was a delightful one. The committee on entertainment provided an excellent program which included recitations by Miss Canfield, a talented elocutionist of New York city, who gave a number of excellent selections, and soprano solos by Mrs. Robert Giddis and Mrs. Charles T. Shreve, of the church choir. They responded to several encores. Following this entertainment there were brief addresses by members of the club, including Arthur N. Harris, W. H. Herrman, Benjamin S. Phelps, J. Henry Crane and in conclusion Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor of the church, made a few appropriate remarks. The topic chosen for the speeches was "A Man's Job and Religion," and it was handled in an interesting manner.

Then followed a social hour and refreshments were served by a committee comprising J. Henry Crane, Robert W. Barnes and R. S. Bach.

### TO BUILD DREADNOUGHT.

**$10,000,000 Battleship to Be Constructed at Camden Plant.**

It was learned definitely yesterday that the New York Shipbuilding Company, Camden, will take a subcontract under the Fore River Shipbuilding Company to build one Argentine battleship.

The Dreadnought to be built in the Camden yards will cost about $10,000,000, while an additional $1,000,000 will go to the Bethlehem Steel Company for guns and armament for Argentine torpedo boats now being built abroad.

The new Dreadnought will take about two years to build. It will be of 28,000 tons.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 28.—Mrs. Margaret Brooks, a negress, who lives in the Chappoll Mill community, has just given birth to her second quartet of children. She is also the mother of three sets of triplets and one set of twins.


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"Then he knew you were coming?"

"Why, yes." Judith was trying hard to understand what he meant by seeking out her father's knowledge of her present mission, one which was to her decidedly unpleasant.

Wheeler was plainly impressed, and unfavorably so, at the girl's reply.

"Oh!" he ejaculated disappointedly.

The quickly thinking girl detected the significant tone of the newspaper writer's reply and hastened to explain.

"I heard my father say at dinner that he feared there would be another attack tomorrow," she said, "and I hoped through you to prevent its publication and to make the Advance apologize for what it said this morning. I don't see how your paper dares to publish such things."

"But, Judith," he answered, "we couldn't dodge a story as big as that. We had to print it. That's what we're here for."

But she was still insistent.

"Oh, of course, print the story, but I mean the insinuation all through. Why, by using such unfair means newspapers can bring discredit on any one. Mr. McHenry refused to apologize. He wouldn't even tell me who wrote it. Do you know?"

Brand gave a violent start. At first, in her present mood, he hardly dared answer the girl. With a determined effort he pulled himself together and answered her question.

"Yes, I know who wrote it."

"Who?" Judith leaned toward him, gazing intently into his eyes.

"I wrote it," he announced.

Judith started back aghast.

"You, Wheeler? Why?" she cried hysterically.

"I had no choice." He struggled to maintain his grip on himself.

"You had no choice?"

"Judith, when this Lansing Iron case first broke loose," Brand responded firmly, "I saw straight off that it was one of the slickest—well, that there was a big story in it. I didn't know your father was involved in this at first. I just followed the path, and when I saw where it was leading me I wanted to turn back because of you, but I couldn't." He stopped for a moment, then went on: "No, no. I could not stop—not—even—for—you!"

"But it isn't loyal of you," was her response. "It wasn't like you—to at-

*"I wrote it, Judith," he announced.*

tack him suddenly in this way. It's almost as if you struck him from behind. And do you not see, Wheeler, that you are hurting me as much as you injure him? I am his daughter, Wheeler, and if you ruin my father, you will ruin me."

She covered her face with her hands, and her bosom heaved convulsively in her anguish.

CHAPTER II.

WHEELER BRAND gazed at the girl, and above his own misery rose his sympathy and thought for her whom he longed to comfort, for the girl of his choice, whom duty said he must cause to suffer. He yearned to take her in his arms and wipe away the tears, but he knew that she would repulse him. He throbbed with the desire to prove to her his love by assuring her that the attack on her father was ended—but his duty whispered, "No."

And to himself he repeated the "No." For he must go on, and she must endure, and the judge must pay the price.

The voice of an outraged people had spoken through the pen of Wheeler Brand, and he was one of those men strong enough to refuse to take the price of silence.

He led the girl he loved to a chair, even as she sobbed she whispered, "Wheeler, Wheeler, Wheeler," endearingly from her heart's depths. Brand looked down on her with a world of sadness in his eyes. He well knew, and the world would soon know, that those who sit in the high places must pay the penalty for sin, even as the lowliest among us who more blindly goes astray.

Judith Bartelmy had been long enough in society to learn the art of the control and the concealment of emotions under many trying circumstances. Probably in any other situation than in one where her father and the man she loved were so deeply concerned, as in the present, she would have been able to retain a larger degree of self composure. Several minutes passed before she was able to speak in evenly balanced tones.

"Wheeler," she finally said, "if any one had told me that you would or could do what you have done against my father, against my family"—her voice began to break again—"against me, I would not have believed it. And you have not told me that you will cease your attack."

Brand thought to palliate her. He seated himself on a corner of the managing editor's desk and bent toward her as she sat in a chair near him.

"Now, Judith, let me try to explain," he said entreatingly. "I think I can make you understand. You see, the Lansing Iron company owned a lot of valuable properties—ore ranges, machinery, railroad trackage, etc. If it had been managed halfway it would now be a wealth producing business, but some of our speculators downtown were trying to get hold of it to gamble with. They wanted to milk it, as the saying is, by watering it. They did have a stock market battle or two, which profited nobody but the lawyers on both sides. But they finally got it by juggling it into a receivership, which they never could have done if a United States judge had not been willing to exceed his functions. That judge was your father.

"Since the works shut down," he went on strongly, "the men are out of employment, and the gamblers have got busted because the company's gone broke. That's just what happened, and that's all I said."

"But it wasn't your facts, I tell you. It was your insinuation that was false."

"Not insinuation—interpretation."

"But it wasn't true—it wasn't true."

"Oh, yes, it was true, and more."

Judith verged on the hysterical again.

"If you loved me as you pretend to, no matter if you thought it true or not, you could not have written that article."

"Can't you see that I wasn't writing about your father, but about a United States judge who"—

She moved farther away from him.

"That's splitting hairs, Wheeler."

He walked to her side.

"Judith, please—please don't let's quarrel about this."

The girl turned to him impulsively.

"Oh, Wheeler, we were on the verge of it, weren't we?" He cast his arms around her. "You're sorry, aren't you?" She looked fondly into his face. "And you will take back that article, won't you?"

"You mustn't ask me to do that; I can't," looking at her earnestly.

"You can't?"

"No."

Judith drew away from him a step or two. She surveyed him coldly.

"Wheeler, I came here thinking only of my father, but I suddenly find myself facing a much more serious question—not what kind of a man he is, but what kind of a man are you."

Brand was deeply cut by her manner and her intonation.

"Judith, if you only knew the truth, all of it, things I can't tell you, you'd be with me heart and soul in what I'm trying to do."

He caught her in his arms again.

"Whatever I've done or whatever I may do I love you," he insisted passionately.

Judith showed equal fervor as she said:

"And you're more to me than my father, but for my sake you mustn't work against him. How could we ever be happy together if you did? You'll do this for me, Wheeler, just this? I want you to carry out your ideals and live up to your high purposes in every other way, but you must not attack him. Promise me that you'll never do it again. Won't you promise me that? And you'll retract that article you had this morning. You'll do this for me, just this?"

"Judith—it's the truth—and, knowing that, would you have me retract it?"

"Yes."

"I can't."

Judith began to take off the engagement ring Brand had given her.

"You don't mean to do that!" he cried in amazement.

"I most certainly do!"

He was almost frantic. He grasped her hand.

"I won't let you mean it. I can't let you go without your ring. You may be Judge Bartelmy's daughter, but you are going to be my wife. You've worn my ring for a month, and you must wear it forever!"

The girl passed his passionate appeal by without heeding it. She tossed back her pretty head defiantly, snatched the ring from her finger and threw it on the managing editor's desk.

"I'll not wear it again," she exclaimed resolutely, "unless—until you come to your senses." So expressing herself, she stalked majestically across the room.

"Judith!" called Brand in desperation, fearing that she was about to leave him.

"Will you do what I ask?" she queried imperiously.

"I cannot," he answered simply.

The judge's daughter tossed her head independently, caught her skirt in her hand, turned her back swiftly on Brand and walked indignantly from the room.

Wheeler Brand, dazed, heartsick and discouraged and torn by the emotions that welled within him, leaned helplessly against the desk. After all, he reasoned, what did it all matter? There were lots of evil men in the world, always had been, always would be. What harm would it do if one dishonest judge were allowed to go unmolested, even if he happened to be a United States judge? Surely there were other dishonest judges, and he could not drive all of them off the bench—no, indeed. And, moreover, this thankless task he had shouldered would if he succeeded rob him of the girl he loved. It would rob him of the love of the girl who loved him.

Then the thought of the enthusiasm that had buoyed him as he wrote the story that had exposed Judge Bartelmy came to him and clung to him. The inspiration in doing a strong man's work for the public good enthused the spirit of Wheeler Brand, captured his soul. The steady light burned once more in his eyes. He shook himself together—fastened his old time grip on himself. As for Judith, he would do his duty, and he would win her yet.

When the managing editor of the Advance re-entered his office and walked briskly toward his desk he found Wheeler Brand looking eagerly over a notebook which, quite unknown to McHenry, contained the data for an article on the Lansing Iron case even more damaging to Judge Bartelmy than the one already printed.

"Well, did you settle it?" asked McHenry.

Brand looked up and started toward the door.

"Yes, sir," he answered, and he was gone.

At this juncture Downs, the city editor, came into the managing editor's room. He addressed McHenry rapidly.

"Water main burst on Morton street; drowned seven dago kids in the basement of a tenement; mothers, scrubwomen, gone out to work and locked them in; water rising." He drew close to the desk. "Children, climbing stairs to escape, found huddled in each other's arms on top step, drowned! All but the youngest hanging on to a string of beads; must have died praying!"

The managing editor's face immediately lightened, and he pounded his desk enthusiastically.

"Good! Good! By glory, that's a dandy! That saves our lives! Now we'll have a paper tomorrow! We'll go the limit on this. Did you send a photographer?"

"Yes, sir, I did."

McHenry seized the office telephone.

"Night editor! Oh, hello! Cut three columns more out of those shavings. We've got a live one. Seven dago kids drowned. First time they ever saw water in their lives. Run three columns!" He hung up the receiver and turned to the city editor.

"Put in three leads and make it stick out like a sore thumb. And, say, put in a black faced bulletin saying the Advance will receive subscriptions for their families."

Durkin entered with a bundle of proofs.

"And, say, Downs," added McHenry, "print in bold faced type that the Advance will start the subscription with $100."

"Mr. Dupuy is downstairs," announced Durkin.

The managing editor could not suppress a sour expression which crept across his face. "Dupuy, eh?" he grunted half audibly. "Wonder what he wants around here now? He's a regular buttinski."

McHenry knew Dupuy in a business way, knew he was counsel for several of the big mercantile establishments which advertised in the Advance and that the lawyer had represented various corporations at the state capital. "Well, I suppose I'll have to see him," he finally resolved. "Show Mr. Dupuy in," he called to the boy.

"Good evening," was Dupuy's greeting to McHenry as he entered and placed his overcoat on a chair.

"Good evening, Mr. Dupuy. What can I do for you?" The visitor seated himself at the right of McHenry's desk.

"McHenry," began Dupuy decidedly,

*Mr. Dupuy was downstairs.*

"somebody on your paper has been making bad breaks lately, particularly the one this morning."

"What one this morning?"

"The Judge Bartelmy story, of course."

"Help!" sang out McHenry. "I've been getting that all day."

"It's no joke, McHenry," snapped Dupuy.

"It was a mistake," responded the managing editor.

"Mistake! Who was responsible for it?" leaning forward.

"Oh, it just slipped through in the rush."

"Tell that to the marines," retorted Dupuy sarcastically. He paused. "Who slipped it through?"

There was another pause.

McHenry began to assert himself.

"Excuse me, Dupuy," he asked pointedly. "But how does the Bartelmy story affect you?"

"Some of my clients have a very high regard for the judge. Your story grossly misrepresents him."

"Yes, I suppose so."

"This growing tendency to bring our judiciary into disrespect is a dangerous symptom of the unrest beneath the surface," spoke Dupuy pompously. "The federal bench is the ultimate bulwark."

McHenry laughed.

"Oh, capital in distress! Yes, I know all about that."

Dupuy stirred indignantly.

"There was no occasion for that remark," he shot forth tartly.

McHenry saw that Dupuy was very much in earnest and the management of the Advance, as he had previously known it—representatives of an insurance company—would have desired to gratify the wishes of the powerful

*"It's no joke, McHenry."*

interests behind Dupuy. So far as the new owner was concerned, the managing editor could not tell what his attitude would be in the matter, but he had received no instructions as yet to change the policy of the paper. Plainly the course of wisdom, he reasoned, would be to act toward Dupuy as he had acted in the past, when the insurance company had insisted that the paper be operated on a purely commercial basis. Yes, he would deal carefully with Dupuy—that is, with Dupuy's clients.

"No offense meant," explained McHenry. "Well, we'll have nothing more about Bartelmy. Will that satisfy your people?"

"Thank you, McHenry. That will be eminently satisfactory both to them and to me as their legal adviser."

"All right; that settles that."

"Oh, not quite!" said Dupuy, raising his hand warningly. "There's one more point. Who was responsible for the story?"

"Oh, let's pass that!"

But Dupuy could not be turned aside. McHenry had begun to give way to him, and the lawyer intended to follow up his advantage.

"Very well; it's up to you," he said. "But I want you to realize, whatever happens, there is no personal animosity in the matter."

"What do you mean by 'whatever happens?'" asked the managing editor quickly.

The visitor was a living picture of complacency.

"How much advertising did you get from our concern last year?"

The managing editor began to discern more clearly the hidden club in Dupuy's words and demands.

"Oh, I can't say as to that."

"About $30,000 worth, wasn't it?"

"Yes, I should think so," admitted McHenry.

"Well, there's the answer," exclaimed Dupuy triumphantly. "As a matter of business, McHenry, if you are not friendly to my clients, why, you can hardly expect them to be friendly to you, and I shall explain to the new proprietor of the Advance, Mr. Nolan, the reasons for the sudden drop in his advertising. He is a rich man, and he probably will not like to know that he is in the way of losing a good deal of money to further a radical propaganda which he probably abhors. Come, McHenry, for your own sake be reasonable. Who wrote the story? Surely you are not going to consider a mere reporter in a matter so vital to our interests. Who was it?"

McHenry surrendered.

"A young fellow named Wheeler Brand."

Dupuy rose and towered above McHenry as he sat at his desk.

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## THE ABSTEMIOUS RABBIT.

A curious characteristic of animal life on the deserts of the Southwest was recently commented upon by a correspondent of the Los Angeles Times, who has discovered that rabbits, quail, squirrels, deer, antelope, the mountain sheep, and any number of reptiles and insects live at great distance from any visible water. Most remarkable is the way the hare or jackrabbit goes without water, without a particle of green food in sight for leagues, says Youth's Companion.

You find him happy and fat, spending the day under a scrap of bush that makes little more shade than a fishnet. His skin is as porous as a piece of buckskin, and the heat is enough to evaporate every drop of blood in his body, if it were so much blood in a bag of skin. And all the time, too, he is evaporating water through his lungs by his breath the same as you do. Yet there he will sit all day until evening, when he will play for miles over the still fiery plain and run the sun a race to bed.

Then he may spend half the night dodging coyotes or hunting an alfalfa patch, to find himself fenced out, when he will be ready to run the sun another race, out of bed, apparently for pure fun. And when you bag him you will find him just as full of blood as the thoroughbred Belgian hare of a few years ago, that used to sit in his cage on exhibition and drink water and eat green feed every few minutes.

Has the reader ever seen a jackrabbit drink? I believe that in the thirty-three years I have been in California I have seen about as many jack-rabbits as any one and watched them closely, and I never yet saw one touch water. I have camped on the desert for days at the only water in many leagues, with rabbits about everywhere, but not one of them came to the spring. I have examined the margins of many a water hole on the same kind of ground, yet never found a track of one in the mud beyond where the grass grew.

Last summer we had a raid of rabbits beyond all conception. They were so bold they would come in before sundown. Our ditches had the only water for miles, but never a rabbit could be seen drinking. I was irrigating sixty acres alone, and was up at daylight and on the ground again till dark, when rabbits by the dozen were trying to get at the alfalfa, but for the three months of extreme heat the rabbits poured in on us from the dry hills I never saw one touch the water.

The cottontail is so rare on the drier parts of the desert that it is difficult to say with exactness what he does or does not do. But some thirty years ago, on the road from San Diego to El Cajon, some twelve miles, one could count a thousand any morning or evening in making the trip by wagon. Most of the way was miles from any spring, and at the spring never could a cottontail be seen drinking.

There was plenty of cactus, but I never saw one touch it, and in certain places it would have been eaten clean off in a week if they had eaten it. With this exception there was practically no green feed in summer or fall except the chaparral bushes, which they did not eat so far as one could see.

All old settlers can remember having seen the same thing in hundreds of places.

## AN INTELLIGENT ECHO.

"Echoes," remarked the great traveler, "are queer things. They're queer for two reasons—their cause and the vast difference in their sounds. Science has explained why there are echoes, but it can't tell why one should reverberate with bass tones in response to a shrill tenor yell, while another reverses this or responds naturally."

"I reckon, you've heard a number o' echoes?" hazarded the young man, whose furthest trip from home was a distance of thirty-nine and a half miles.

"Rather! I recall one in Switzerland; the echo rolled for just four seconds—no more, no less. Then there's one in the Pyrenees that jumps six times, first loud and harsh, then low and soft, then loud again, and so on. There's one in the western part of Germany that holds a full sentence of seven words before releasing a sound, thus rivalling a certain echo in Afghanistan, which doesn't repeat until a minute and a half have elapsed."

"I'd like to hear a few of 'em," said the homestaying chap with a fine show of wistfulness.

"Of course you would," responded the traveler encouragingly. "There are few things in the world more interesting than a good echo."

"You're right," said the other thoughtfully. "I ain't even been but a few miles frome home, but I'v heard one o' the strangest echoes that ever was anywhere.

"Up in the little range yonder is a ravine. If you stand at one end of it and yell 'Jones!' the echo comes back, 'Jones? Jones? What Jones?'"

The great traveler looked musingly into space and was silent.—Richmond News-Leader.

### Give It Up.

"What do these bachelor girls do when motoring?"

"What do you mean?"

"Do they crawl under the automobile?"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

## STREET FAKER'S LITTLE GAME.

"Now, gentleman," said the street faker, after he had finished the preliminary argument and promised to do the card trick later, reports The Kansas City Times, "I am putting these stones out today solely for advertising purposes. We are making an appeal to wise men. If there are any pikers or rubes in the crowd I won't detain them longer.

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The street faker paused a moment. There was a good crowd around him, but the crowd was timid.

"I'm not out here to beg you to take these goods," the faker continued, "I thought I was addressing intelligence. Who will be the first man?"

The faker gave the cue and a man pushed through the crowd. He laid down a dollar, took the stones and started to leave.

"Just a moment, stranger," yelled the faker. "You forget your change!"

"So I did," said the other, as he accepted seventy-five cents and walked away.

"Twenty-five cents is the advertising price," said the faker, as he got a new start. "Twenty-five cents, I don't want to short change anybody. Just a quarter of a dollar is all I want and you get the two Hot Springs diamonds."

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## LOVE'S TRAGEDY.

"Daughter," said Stoxanbons, an anxious tone coming into his voice, as he led his only child to a seat, relates an exchange, "tell me, was not young Seekem here last night?"

"He was father. Why do you ask?"

"Words passed between you?"

"Yes, father. A mere spat, hardly a quarrel. Why do you ask? Has anything happened?"

The expression of alarm on the girl's face deepened. "Yes, he proposed," she answered quickly. "Oh, father, has anything happened? For mercy's sake, don't keep me in suspense! If he has—"

"What reply made you daughter, to this proposal? Did you accept?"

The girl moaned. "No, father, I did not. I did not feel that I could in justice to him. But why torture me thus? Has his body been—"

The parent's face hardened. "Tell me!" he persisted, "did you give him any encouragement?"

"Oh, I dont know, I don't know!" murmured the girl, distressed. "Has he drowned himself—"

"You refused him, absolutely and positively?"

The girl shuddered. "Heaven help me," she said, "I did! He threatened to end it all; but I didn't believe he would. And so this is the result! Oh, isn't it awful!"

"It is," assented the father. "I suspected that you had finally dismissed him when the news of what he had done came to me today."

"Father," murmured the unhappy girl, "shall I be held to account for this awful thing?"

"I think not. You weren't obliged to marry him just because he asked you."

"But tell me, father, what has happened? Tell me! I have strength to bear it!"

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The dining room is "papered" with Dutch delft ware, and in a recess is a saltcellar made by a pupil of Michelangelo valued at $1,000. The study is a bare and inconvenient room. It commands magnificent views of Sark, Herm, Jethou, Castle Cornet and the harbor and leads into a small room used by the novelist as a rest and sleeping chamber, lined with volumes bearing the marks of his own use.

Not the least interesting of the features are the correspondent points out, the mottoes and aphorisms written up in unexpected places. "Life Is an Exile" is inscribed on the door of the dining room; on the bed prepared for Garibaldi (which was never occupied) one may read, "Nox, Mors, Lux;" in the oak gallery are three chairs inscribed "Pater," "Mater," "Filius," and underneath "Filius" is written "Amatus Amat."

In the red drawing room and other splendid apartments are tables that belonged to Charles II., a bedstead of Francis I. and a fire screen worked by Mme. Pompadour, a white and gold dessert service once the property of Louis Philippe.—Sunday School Chronicle.

## NORWAY WATCH BOYS.

### They Sit In Tall Sentry Boxes on the Lookout For Fish.

It is common enough to see a boy watching cattle to keep them from straying, and in days not so very long gone by it was no unusual thing for a boy to be set to keep the birds off the crops. But a watch boy whose duty it is to keep a lookout for a school of fish and who sits in a sentry box set upon stilts is not such an everyday sight.

This particular kind of watch boy is Norwegian, the scene of his labors being the shores of some fiord of his native land.

His little sentry box is made of wood and perched high upon posts. Here the lad sits, gazing out across the arm of the sea, using his keen eyes for the benefit of the farmers who are depending upon him to give the alarm when a school of fish shall appear. They work contentedly enough in their fields, secure in the belief that their watch boy will let them know when it is time to reap a harvest from the sea instead of from the land.

When the signal is given they leave their work, throw their big nets over their shoulders and hurry off to their boats.

Sentinel boxes similar to those employed in Norway were in use among the fishermen on the shores of the Mediterranean, and it is supposed that the vikings brought back with them from some of their piratical raids the idea that has been put in practice ever since.—Youth's Companion.

### Analysis.

There was once a young man who was paying court to three different beautiful damsels. Each was fair, each was sweet, each was charming. So much of a triplicate similarity did they have that he did not know how to choose between them. So he went to a wise old man and laid his troubles before him.

"Is there a clock at each house?" asked the wise old man.

"There is."

"And what does Esperalda say when the clock strikes 11?"

"She says the clock is slow."

"What does Eulalie say?"

"She says the clock is just right."

"And what does Evangeline say?"

"She always says the clock is fast."

"My son, there is no need for further evidence. Evangeline is the one that really loves you."—Judge.

### Burglar Medicine.

"A society woman once asked me what she should do if a burglar were to get into her room and awaken her from sleep," said a former police captain. "I told her to do nothing except sit up in bed and squeal for help at the top of her lungs. That's the medicine for Mr. Burglar. Not one of the gentry in 10,000 will do aught save run like a deer when a woman begins to yell. The sure enough professional will not harm anybody unless cornered, and to shoot is the last thing he contemplates in his philosophy. An amateur loses his head and uses his gun, but a regular—never."—Baltimore American.

### Sarcastic.

A pompous looking lawyer once chartered a hansom cab, and on reaching his destination he duly gave his driver the shilling required by law.

The driver looked at the coin and bit his lip. Then in the most courteous manner he said: "Do step in again, sir. I could ha' druv ye a yard or two farther for this 'ere."—London Fun.

### Reasons For Love.

Patience—All the girls just hate him because he's going to marry me. Patrice—You love him for the enemies he has made, I suppose.—Yonkers Statesman.

### The Manager.

"Are you able to manage your husband?"

"I don't have to. My mother lives with us."—Houston Post.

JANUARY TWENTY-NINTH.

1843—William McKinley, twenty-fifth President of the United States, born at Niles, O.; died at Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 14, 1901.

# THE DAILY PRESS.

THE WEATHER.

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## CHARITY CENTRALIZATION

### Conference Held by Local Philanthropic Association Representatives.

### A PLAN FOR CO-OPERATION.

### Committee of Five Appointed to Issue Call for Meeting of All Heads of Various Charitable Institutions.

Representatives of several charitable organizations of the city held a conference with Mayor Charles J. Fisk in his office, last night, the purpose being to decide upon plans for bringing all charities of the city under one common head and conducting the same on a systematic basis.

The conference resulted in the adoption of this resolution:

"That the Mayor be requested to appoint a committee of five to assemble representatives of all the various agencies for social betterment and relief with a view to appointing a general registrar and promoting effective co-operation in the conduct of such work. It is understood that all the churches and private benevolent and fraternal organizations will be invited to take part."

In this connection the Mayor appointed Julius E. Erickson, Hugh F. Fox, Henry L. DeForest, Duncan W. Taylor and Rev. George A. Warner as such committee. It will be the object of this committee to get in touch with every society and lodge in the city and borough with a view to securing the greatest co-operation possible in the dispensing of charity.

Not all the various charities were represented last night, but there was a sufficient number to make a good start. Among those attending the conference were Miss Holly, agent for the Oragnized Aid; Miss Georgianna Smith and Miss Mebelle C. Phillips, of the Anti-Tuberculosis League of Plainfield and North Plainfield; Miss Harriett Mattison, of the Board of Health; Julius E. Erickson, George P. Mellick, Henry L. DeForest, William M. Wherry, Jr., Dr. B. VanD. Hedges, Leon R. Thurlow, Councilmen Duncan W. Taylor and Frederic E. Mygatt, Hugh F. Fox, William S. Tyler and Mayor Charles J. Fisk.

At the outset Mr. Fisk outlined the plans drafted in his annual message for conducting local charities. He said that at present about $50,000 is raised annually for all charitable purposes in the city. This is raised every year by the same people. He declared he did no know of a place where people were more charitably inclined than in Plainfield, but the funds are not always expended judiciously. There are often times when charity is duplicated by the Charity Organized Aid and various churches. The Mayor enumerated the various charities in the city, ways and means, as taken from his message. He then invited Mr. Fox to speak on the subject and offer such suggestions as might occur to him in connection with the question of charity.

Mr. Fox said that he did not think it would be wise to "pool" all charitable efforts in the city and feed the deserving from one fund, he was not sure that such a scheme would be feasible, but he believed that the community would measure up to any well devised plan.

He suggested that all undesignated sums be divided equally among local charties. He cited the fact that there is now between 20,000 and 30,000 people in Plainfield and North Plainfield and yet it is safe to say that not more than one thousand are regular contributors to charity. He thought it possible to hit upon a plan for the development of the social welfare of the people.

In this connection he referred to the medical inspection now required in the public schools, adding that these inspections often lead to the discovery of some disease or affliction aniong children that requires more extended treatment. In this case he said it might be well for the city to stand such expense, provided the parents are unable to pay for the treatment, and thus prevent a greater cost in later years.

This brought Mr. Fox up to the point of suggesting ways and means to keep a complete and accurate record of every case of charity in the city. It was shown that the hospital keeps a record of the "pay" and "non pay" patients treated, but that someone is needed to look after the business end of the work. It was also shown that in many cases there are people who don't like to acquaint the Charity Oraganized Aid with all the details of charity work under their supervision.

Then the idea of a "central bureau" for information in charity work was presented. It was shown that the various organizations keep records, but in the aggregate there are deficiencies and it is to meet

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## MAYOR'S CABINET MEETS

### Line Rights Along Greenbrook Referred to County Attorney for Opinion.

### ABOUT THE SANITARY CODE.

### To Prevent Expectorating on Trolley Cars—Hear a Complaint Against Trolley Methods.

Mayor Charles J. Fisk and his cabinet met yesterday afternoon and discussed several questions of more or less importance, including that of defining the banks of Green brook, which was brought up at a previous session. A communication was received from Corporation Counsel Craig A. Marsh in which he gave his opinion in the matter.

According to Mr. Marsh, no permit may be given for the erection of a building along the banks of the brook if it should in any way obstruct the course of the water. If the walls along the brook have been in position more than twenty years, that fact alone gives the abutting property-owners definite rights; otherwise it does not.

It was decided by Mr. Fisk to refer the matter to County Attorney W. R. Codington for an opinion as to county line rights. Nothing will be done until his opinion is received.

One of the most important matters discussed was that relative to enforcing the sanitary code concerning the prevention of spitting in trolley cars or public places. This section was read and a copy was given Chief of Police P. S. Kiely with instructions to see that it is enforced strictly. The code provides that any person or persons who shall violate the law shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine not less than $2 nor greater than $100. Chief Kiely has been instructed to see that violators of the code are brought before the court.

There were several other matters discussed, but no definite action was taken at this time.

Mayor Fisk read a communication from the Public Service Corporation in reference to a complaint made to him by Arthur Murphy, relative to what he considered an injustice in giving out transfers. Mr. Murphy claimed that he boarded an Arlington avenue car on Somerset street, near Front, wishing to transfer to the Netherwood car at the Watchung avenue stand. The conductor refused to give him a transfer claiming that it was against the rules of the company to issue a transfer from his line on Front street to another city line. The argument seemed to resolve itself into a question as to whether Mr. Murphy boarded the car on Somerset street about forty feet from Front street.

The result was that he paid two fares in going from Front and Somerset street to Putnam avenue and Webster place. The P. S. C., in reply informed the Mayor that the conductor followed the company rules and that he was within his rights.

### MR. AND MRS. WALTER EMMONS GIVE A SALAMAGUNDI PARTY.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Emmons, of 146 Somerset street, entertained a number of friends at their home last night at a Salamagundi party. At the conclusion of play it was announced that first and second honors were won by Miss Alice Bonwell, Mrs. A. B. Cole, A. B. Cole, James Andrews, Miss Sadie Line and Samuel Tevener.

An amusing incident was the showering of a couple with confetti, in anticipation of their engagement, announcement of which will be made within a short time. During the evening refreshments were served, after which the happy affair terminated.

### ENTERTAINS CHOIR.

Miss Alice Carroll, organist at Grace M. E. chuch, entertained the members and friends of the choir at a Salagemundi party at her home on Westervelt avenue last night. It was a delightful affair and the guests had a merry time in playing games of numerous varieties. During the evening a duet was rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Edward D. Young and solos by Mrs. Young and Miss Winifred Carroll. Thirty guests were present.

### Will is Offered for Probate.

The will of the late Isaac Randolph was offered for probate in the office of Surrogate Parrot at Elizabeth on Wednesday. Blanchard Randolph and Councilman Charles C. Randolph, sons of Mr. Randolph, were named as executors of the will.

### Chalmers-Detroit Deliveries Sold Up to May.

Andrew C. Thompson has now with one exception booked orders for all the Chalmers-Detroit cars available up to May 15.

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## PRINTERS' ANNUAL BALL

### Local Typographical Union's Dance Attended by Several Hundred.

### MANY FROM OTHER TOWNS.

### C. W. Francisco Starts the Festivities—Suhr's Orchestra Furnishes the Music—At Saengerbund Hall.

Plainfield Typographical Union, No. 399, gave the first ball in its history last night in Saengerbund Hall, North Plainfield, and if the attendance can be used as a criterion of the future of this organization it is rosy. More than three hundred couples danced to the music of Suhr's Imperial orchestra and the festivities were kept up until about half-past two this morning.

Representatives from other unions were present from Newark, New Brunswick, Somerville, Bound Brook, Elizabeth and New York and they all voted the ball one of the finest affairs of the season. An unique program was commented upon as a novelty. Promptly at 9 o'clock Chairman Clarence Francisco started the ball with a two-step and from then on it was one merry round of pleasure for the participants. Nothing occurred to mar the pleasure of the night. Refreshments were served during the evening.

The union will entertain the New Jersey State Printer League in this city on the third Sunday in April at which time arrangements will probably be made for an excursion to take place some time during the summer. Financially the ball was a great success and the union is to be congratulated.

The committee in charge of the ball were: C. W. Francisco, chairman; M. A. Nichols and Frazee Charlemagne Putnam. The officers are: President, Robert Emmett Scott; vice-president, C. A. Nichols; secretary-treasurer, H. W. Thomas, and sergeant-at-arms, C. W. Francisco.

### MRS. JACOB BLIMM, SR., GIVEN SURPRISE PARTY ON BIRTHDAY.

Mrs. Jacob Blimm, Sr., was given an agreeable surprise party at her home in the New Madison, last night, in honor of the sixty-sixth anniversary of her birthday. The affair was arranged by her daughters and attended by the immediate relatives and friends to the number of about twenty.

Progressive euchre was played, honors being awarded to Mrs. Margaret Sweeny, George Mehl and Geo. O. Strayer. The company also enjoyed vocal and instrumental selections, after which refreshments were served. Mrs. Blimm receiver a number of presents and a postal card shower.

### Papers on Mission Work.

Two papers were presented at the meeting of the Young Women's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert W. Barnes, of Mountain avenue. Miss Helen Armstrong gave an interesting account of mission work among the negroes in America and Miss May S. Shreve in a paper on "Labrador" told of the work of Dr. Witfred Greenfell, the medical missionary, who has devoted his life to the care of teh inhabitants of the Labrador coast, and who has interested multitudes in his noble philanthropy. A devotional service led by Mrs. Robbin Brown preceded the paper.

### Employes Annual Dance.

The employes of A. E. Force & Co. have issued invitations for their annual dance to be held on Wednesday night, February 2. They have planned to make this the most popular event of the kind yet held by them. The invitations are limited. The event is being looked forward to with much interest and the committee is working hard to make it a success. Lunch will be served at 11 o'clock in the large dining-room, while speeches and songs will be an added feature.

### Will Take Up Hack Ordinance.

The Common Council will hold a special meeting Wednesday night to take up the proposed new hack ordinance. The meeting is called for that one purpose alone, it being the desire of the members to get the ordinance in shape for adoption at the February meeting.

### Fined Three Dollars.

William Jeroloman was arrested on Somerset street last night charged with drunkenness and disorderly conduct. In court this morning Recorder Dolliver fined him three dollars.

### Master William Moore Dies.

William Moore, the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Moore, of 510 Watchung avenue, died this morning. Arrangements for the funeral will be announced later.

## AUTO RUNS AMUCK ON GROVE STREET

A series of snorts and chug-chugs exploded by James F. Parker's automobile, while being driven through Grove street by Mr. Parker's chauffeur, George Giddes, made a big commotion on that thoroughfare yesterday afternoon. The machine was traveling toward West Front street, when the slushy roadway caused the machine to become unmanageable.

Chauffeur Giddes lost control of the steering apparatus and the auto skidded, jumped over the curb, and bolted across the lawn of Charles Mathews' property, situated on the corner of Grove street and Prospect place. The auto did not stop until it cleared the lawn and reached the gutter on the Prospect place side of the Mathews' property.

Considerable damage resulted to the front of the auto but Giddes escaped unhurt. The auto was towed to Barfuss' garage on Somerset street for repairs.

## SERIES OF SERMONS ON EPISTLE TO THE ROMANS

Rev. Charles S. Kemble, pastor of the Monroe Avenue M. E. church, announces a series of Sunday morning sermons on the "Epistle to the Romans," the study of which, he asserts, emancipated Luther from spiritual slavery in the sixteenth century and inaugurated the Reformation and in the eighteenth century proved equally efficacious in awakening John Wesley, and through him English Protestantism, from the dead deism of that day to an evangelical fervor that still burns in millions of hearts.

Mr. Kemble believes the epistle to be big with potency to stir many more lives today if its message is thoroughly mastered, and he intends to unlock some of its mysteries to his people if they will lend him their intelligent co-operation.

## DOANE HAS EXCITING VISIT TO PASSAIC

Fire Chief T. O. Doane, while on a visit to Passaic Thursday, for the purpose of giving information to the officials of that city, relative to the reorganized Passaic department, figured in an exciting runaway, but luckily he escaped injury.

While making a tour of the city, Chief Doane occupied a seat in Chief Bowker's runabout. While crossing the Passaic river bridge a clip in one of the shafts of the vehicle broke and frightened the animal. The two officials were carried across the bridge at a breakneck rate of speed and at the end the two chiefs were dumped into a pile of barrels. The horse, which is one of the prize animals in the Passaic department, was considerably cut.

The thrills of the runaway, however, did not prevent Chief Doane from handing out some valuable pointers to the Passaic officials. In addition to the local chief the consultation board was made up of Chief Conway, of Jersey City; Chief Ashley, of Newark; Mayor Burd W. Spencer, and the members of the Passaic Councilmanic committee.

During the day the visitors were entertained at General Spencer's home at dinner. A conference was held at which the four chiefs combined their ideas and their recommendations will be presented to the Common Council of that city, and it is possible that a department on the lines of the local system will be adopted.

On his visit to Passaic Chief Doane was warmly greeted by Assistant Chief Walter Gibson, who is a former Plainfield boy.

### Will Give First Entertainment.

The first entertainment under the auspices of the Young People's Society of the Church of the Heavenly Rest, will be held at the parish house, Tuesday night. Mrs. Josephine Borden will be in charge and it will be of a dramatic nature. There will be three sketches, concluding with a living album, in which William Ochiltree will be the star. There will also be comic songs by David Sutton, violin and piano selections and dancing.

### Mrs. Andrew Suydam Fritts.

Lillian Richards, wife of Dr. Andrew Suydam Fritts, died late last night at her home in Binghamton, N. Y., of pneumonia. She was ill about a week. The funeral will be held from the late home in Binghamton, tomorrow afternoon and the burial will be in Hillside cemetery, this city, on Monday.

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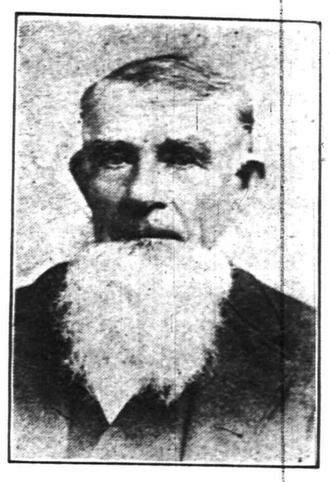
## CENTURY MARK HIS GOAL

### Robert Lowrie, of Dunellen, is Ninety-seven Years Old Next Tuesday.

### NEVER "BROKE" IN HIS LIFE.

### Settled at New Market in 1832, and Has Voted At Nineteen Presidential Elections—Native of Scotland.

When the clocks strike the hour of midnight on Monday night, Robert Lowrie, Dunellen's oldest resident, as well as one of New Jersey's oldest citizens, will have entered upon the ninety-eighth year of his career. Although Mr. Lowrie is enjoying excellent health for a person of his great age, his approach to the century



Robert Lowrie.

mark will not be marked by any celebration. He has five living children, fourteen grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren, a sufficient number for a good sized birthday soiree—but as he told a reporter—in a three-hour chat the other afternoon, he "never did believe in such rackets," so the relatives of Mr. Lowrie will comply with the octogenarian's wishes.

Mr. Lowrie has two more years to make the century goal and he entertains strong hopes that his life will be spared until the one hundredth milestone is reached.

A keen memory enables Mr. Lowrie to tell of the youthful changes made by Father Time in the flight of years and during his life he has noted some remarkable transformations in the swift march of progress. He remembers the ante-railroad era in the early days and the excitement and curiosity of the residents of this section when the first train of steam cars traveled over the Jersey Central; and he also recalls the days of the old stage coach passenger and mail route when Dunellen was a stopping point between New York and Philadelphia.

He feels especial pride in the fact that he voted in nineteen presidential elections. He graduated from the old Whig school into the Republican party and has always voted the G. O. P. ticket.

Only at the last November election he was among the first to cast his vote at the Dunellen polls. Party workers suggested to him that he ride to the polling place in a carriage but he stoutly refused this proffered assistance, and insisted on walking.

As he emerged from the ballot booth and deposited his ballot he exclaimed to the election officials, accompanied by a vigorous stamp of his cane on the floor:

"Well here goes another ticket in for the Grand Old Pary of Lincoln."

During his career Mr. Lowrie was thrifty and saving and he accumulated considerable valuable property which he now owns. At this time it is his proud boast, "I always had money and never knew what it was to be without a dollar."

Born at Stirlingshire, Scotland, February 1, 1913, Mr. Lowrie came to America when a young man of nineteen in company with his brothers, James and George Lowrie, who also lived to ripe old ages, the former dying at 86 years, and George at 98 years of age. The trip was made across the Atlantic in an old fashioned sailing vessel and it took the craft nearly three months to make the voyage.

Four days after his arrival in New York Mr. Lowrie found himself at New Market, and it was in that village and Dunellen that he has spent all his days. Mr. Lowrie's description of his trip to New Market from New York seventy-eight years ago was an interesting narrative.

Accompanied by John Wilson, a sailor, who deserted the ship when it reached New York, the pair walked to Paterson. After remaining in the Silk City over night he decided

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## LAYMEN PLEDGE THEMSELVES TO CONTRIBUTE $25,000 FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS IN ONE YEAR

### State Senator Ackerman Introduces Resolution Which is Quickly Adopted at the Laymen's Forward Movement Mass Meeting.

When Judge William N. Runyon lifted up his splendid voice to lead in the singing of the hymn "Blest be the Tie That Binds," last night, at the meeting of the Laymens' Missionary Movement, more than three hundred representative men of the evangelical churches were present and joined with vigor in the singing. The meeting was held in the auditorium of the First M. E. church and was presided over by Charles W. McCutchen, who made the opening speech and introduced the speakers. A resolution was introduced by State Senator Ernest R. Ackerman, which was unanimouhly adopted. Music was furnished by a quartet composed of A. H. Osmun, B. F. Tallamy, George H. Smith and Thomas McDonald.

Mr. McCutchen in his speech said in referring to the recent huge meeting in New York that the sight of so many men combined in the work of sending the gospel to the multitudes which have not yet heard of Christ was an inspiring sight to him and those who were there. He characterized the movement as the holiest enterprise ever undertaken. It means that the depths of human hearts have been roused to such an extent that it will not cease until the world has been evangelized and it will happen in our time.

This result is no more impossible than that the great Eastern nation (Japan) was born in a day. It only needs men and money. When Abraham Lincoln sent out his call for 75,000 men a million responded to save an imperilled nation. Is it too much to ask the same response to save the nations of the earth for Christ?

Silas H. McBee, who followed Mr. McCutchen said in part that in the town of Greensboro, N. C., in a recent meeting of laymen 1,556 men of the total population of 10,000 had registered as willing to uphold the movement now going on for the evangelization of the 900,000,000 people who have never heard of Christ. This is the largest proportion of any convention to register with the single exception of the New York meeting.

In Canada the movement has made splendid strides toward the figure set by the laymen of that country. In Toronto alone they have nearly reached in three years the goal set for five years and have raised their subscriptions to foreign missions from $140,000 to $370,000, and the individual offerings average nearly $5 per year.

Mr. McBee said that while in San Francisco during the recent celebration he had the pleasure of meeting Admiral Uriu, of the Japanese navy, who is a Congregationalist and a fighting Christian. Admiral Uriu said that what his people needed was not denominationalism, but Christ. He was enthusiastically in favor of the Laymen's Movement and said he anticipated the day when all Japan would acknowledge the sovereignty of Christ.

Mr. McBee further said that because they were laymen they could work together without involving the churches as they were not officers.

Mr. McBee asked the audience to compare these figures with a table exhibited near the pulpit, which showed the contributions of the various local churches, a copy of which will be found below. He also said that while this country had but 2,000 missionaries in the field we had 140,000 ministers at home and wanted to know if the men of this city thought that fair to the unconverted. We are simply asking you to share the light you have with the 900,000,000 souls who have no light. He suggested that a committee be appointed among the laymen in each church to see that every man in the church be given an opportunity to follow Christ and proclaim Him.

E. T. Colton, who spoke on the opportunities of the churchmen to help in the work of Gospel spreading roused the audience to enthusiasm by his eloquent appeal for the heathen nations and said that we western people were largely to blame for the vices now running unrestrained throughout the Far East American saloons backed up by American breweries were one cause of the degradation and the brothels were imported ideas in China.

Commercial supremacy is what these nations are looking for and we are doing our best to help that feeling along by introducing our own methods of amassing fortunes no matter how we get them. In exporting our products we have also introduced all the vices which a so-called Christian nation can devise. Frochow avenue in Shanghai has the "great white way" beaten a mile, according to Mr. Colton, who says that the whole thoroughfare is lined with gambling palaces, dance halls and brothels. He told the story of a Chinaman who lived some two hundred miles up country, and who wished his son to receive the education which the country districts did not afford so he brought the boy to Shanghai. Hand in hand they walked through the streets of the cosmopolitan city looking for a proper place in which to lodge the lad. His impressions of the houses visited were discouraging, so much so that he was minded to return to his home. However, he heard of the Christian mission in the city and there found the refuge and help he desired and there he left his son to the care of those who were willing to lead him to righteousness and learning.

There is great moral restraint in their own religion, but this Chinaman had noticed that there was something more than restraint in the lives of the Christians who were working among his people and this was what he wanted for his son. It is our duty to show these people that our worship of Christ is not a mockery and we must, if we would follow the Master's command take up the teaching of Christ on the world's scale.

Much is heard of attempting to keep out undesirable aliens from this country, but do you know that most of the undesirable things which have come to this country were brought here by Americans? It is so. Our students in Germany brought back with them rationalism. The knowledge of the underworld of France and the literature of that country came here in like manner and I might say that that is the case with most of the evil which has been copied from abroad.

Mohammedanism and Heathenism must eventually succumb to the onward march of Christianity for it is Christ's purpose to have His name known to all the world. I have a strong presentiment of what will happen in the event of the discontinuance of the forward Christian Missionary movement. I ask you to treat Christ right.

At the conclusion of Mr. Colton's speech Senator Ackerman arose and offered the following resolution:

Be it resolved:

First. That as men representing the evangelical churches of this community, we hereby express our appreciation of the instructive and inspiring addresses to which we have listened and record our deepened conviction of the responsibility which rests on this generation to extend as far as possible to all non-Christians now living in every land, the knowledge of the ever living Christ.

Second. That we cordially endorse the Laymen's Missionary Movement as a means of arousing the men of America to their missionary obligation and privilege.

Third. That we suggest that in every local church a strong missionary committee of men be formed to co-operate with the minister in organizing and carrying forward a personal canvas with the purpose of inducing every member to become a regular and worthy supporter of the missionary work of his own church.

Fourth. That we pledge ourselves and call upon all Christian men of this community to support foreign missions by study, systematic giving and prayer.

Fifth. That we recommend to the churches of this community that the goal of their missionary giving for 1910 be fixed at not less than $25,000, and that the amount be raised per capita as evenly as practicable so that it will be shown to be a spontaneous and general Christian movement.

Sixth. That the committee which called this meeting be continued, with instructions to co-operate with the local churches in carrying out the recommendations of this convention.

The figures representing the membership of the various evangelical churches and their contributions to foreign missions during the past year as displayed on the table mentioned are as follows: Total member-

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# NO-SEAT-NO-FARE ACT DISCUSSED AT TRENTON

Trenton, Jan. 29.—The provisions of the proposed ordinance requiring trolley companies to provide seats for all passengers from whom fares are collected were discussed at a hearing Thursday night by the Ordinance Committee of Common Council. Action was deferred until after the committee holds a further conference on it.

Judge George W. Macpherson, representing the Trenton Street Railway Company, opposed the measure for several reasons. He said it would lead to much trouble between passengers and conductors and would not accomplish its aim. The company, he said, was anxious to carry as many passengers as possible. He urged that prejudice and hatred be put aside and that the committee consider only the real facts in the case.

The company, the judge added, had already taken steps to improve its service, but the changes required reasonable time.

"Trenton," he said, "is no longer a small town, and to give every passenger a seat during the rush hours would be almost an impossibility. It is not done in New York, Philadelphia, Newark or other busy cities."

Another point made by the judge was that a no-seat-no-fare ordinance doubtless would prompt many persons to wait for crowded cars, so that they could ride free by standing.

It was asked if the company could refuse to admit passengers into cars having all the seats filled, and the judge answered that he believed, in view of the fact that a penalty was provided for, such action would be legal. In other words, the conductor of a car having all its seats occupied would not have to stop the car except to let off passengers.

Mr. Kafes, of the committee, wanted to know what could be done at the fair grounds and ball field if the crowds boarded the first cars and the others were left empty. In reply, Judge Macpherson said that a conduetor, after telling a passenger he had no seat for him, could collect a fare if the person persisted in getting on and standing. All hands seemed to agree that such action would precipitate rows, fights and perhaps riot.

John H. Backes, counsel to Mayor Madden, declared that the ordinance should be enforced reasonably and that the penalty should be sought only in case of gross violation. He argued that the measure would make it necessary for the company to keep up its schedules. In talking about running the cars in bunches, he said that much such trouble was caused by the fact that the conductor of the first car continued to stop for more passengers instead of going ahead and permitting the cars behind him to gather them up.

Mr. Kafes asked if a seat was a matter of right, and Mr. Backes said he believed it was, as seats were provided and the passenger was entitled to one when he traveled over the road.

City Solicitor Bird said that a similar ordinance adopted by Jersey City had been upheld in the Supreme Court. The opinion of Justice Pitney in the matter, he said, was broad and demanded that the provisions of the ordinance should be only reasonably applied. Under the Pitney opinion all prosecutions for violations are to be made by the city solicitor, who is to be the judge of the merits of the complaints.

### INDIANS TO PUBLISH WEEKLY NEWSPAPER.

Muskogee, Okla., Jan. 29.—An Indian newspaper will be established here next month, the first copy appearing probably on February 15. Chiefs of the five civilized tribes and other influential Indians are backing the movement. The paper will be edited by Augustus W. Ivey, of Stillwell, a Cherokee, and will appear weekly. It will be known as the "Degtanns Archeeta," which means "Farm and Fireside."

Every department of the paper will be printed in some Indian language. The Cherokee, Greek, Choctaw, Seminole and Chickasaw tongues will be represented. The Cherokees are said to be the only Indian tribe in the world whose language has been developed to a point where its own characters can be used. The news of the other tribes will be printed in their various languages but in the English alphabet.

There will be no politics in the paper. Its purpose will be to educate the Indian in the duties of citizenship and remove from his mind the stubborn prejudice against the white man.

### SISTER MARY ROSINA DIES.

**She Taught School Many Years in Newark.**

New Brunswick, Jan. 29.—Sister Mary Rosina, who for twenty-four years was superioress of the St. Peter's convent and principal of St. Peter's School in this city, died Thursday. She was connected with St. John's School, Newark, and after a few years transferred to West Hoboken. She was afterward engaged in St. Mary's Academy, Newark, and later taught in St. Columba's School. In 1886 she came to this city.

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### DUNELLEN AND VICINITY.

Rev. George H. Gardner will occupy the pulpit of the First Baptist church tomorrow morning. At this service a collection will be taken for the Children's Home Society fund. The evangelistic meetings will be continued at night when the Rev. W. A. Knox will be in charge of the service. There will be special music by the union choir.

At St. John's church tomorrow morning the members of the Holy Name Society will attend the celebration of the Holy Communion in a body.

The Junior Auxiliary of Holy Innocents church held its regular weekly meeting in the Guild room yesterday afternoon.

A men's meeting will be conducted at the Methodist church tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock by the Rev. W. A. Knox.

Mayor Sanford went to New York yesterday to act as a witness in a big lawsuit.

Mrs. Lewis Laire has been entertaining friends from Paterson for a few days.

Mrs. Philip Jenner has returned from a visit to South Orange.

### Boy Has Narrow Escape.

Cranford, Jan. 29.—Displaying remarkable presence of mind, Ernest Moody, 6 years old, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Moody, of Prospect avenue, managed to escape almost certain death. Thursday the boy was playing on cakes of ice in the Rahway river. He fell between the cakes. When he rose to the surface he caught a floating cake and paddled to shore. He was exhausted when he reached the bank. He is now under the care of a physician.

### PURCHASING BOARD MAY BE OPPOSED.

**Heads of Institutions Say They Do Not Favor Plan Proposed by Governor.**

Trenton, Jan. 29.—That there is not entire unanimity of sentiment among the heads of New Jersey's institutions concerning Governor Fort's proposition to have a central purchasing board to buy supplies for all the institutions of the State became apparent during an informal discussion of the matter by the heads of the institutions at the State House yesterday. State Commissioner of Charities and Correction George B. Wight presided, and the institutional heads aired their views both for and against the plan. No definite action was taken, the opinion prevailing that the matter should be left to the Legislature, to which the Governor has made his suggestion.

The matter of petty cash accounts for the different institutions was discussed at length. At the present time such money as the pay due to discharged employes has to be advanced personally by the superintendents of the institutions, who must rely on the Legislature to reimburse them. It was felt that each institution should have a petty cash account from which such moneys may be drawn.

### Anti-Tuberculosis League.

Elizabeth, Jan. 29.—The Anti-Tuberculosis League of Plainfield and North Plainfield filed articles of incorporation yesterday with the clerk of Union county. The league will be governed by fifteen trustees. Those chosen for the first year are Leighton Calkins, F. E. DuBois, William Dutcher, E. F. Feickert, Hugh F. Fox, B. Van D. Hedges, George M. Holstein, Frederick J. Hughes James P. Murray, William H. Murray, Edward C. Pierson, Maybelle C. Phillips, Georgiana Hoadley Smith, E. V. Stevenson, William S. Tyler. The incorporators are B. Van D. Hedges, William H. Murray, William S. Tyler, E. Vicars Stevenson, William Dutcher.

### Men's Club Hears Talk.

Westfield, Jan. 29.—"The Making of a Magazine" was the title of an interesting lecture by Samuel S. McClure before the Men's Club, of the First Presbyterian church, last evening. The address was enjoyed by a large gathering.

### "Bill Taft," Big Horse, Dies.

Rahway, Jan. 29.—The largest horse in this city, owned by Bittner & Fitzpatrick, and named by them "Bill Taft," is dead. The horse died yesterday of spinal meningitis.

Bruguier's (PRONOUNCED BROOGEERS) FRENCH ANTISEPTIC TOOTH POWDER

The Smile-Worth While

The smile that shows a row of firm white healthy teeth enhances the beauty of the prettiest woman.

It is within the reach of all for here's a powder that will make your teeth like pearls. Contains no grit, no acid, no "enamel destroying" elements.

Suppose you try a box for the sake of your teeth.

Bruguier Chemical Co.
76 Hamburg Place, Newark, N. J.

Write for the interesting booklet "PROPER CARE of THE TEETH"

SEND 2C STAMP FOR DAINTY SAMPLE BOX.

### LIQUOR DEALERS CHARGE FORGERY.

**Deny Sending Letter to Excise Board Asking Several Saloons Be Open After 1 A. M.**

Elizabeth, Jan. 29.—At a meeting yesterday afternoon the English-Speaking Liquor Dealers' Protective League decided to investigate the sending of a letter to the Excise Commission, after the board formulated the midnight closing rule, asking that body to allow certain saloons to remain open till 1 a. m.

The letter purported to come from the league, but was a forgery, the league men say.

The league elected officers for the year at a well-attended and enthusiastic session held yesterday afternoon in Sughrue's hall. Most of the old officers were re-elected. Edward F. Whelan was chosen president for the third time. The other officers are: Vice-president, Owen McLaughlin; second vice-president, John J. Horan; treasurer, John J. Bergen; financial secretary, Peter Gallagher; recording secretary, George E. Carroll; sergeant-at-arms, Dennis Norton; outside guard, Daniel Foley.

George E. Carroll, who is secretary of the State association, reported the proceedings of the recent national convention which he attended.

The officeres chosen yesterday will be installed the third Friday in February.

### TO PLEAD NON VULT TO MURDER CHARGE.

Elizabeth Jan. 29.—The news reporter learned yesterday from a reliable source that Walter C. Jacobsen, the young National Guardsman of this city, who was indicted by the late grand jury for murder, he having shot his young wife to death the day after Christmas, will, when brought up for trial on Monday, retract his former plea of not guilty and plead non vult.

This he can do under a new statute. The acceptance of the plea by the court would be followed by the sentencing of the prisoner for murder in the second degree.

City Attorney Connelly, of Elizabeth, was assigned by the court to defend Jacobsen. It is said that acting on his advice the accused man is prepared to take the action set forth.

### Buys Somerville Hotel.

Somerville, Jan. 29.—The County Hotel, one of the oldest hostelries in Somerset county, was yesterday sold by C. A. Spear to William Smith, of Hoboken. The consideration is said to have been $25,000.

### Firemen Were Hosts.

The Roselle Fire Department realized $200 from the vaudeville and dance in the Roselle Casino last evening. The casino was donated by Mayor Charles W. MacQuoid.

# Enthusiastic Buyers Voice Appreciation of this Sales Stirring Sacrifice

No sale we ever held has been so generously advertised by our customers. Friend tells friend and so the news spreads of the genuine bargains so plenteously provided here. Thus the attendance at this store-wide January Clearance Sale grows daily. Never greater crowds and never greater values. The one accounts for the thers

New attractions each day. As previous lots dwindle or disappear new items are brought forward and given bargain emphasis through the medium of cut prices. See the racks of Ready-to-Wear Garments—marked down to lower price levels.

**6c BLEACHED TOWELING CRASH FOR 4c.**
20 pieces full Bleached Twill Toweling Crash, 17 in. wide; 6c value; on sale, yard.... .4

**12c STAIR OILCLOTH AT 7c.**
16 and 18 inch Stair Oilcloth; regular 10c and 12c value, at, yard..... .7

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM AT YARD 25c.**
The regular 39c Genuine Heatherbloom, in a big variety of colors (except black), on sale at, yard ..... .25

**18c TAFFETA RIBBONS AT 11c.**
No. 60 and 80 all silk Taffeta Ribbons, good range of colors and black; regular 15c and 18c, on sale, yard..... .11

65c Cotton Diapery at 49c—Fifty pieces Sanitary Cotton Diapery, 18 inch, 65c value, at, piece ..... .49

Corticelli Spool Silk, black only; 100 yard spools; on sale at..... .7

5c Toilet Paper, 3c—Five cases Toilet Tissue Paper, full 8 oz. rolls; regular 5c quality, sale ..... .3

5c Milward's Needles, 3c—Milward's best needles, all sizes, regular 5c, on sale at, paper ..... .3

Mercerized White Batiste in short lengths, 1 to 5 yards, 42 inches wide; a regular 29c quality; on sale at, yard..... .15

7c Best Calicos at 5c—The American Printing Co.'s best calicos, light and dark styles; regular 7c value, sale, yard..... .5

5-4 Table Oil Cloth, best quality, no seconds, forty pieces to choose from, sale, yard ..... .14

Corsets, extra long model, with hose supporters, well made; regular 75c, sale..... .59

54-in. Mercerized Table Damask, on sale, a yard ..... .29

6c Figured Challies at 4c—40 pieces figured Challies, good assortment of styles; regular 6c value, at, yard..... .4

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, the "Laurel Mills" make, bleached or unbleached, short or long sleeve vests, open or closed pants; regular 50c; on sale..... .39

Ladies' and Children's Pin-On Hose Supporters; regular 19c value, sale, pair..... .10

**GENUINE HEATHERBLOOM PETTICOATS at $1.49.**
25 Black Heatherbloom Petticoats, made with full deep flounce, label on every petticoat, on sale ..... $1.49

**CHILDREN'S WASH DRESSES, AGES 6 TO 14.**
The balance of our stock of Girls' Wash Dresses, ages 6 to 14, grouped in two lots to clear out before the new ones arrive.

Lot 1—Wash Dresses, sold up to $1.69, at ..... .85

Lot 2—Wash Dresses, sold up to $2.98, at ..... $1.39

**WOMEN'S SILK RUBBERIZED COATS, $10.00 and $12.00 Values, at $7.85.**
Here is the way we cut the price during the January clearance. We offer about 25 Women's fine Silk Rubberized Coats, with satin stripes and some plain, all in the newest style; regular $10.00 and $12.50, on sale at..... $7.85

$3.50 Skirts at $1.98—Here is a big bargain; we place on sale 25 new stylish pleated skirts, made in neat dark grey mixed Panamas, good $3.50 value, at..... $1.98

**WOMEN'S TAILOR SUITS AT THIS CLEARANCE SALE.**
Women's all-wool Cheviot and Broadcloth Suits, good workmanship; sold at $16.50; sale ..... $10.85
(Broken sizes only.)

Misses' and Small Women's Coats, made of all wool heavy plain and diagonal cheviots, newest winter styles; black and navy, 14, 16, 18 and 36; was a leader for $10.00; clearance price ..... $6.98

Our $10 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at ..... $7.85

Our $12.50 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $9.75

Our $15.00 Black Kersey and Broadcloth Coats at..... $11.15

**COAT SWEATERS.**
Mixed wool grey Coat Sweaters, 34 to 44; regularly $1.25; sale..... .95

Men's "Standard" Heavy Fleeced Undershirts and Drawers, all sizes; regular 50c, at .39

# M. & A. TEPPER


# SOME STATE NEWS BRIEFS

Mrs. Matilda Stokes, of Millville, the mother of former Governor Stokes, is able to be out again after a severe illness.

Mayor Ellis Thursday delegated John Ake, a shipbuilder, to represent Camden at the deeper water convention to be held at Trenton.

Rev. Andrew Drew, who has been supplying the Central Baptist church, Woodbury, several months, has received a call to the permanent pastorate.

Taking iodine in mistake for cough syrup, John Francis, twenty-six years old, of 266 Kaighn avenue, Camden, fell in a heap on the street shortly after leaving home. Rushed to Cooper Hospital, he was soon revived.

Ten-year-old Eddie Johnson, son of Joseph H. Johnson, is the hero of Boudinot School, Burlington, having saved the life of William Bush, a companion, who fell from a floating ice cake and was drowning in the river.

Mrs. Lillian C. Hyers, fifty years old, of 538 Stevens street, Camden, was painfully burned about the face Thursday by gas flames which shot up suddenly while she was leaning over a stove. Her burns were dressed at Cooper Hospital.

At the funeral of Mrs. John A. Maytrott, who died Tuesday, her sons-in-law acted as pallbearers. Just as the funeral service commenced a letter was received from a son in Colorado expressing the hope that "mother" had entirely recovered from her illness.

Falling from a stepladder on the fourth floor of the Ribsam building, Trenton, Thursday, Charles B. Pharo, an electrician, of 1041 South Broad street, that city, was injured. In his descent Pharo struck a flight of stairs and just escaped falling to the bottom of the flight. He was hurt about the back.

A jar was given to the owners of Atlantic City beach ponies in an order which emanated from city hall ordering them to vacate their stands. The city acts upon complaint of hotel men, who claim that the stands occupied by the ponies are offensive to visitors and to promenaders on the boardwalk.

A communication was received from the Department of Commerce and Labor, in which it was stated that Secretary Nagel could not confer with any of Camden's representatives concerning the establishment of an immigration station along Camden's river front. It was stated, however, that anything the city might have to offer can be made in writing, which will be done.

Five schoolboys, while playing on the icy surface of Cedar Lake Thursday, broke through into the water. Four were rescued without much difficulty, but the fifth, Lester Darretty, would have perished had it not been for the timely arrival of a trolley car from Bridgeton. Conductor Harry Randolph and Mr. Socwell, a passenger, promptly went to the boy's assistance, finally rescuing him only by breaking ice to get to him.

Under the impression that he had been drugged while drinking with strangers, William Bowen, who gave his address as Fifteenth and Spring streets, Philadelphia, yesterday informed the Camden police that he had been robbed of $16 and a gold watch and chain. Bowen states that he awoke in a stable yard near Broadway and Federal street, but he was unable to give the police any information as to where he had visited or the identity of any of his companions.

## REMARKABLE CLAIM IN GROVE'S LETTER CASE.

New Brunswick, Jan. 29.—Pleading that they intended no disrespect to the court, Lawyers Robert Adrian and Alan H. Strong publicly and forcibly told Judge Adrian Lyon in court yesterday morning that if he granted Prosecutor Booraem's motion for a struck jury in the Whitefield libel trial, involving the H. Raymond Groves slanderous circular letter, that the judge would expose himself to public criticism as being an ally of the prosecutor. The latter they charged with prosecuting the libel indictments solely to wipe out of existence a rival faction in the Republican party.

The charge was made at the end of a long review by the attorneys of the history of the case and the political factions in the Republican party.

Prosecutor Booraem wanted to come to the court's aid, but was told by Judge Lyon that the court could take care of itself. The court ordered counsel to desist from such attacks upon the integrity of the court and the lawyers insisted that they did not entertain such views, but were fearful for his honor's future that the public might gather such views.

Prosecutor Booraem characterized the speeches of his adversaries as offensive, indecent, unprofessional and in contempt of court. He held his application was based upon the serious nature of the cases.

Lawyer Robert Adrain in his argument declared that the men involved had been indicted by a Democratic grand jury, "so that it could shift from the Democratic party to the Republican party the responsibility for the letters."

The court laid the case over till next Friday for decision as to whether the jury shall be drawn or not.

## ALLEGES ABUSE AND ASKS FOR A DIVORCE.

Trenton Jan. 29.—Following what she alleges to have been a continued course of cruelty and abuse, Mrs. Margaret Weiss, of West Hoboken, has instituted proceedings for divorce against her husband, Nathan Weiss. She also asks for the custody of her three children, ranging from nine to three years of age, and alimony sufficient for their support and her own. Mr. and Mrs. Weiss were married in 1903 and lived together until last November, when they separated.

Mrs. Weiss charges that her husband frequently told her he hoped she would die or choke; that he would not be responsible for her life if she spoke to him; that he was going to stick a knife into her so that he would be single like his brother.

On one occasion a few years ago Mr. Weiss is charged with having kicked his wife and driven her from the house. He placed her belongings in the street and called an officer to see that she did not return. The illness of one of the children brought about a reconciliation after this episode. At another time, when Mrs. Weiss was ill, her husband, it is alleged, told her to go to a hospital and said he hoped she would die. It is charged that he had told her he would contribute nothing to her support were it not for the fact that by doing so he feared her father would stop giving them money.

According to Mrs. Weiss, her father-in-law and mother-in-law joined in the persecutions of their son and helped to make her life unbearable. At one time the mother-in-law is alleged to have spat upon Mrs. Weiss because the latter would not speak to her.

## ELIZABETH ARMORY SITE TO BE NAMED MONDAY.

Elizabeth, Jan. 29.—No decision will be announced in the matter of selecting a site for the proposed new armory until next Monday. As told, the choice of the home for Companies C and I, of the Second Regiment, which at present are without quarters because the building they used as an armory has been declared unsafe, formed the subject for a conference at the Union County Courthouse Thursday.

Two sites were considered, one at Broad street and Rahway avenue, the other on Walnut street, now a baseball field. It is probable if the price is reasonable the Broad street site will be chosen.

In the conference were a committee from the Board of Freeholders consisting of Director John N. Cady, of Summit; Freeholders Samuel Wilbur, of Plainfield, and William Garrison, of Elizabeth, and a delegation from the Second New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, comprising Colonel Nelson Y. Dungan, of Somerville; Lieutenant-Colonel Robert L. Patterson and General D. F. Collins, of Elizabeth; Assemblyman Augustus W. Schwartz, from the House Committee on Military Affairs; County Collector Nathan R. Leavitt, County Attorney William R. Codington and former Major Benjamin King, of the Third Regiment, now clerk of freeholders.

The freeholders announced a willingness to appropriate $25,000, and Assemblyman Schwartz said he was ready to do all he could to further the project.

## PERSONAL.

Miss Agnes McWilliams, of Raritan, has been visting relatives in this city.

Arthur Waldron, of this city, has been visiting his parents at North Branch.

Frank Van Nest, of this city, has returned from a visit with his father at Raritan.

Mrs. Charles Smith, of Newark, has returned home after a visit with Plainfield friends.

Miss Jennie Jones, of New York, who has been visiting friends here, has returned home.

James Smith, of Elmwood place, is spending some time with his daughter in Orange.

Mrs. William Brown, of Jersey City, has returned home after a visit with friends in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bowen, of Watchung avenue, are entertaining their daughter from Lakewood.

Rev. W. F. Randolph is visiting his brother, Rev. Dr. D. H. F. Randolph, of Sandford avenue.

Mrs. William Van Duyne, of the borough, who has been visiting at Somerville, has returned home.

Mrs. W. S. Decker, of this city, who has been visiting her daughter at Trenton, has returned home.

Robert Dryden, formerly of this city, but now of New York, has been visiting relatives here for a short time.

Mrs. Case, of Madison avenue, mother of J. Herbert Case, of the Plainfield Trust Company, is slowly improving from a serious illness.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Musson, of East Second street, have returned from a visit in Washington, and Mr. Musson will occupy his pulpit at the Temple Baptist church tomorrow.

## CHRISTIAN FIELD.

The Sunday-school meets at the Church of the Heavenly Rest Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock.

The Men's club of the First Baptist church is planning an attractive program for its February meeting.

The Junior Epworth League of Grace M. E. church met yesterday and enpoyed an address by the pastor, Rev. Ora J. Shoop.

Services preparatory to communion will be held at the Netherwood Reformed church, Friday evening, February 4, at 8 o'clock.

The Young People's Society of the Crescent Avenue Presbyterian church met last night for Bible study in the mission study class series.

Rev. Royal A. Stout will preach at the Netherwood Reformed church tomorrow morning on "The Miracle of Life," and in the evening on "The Utility of Temptation."

**Sweet Child!**

"Did you dream sweetly last night, Karl?"

"Yes, aunty, about the candy you promised to bring, but didn't"—

The Famous Coster Number in Cohan's "The Yankee Prince," Plainfield Theatre, Wednesday, February 2.

# Classified Advertisements

### For Sale.

FOR SALE—Boston brindle bull pup, female, two months old. $10. Address Brindle, care Press. 1 25 3 tu-th-s

FOR SALE—7 rooms, all improvements, $2,700; 12 rooms, very central, all improvements, $5,000; building lots $400 to $4,000. Now is the time to buy. LaRue, 152 North avenue. 1 18 tf

FOR SALE—At retail at the Plainfield Glove Store, 58 Somerset street, a large variety of men's, ladies' and children's gloves. H. Texier. 1 3 tf

FOR SALE—On Laramie road, near Park avenue, lot 50x150 at a bargain. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—On Cameron avenue, new 6-room house, all improvements, lot 50x150. For price and terms, apply Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue, or your own broker. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE—1909 Pope Hartford touring car; fully equipped. Laing Machine Auto Repair Co. 1 27 3

FOR SALE—Family cow; fresh. 117 Jackson avenue, borough. 1 27 3

FOR SALE—Lots on Union street, near Arlington avenue; also lots on West Seventh street; convenient to trolley. J. T. Vail. 9 27 tf

OLD papers for sale; put up in packages of 100 copies for 10c. Apply at this office. tf

NEW seven-room house for sale; good location; price $2,500; $200 cash; balance on easily monthly payments. Address Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 6 16 tf

### For Sale or To Let.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE OR RENT—Houses for sale from $2,500 up; houses for rent from $25 month up. Lots for sale in all parts of the city. Edmund Rushmore, 207 North avenue. 1 15 1m

FOR SALE OR TO LET—New 7-room house, all improvements, on Laramie road, near hospital. E. Beys. 1 6 1m

### Real Estate Wanted.

WANTED—Property for sale or rent; New York city is where the buyers come from; list your property with a New York agent. Edmund Rushmore, Singer building, New York. 1 15 1m

### Lost and Found.

LOST—Gold signet ring; initials C. W. F. Reward if left at Press office. 1 4 tf

# Classified Advertisements

### Rooms and Board.

TO LET—Furnished room for lady with or without board; centrally located. Apply 218 West Second street. 1 28 2

GOOD accommodations; low rates. Boyce's Hotel, 97 Somerset St.

THE WALDORF, 132 134 Crescent avenue, rooms en suite with bath, also double and single rooms; table board; service first-class. 12 [illegible]

TO LET—Sunny furnished rooms, with heat. 503 East Seventh St. 1 12 1m

FURNISHED rooms, light and airy, in nice neighborhood, near centre of town. 225 East Fifth St. tf

TO LET—Furnished room, with board, for two gentlemen or two women; all improvements. 738 East Seventh street. 12 4 tf

### Money to Loan.

MONEY TO LOAN on bond and mortgage. Mulford, opposite depot. 12 28 [illegible]

MONEY to loan on bond and mortgage. Charles L. Moffett, attorney, Woodhull & Martin building. 6 9 tf

MONEY to loan on real estate security; must be first mortgage. Isaac P. Runyon, Atty., Rooms 7 and 8 Stirling Building. 1 13 tf

MONEY to loan; bond and mortgage. Isaac Vail, 105 East Front street. 9 1 tf

MORTGAGES placed on good security. Francis J. Blatz, First National Bank Building. 8 21 tf

TITLES abstracted for purchasers of real estate and bond and mortgage loans. Charles J. McNabb, 209 North Ave. Telephone 49. 1 13 1m

$25,000 TO LOAN at 5 per cent in sums to suit, on good mortgages. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 9 19 tf

TO LOAN—Money on good mortgages. George F. Brown, 94 Somerset street. tf

LOANS negotiated. J. T. Vail. tf

### For Exchange.

EDISON phonograph records exchanged. 118 Madison avenue, Jackson building. 1 11 1m

THE EXCHANGE — Attention, Ladies! Don't sell your furniture, etc., before calling on us; we pay highest cash prices. No. 325 West Front street. Telephone 901-R. 1 5 tf

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### Miscellaneous.

H. H. BUTLER, D. V. S.—Pet animals a specialty. OFFICE AT GORMLEY'S Riding School, Kensington avenue, near Putnam. Telephone 194 (cut out for reference). 1 8 tf

PHOTOGRAPHS taken in the home; photorate work of children a specialty. N. S. Wardner, 610 Division street. 1 7 1m

STORE your furniture with the Plainfield Storage Company; reasonable rates. Orders left for moving vans. Nagle's, Front and Grove Sts. 1 7 tf

BEFORE selling your furniture see Latourette, 326 West Front St. tf

COME in and let us demonstrate the "Firestone" demountable rim (no more tire trouble). Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue, 'Phone 316-W. 1 11 tf

TURN in your old auto tires for new ones at the Plainfield Auto Tire Co., 407 Watchung avenue. 8 21 tf

BABIES crochet sacques for sale all prices; also ladies' knitted sweaters made to order. Mrs. Mayer, 54 Pearl St., North Plainfield. tf

P. H. LATOURETTE, auctioneer, sales promptly attended to; satisfaction guaranteed. 326 West Front street. 2 10 tf

WILL do papering for $4 and $4.50 per room; will furnish paper selected at my store; also painting and decorating; satisfaction guaranteed. 107 Watchung avenue, J. Nathanson. 1 6 tf

### Automobiles.

AUTOMOBILES—We have a number of real good used automobiles, that we will sell very cheap; these cars must be moved quickly as we need the room. Thompson Auto Co. 12 23 tf

### Real Estate Agents.

THOSE desiring to own a farm should consult one who has been selling farms for years, and he is yours truly, William Henry Rogers, 136 Park avenue, Plainfield. Telephone 44. tf

REAL ESTATE for sale, rent and exchange. Insurance in strong companies at lowest rates; money loaned on real estate. Thickstun & Emmons, 197 North avenue. tf

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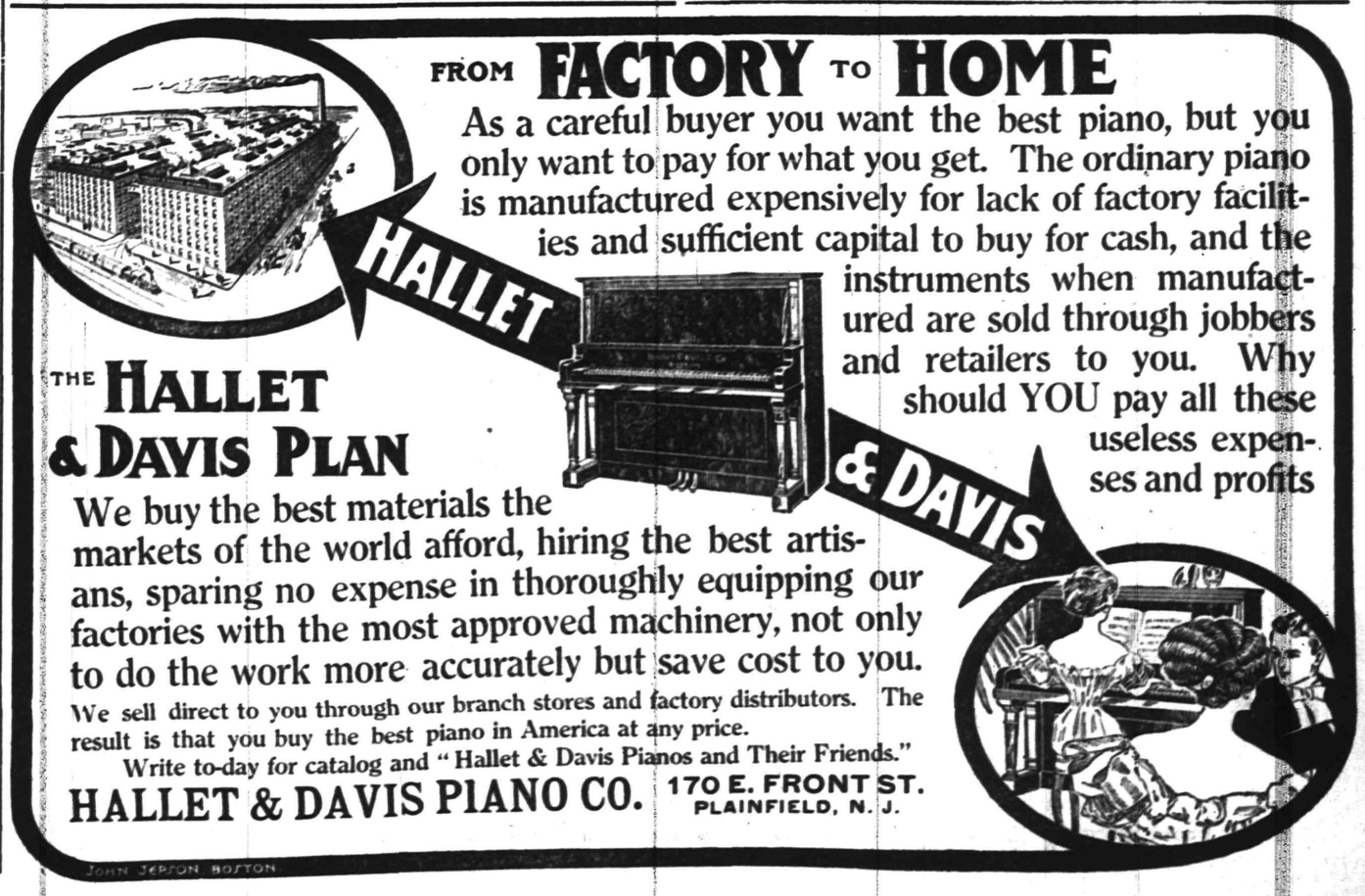

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Newark—F. N. Sommer, 794 Broad Street. (Advertiser Building).

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## Jan. 29 in American History.

1737—Thomas Paine, deist and Revolutionary writer, born; died in New York city 1809.

1756—Henry Lee ("Light Horse Harry"), soldier, father of General Robert E. Lee, born; died 1818.

1820—Timothy Pickering, statesman, died; born 1749.

1843—William McKinley, twenty-fifth president of the United States, born at Niles, O.; died at Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 14, 1901.

1801—William Windom, secretary of the treasury under Cleveland, died; born 1827.

### ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 5:10, rises 7:08; moon rises 9:33 p. m.; 4 a. m., planet Jupiter apparently stationary.

Plainfield, N. J., January 29, 1910.

## THE FORUM.

### Sound Advice.

Editor, The Daily Press:

I see in your paper that some of our wealthy families are boycotting the butchers.

It would be wise for some of them to use the money saved by "fasting" to settle old butcher bills.

CHARLES P. SEBRING.

### An Explanation.

Editor, The Daily Press:

Will you kindly correct a statement made in the columns of your paper last evening concerning the transactions of the County Executive Board of the W. C. T. U. at Westfield.

The book mentioned was not presented for the approval or disapproval of the officers present and no action whatever was taken upon its merits or demerits but it was shown for the purpose of acquainting those present with the arguments used by the liquor manufacturers in defense of their business.

The book was filled from cover to cover with statements which cannot be proven and so obsurd that they would not be seriously considered by even a "Cabinet" of men.

Yours respectfully,
CARRIE L. BENNETT,
Woman's Christian Temperance Union,
100 Madison Avenue.
Plainfield, N. J., Jan. 29, 1910.

### Fire in Tailor Shop.

Fire in the workshop of Charles Fish's tailoring establishment at 429 West Fourth street, last night, resulted in a damage of about $300. An alarm was sounded at 8 o'clock and when the firemen arrived on the scene the fire had obtained a good start. Four chemical streams were put in commission and the blaze was quickly extinguished. The building is owned by A. Kunzman.

### First Anniversary of Conversion.

The Plainfield Rescue Mission will hold the first anniversary of the conversion of James Penn, tonight at 8 o'clock, in the W. C. T. U hall. A social hour will follow. Tomorrow night at 7:45 o'clock Miss Clyde Burnet will be the speaker and there will be special music, including solos by Mrs. John Manley and Raymond Manley.

### Surprised Miss Viana.

A surprise party was given Miss Jennie Viana at her home on upper Somerset street, last night. Vocal and instrumental music, games and refreshments combined to make a pleasant eveningf for all. The affair was arranged by Miss Viana's sister and was a complete surprise.

—Use Press want ads. They pay.


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# Woodhull & Martin Co

Plainfield's Largest and Best Store.

## Saturday Afternoon and Evening

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## LOCAL AMUSEMENTS

"The Yankee Prince," George M. Cohan's big musical success, which comes to the Plainfield theatre February 2, has been called "Cohan's best," and it more than justifies the splendid criticisms accorded it since its first production. Everywhere the critics and theatre-goers have been driven to the seventh heaven of delight, for do they not expect in a Cohen show fun, music, singing and dancing of the highest order, and Mr. Cohan has yet to disappoint them. Heading the company of 75 that Messrs. Cohan and Harris are sending to us is Tow Lemis, who created a furore a few years ago by his performance of "The Unknown" in "Little Johnny Jones." Mr. Lewis will play his original role of Steve Daly in "The Yankee Prince," a role that has made him as famous in a way as the part of Rip Van Winkle did the late Joseph Jefferson.

During the Boston run of "Mary's Lamb," Edgar W. Carleton, the venerable father of Richard Carle, rattled the family skeleton for a newspaper reporter. Mr. Carleton still lives in Somerville, a suburb of Boston, in the same house in which the comedian was born. Mr. Carle's baptismal name is Charles Nicholas Carleton, and his father still calls him Charlie. "Charlie was a good boy and everybody liked him," said Mr. Carleton. "He declares he was not a boy comic, but he was. He always thought he could act, and if he denies it, don't you believe him. We have a barn at our place that we used to utilize as a clubhouse for a few kindred spirits in the neighborhood. We gave up the club when Charlie was about ten years old, and, would you believe it, the boy seized upon the building for a theatre. He said he was going to show us a few things, and he did. He rigged up a stage and had regular performances, charging ten nails for admission. Before the thing had been running two weeks we had several barrels of nails in our back yard. Charlie was the whole show—performer, stage manager and orchesera. I never saw a performance, but I do know that our yard and barn at one time or another entertained every boy and girl in Somerville. And how we accumulated nails! The boy was an actor all right. But I was sorry when he changed his name to Richard Carle."

## WHOLE HAMLET MOVES.

The moving microbe has struck Evesboro, a small hamlet about three miles from Moorestown, and there are scarcely a half-dozen families who will not change places this spring. James O'Donnell goes to the Hagan farm, at Blackwood; Walter Garwood will move to the Chew place, Mrs. Hines is booked for the Mitchell farm, George Shepard moves from the Pidgeon farm to the Hammit place, and Bonson, now on the Hammit farm, will move to the Perkins farm, recently bought by Horace Roberts; Herbert Alcott goes to his father's farm and Isaac Angelow will farm the place on which Mrs. Hines now lives.

The annual offering for the coal fund will be received at the Mt. Zion A. M. E. church tomorrow. Mrs. Laura Wilson is chairman of the committee in charge.

## PATENTS TO JERSEYMEN.

### Three Newarkers Get Rights Covering Their Inventions.

The following patents have been issued to Jerseymen:

Surfacing machine, E. J. Bein, Newark; umbrella, F. Benz, Sr., Paterson; internal combustion engine, F. W. Brady, Englewood; wire-forming machine, L. R. Compton, Summit; telegraphic transmitter, P. B. Delany, South Orange; sound producing device, J. C. English, Camden; lighting appliance, F. A. Feldkamp, Newark; beam clamp and hanger, R. Hankins, Passaic; fastener, C. Joseph, Bayonne; abdominal belt or support, A. B. Kendrick, East Orange; chandelier for gas lamps, T. J. Little Jr., Woodbury; typewriting machine, J. C. McLaughlin, Jersey City; combination shovel and coal receptacle, N. R. Middleton, Jersey City; hoisting and conveying apparatus, T. S. Miller, South Orange, and J. H. Dickinson, Montclair; toaster, M. A. Patterson, Englewood; inductor generator for ignition purposes, T. E. Podlesak, Morristown; file, R. Sellick, Newark; bolster for steam shovels, W. Sheppard, Paterson; hinge-joint for bracelets and other articles, C. Spatschil, Jersey City; game equipment, C. B Steacy, Atlantic City; hat-forming press, C. W. Stevens, East Orange; combination shaker, H. J. Turner, Montclair; purifying animal charcoal and the product thereof, J. H. Utley, Camden; typewriting machine, C. B. Yaw, Arlington; commutator for dynamo electric machines, F. W. Young, East Orange; lock, H. B. Zendel, Passaic. Trade marks—Wheat-flour, C. L. Plumb, Cranford.

## FINDS $4,000 IN LOOT.

### Police on Track of $60,000 Railroad Robbery.

Bayonne, Jan. 29.—Merchandise valued at over $4,000, taken from the New York Central Railroad several weeks ago, was recovered in this city last night. Part of the stolen property was found in the house of A. J. Yamon, a Greek, at 216 East Twenty-second street.

Mrs. Yamon's purse was searched by Detectives Griffin and Mullaney, who say they found a receipt showing that Yamon had stored trunks in the storage rooms of Samuel Goodman, in Twentieth street. The trunks were filled with clothing and jewelry, according to the police. In the Yarmon house the detectives found a quantity of jewelry.

Yarmon could not be found. His wife has not been arrested, but is being watched by the police.

Detectives from Rochester came here last night. They believe they are on the track of the gang of freight car thieves who have been operating in New York.

The trunks found in Goodman's place were shipped from Rochester via the Pennsylvania Railroad, and were taken from Jersey to Bayonne by wagon. At the time of the robbery two detectives were shot, one of whom died. The merchandise taken at that time is valued at $60,000.

### Gives Package Sociable.

Cranford, Jan. 29.—A package sociable was held last evening at the home of Mrs. George Damon, 3 Madison avenue, for the benefit of the Parish Circle of Trinity Episcopal church. After the packages were sold at auction music and refreshments were enjoyed.

## FAVORS THE CEMETERY ABANDONMENT BILL.

Paterson, Jan. 29.—At the Board of Trade rooms Thursday night the members of the Sandy Hill Cemeteries Committee discussed matters pertaining to the converting of these alleged eyesores into parks. Assemblyman McCran's bill, giving the city power to take over the cemeteries by condemnation proceedings, was considered and the Assemblyman has been informed that the committee will lend assistance, if necessary, to have the measure passed.

The Board of Trade's committee is already in possession of figures showing that one cemetery can be turned over to the city at a cost of $7,000. This ground contains something like fifty city lots. This price includes the removal of all bodies now in the burying ground, estimated at from 2,500 to 3,000 to another cemetery where proper care will be taken of the graves forever.

Assurances have also been given the committee by one other church organization that their cemetery rights will be turned over to the city when the municipality is ready to receive those rights.

## GIFTS FOR PRINCETON.

### University Receives Rare Documents for Its Library.

The library of Princeton University has received from M. Taylor Pyne, '77, a document of unusual interest regarding the early history of Princeton. It is a letter from Dr. John Witherspoon, one of the early presidents of Princeton and the only clergyman to sign the Declaration of Independence, to Colonel Henry Lee regarding the college expenses of his son, "Light Horse Harry" Lee.

The library has also received from J. A. Campbell, of Trenton, three documents relating to President Madison. They include President Madison's own copy of the famous alumni circular of 1835, calling for subscriptions for a general fund of $100,000; a letter to President Madison from Daniel Newell, who was managing the matter, and a receipt from Mr. Newell acknowledging payment on account of Madison's contribution to this fund. All three of these documents are docketed in Madison's own handwriting.

### A More Appropriate Name.

Mr. Henpeck had hesitated a long time about doing this bold thing, but he felt that now was the time or never, says The Catholic Standard and Times.

"Dear," he said in a very timid voice, "I wish you wouldn't call me 'Leo' any more."

"Why not?" demanded his wife, explosively. "'Leo' is your given name."

"I know, my dear, but it makes my friends laugh when you call me that. I was thinking you might call me 'Job,' just for a pet name."

### Flowers in Fashion.

The wearing of an artificial flower on a house gown is a revived fashion. Roses are the favorites. They are of satin. Many gold and silver ones are used. They are pinned at the top of the high-waist drapery. The artificial gardenia is now worn at the end of the long shawl revers on coats instead of on the lapel.

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## TO BEAUTIFY ARMY POSTS.

Not to be behind Manila in its plan to beautify the city by straightening its lines, planting shade trees and other tropical foliage and converting its waste spaces into well-ordered and beautifying parks, the military authorities now propose to direct their efforts to improving and beautifying the various posts and garrisons throughout the islands, so that visitors to the Philippines will be impressed with the beauty and wealth of tropical foliage that satisfies the eye and pleases the senses, not only at Manila, but in other parts of the islands, as well, says the Manila Times.

Some steps have been taken in this direction already, many shade trees and other foliage having been planted at the various posts, particularly at Forts McKinley, Jossman and Zambanga, and arrangements have been made for a study of horticulture by a non-commissioned officer of the army at the Manila nurseries, which knowledge thus gained will be disseminated in an effort to make the various garrisons throughout the islands as attractive as possible.

The city nurseries are doing their part toward the work of beautifying the islands, and are constantly growing those palms, ferns and other tropical plants which form an important part in the work. Many plants have been sent to the different military posts, and many more are being grown with all the skill and care known to the science of horticulture. To this institution the military authorities, through the courtesy of the Municipal Board, will send a non-commissioned officer from the garrison of the coast artillery at Corregidor, whose duty it shall be to study horticulture and the methods employed at the city nurseries.

The city nurseries are raising thousands of plants, which are destined at some future time to adorn the city parks and military posts throughout the islands. The different hothouses are now filled with Philippine plants of all hues and degrees of beauty and age, which are taken out as occasion requires and transplanted in uninviting spots all over the city, making them restful to the eye and a welcome addition to those little oases which tend to make the city attractive.

### Sensitive.

"I found a purse this morning?"

"Did you return it?"

"No. The owner might have offered me a reward, and it would have wounded my pride."—Bon Vivant.

### Success.

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### The Thoughtful Host.

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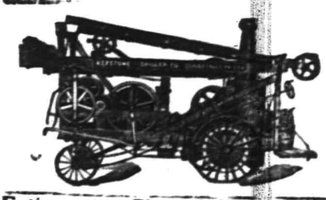

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**Baptist.**

First—Rev. Dr. J. A. Chambliss, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 2:45, men's conference Bible class, Henry W. Herrmann and B. J. Phelps, teachers; 7:30, preaching.

Park Avenue—10:30, sermon, Rev. E. St. John Fitch, of Montclair; 2:45, Bible school; 7:45, sermon, Rev. Mr. Fitch.

Temple—Rev. J. W. Musson, pastor—2:45, Sunday-school; 2:45, Baraca class; 11:00, preaching by the pastor; 7:00, Christian Endeavor; 7:45, preaching by the pastor.

Mt. Olive—M. W. Vaughan, D. D., pastor—11:00, preaching, 3:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, preaching.

Ebenezer—Rev. G. E. Scruggs, pastor. 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m., preaching; 2:00, Sunday-school.

Calvary—Rev. G. W. Bailey, pastor—10:45, preaching; 3:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

Shiloh—Rev. Edward Roberts, pastor, will preach at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.; 3:00, Sunday-school.

**Reformed.**

Trinity—Rev. John Y. Broek, pastor; Rev. Dr. Cornelius Schenck, pastor-emeritus—10:30, preaching by the pastor, topic, "The Concert of Prayer;" 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class; 6:45, Christian Endeavor meeting, topic, "The Most Stirring Events of Foreign Missionary History," leader, Henry Seader; 7:45, preaching by the pastor, "Where Are the Dead?" third sermon in series on "Heaven."

Netherwood Reformed Church, Leland and Midway avenues—Royal A. Stout, pastor in charge—10:30, preaching by the pastor, topic, "The Miracle of Life;" 11:30, Sunday-school; 7:00, Christian Endeavor prayer-meeting; 7:45, preaching by the pastor, subject, "The Utility of Temptation."

German—Rev. C. H. Schneegas, pastor—10:45, preaching in German; no evening service.

Marconnier chapel—Rev. J. Tucker Lansdale, pastor—11:00, preaching; 3:00 Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

**Presbyterian.**

First Presbyterian—Rev. Dr. Charles E. Herring, pastor—10:00, Sunday-school; 11:00, morning worship; 6:45, C. E. meeting; 7:45, evening worship.

Crescent Avenue—Rev. Dr. John Sheridan Zellie, pastor—10:30, morning service; 12:00, Sunday-school; 7:30, organ recital; 7:45, preaching service.

Hope chapel—Rev. L. R. Howard, pastor—10:30, preaching by the pastor; 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching by the pastor.

Warren chapel—Rev. J. O. McKelvey, pastor—10:30, preaching; 2:45, Sunday-school and Berean Bible Study Class, E. E. Parvin, teacher; 7:45, preaching.

Bethel chapel—Rev. F. D. Tildon, pastor—Services 11 a. m.; 2 p. m., Sunday-school; 7:45, preaching.

**Episcopal.**

Grace Church—Rev. E. Vicars Stevenson, rector; Rev. Elory G. Bowers, assistant. 7:30 a. m., Holy Communion; 11:00 a. m., Morning Prayer, Litany and Sermon. First Sunday, Holy Communion and sermon; 4:00 p. m., organ recital; 4:30 p. m., Choral Evensong and sermon.

Church of the Heavenly Rest—Rev. Cortlandt H. Mallery, rector—8:00, Holy Eucharist; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins and sermon (Holy Eucharist first Sunday in the month); 7:30 p. m., Evensong and sermon.

**St. Stephen's—7:30, low celebration; 9:45, Sunday-school; 11:00, matins, litany and sermon; 7:45, evensong.**

Holy Cross Church—Rector, Rev. Geo. A. Warner. Early celebration of Holy Communion at 7:30 every Sunday morning; 9:45, Sunday-school; 10:00, rector's Bible class for young men; 11:00, morning prayer and sermon; 7:45, evensong and sermon. On the first Sunday of the month a second celebration of Holy Communion at the 11:00 o'clock service.

Grace Church Colored Mission—Sunday evening, 8:00, Evensong and sermon; Holy Communion on the Third Sunday in the month at 7:30 a. m.

**Methodist Episcopal.**

First—Rev. Dr. Charles M. Anderson, pastor—2:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, preaching by the pastor; men's Bible class meets after close of morning service, Nelson Miller, teacher; 7:00, Epworth League; 7:45, preaching.

Monroe Avenue M. E.—Rev. Charles S. Kemble, pastor—11:00, preaching, the first of a series of sermons on the Epistle to the Romans; 3:00 p. m., Sunday-school; 7:45, Epworth League; 8:00, preaching by Rev. W. F. Randolph.

Grace M. E.—Rev. Ora J. Shoop, pastor—10:30, preaching, subject, "The Divine Atlas, with a World Upon His Shoulders;" 2:30, Sunday-school; 7:45, Rev. D. B. F. Randolph will preach; special music.

Mt. Zion A. M. E.—Rev. John T. Diggs, pastor—11:00, preaching; 2:30, Sunday-school; 8:00, preaching by Rev. J. Wesley Cooper, of Fairhaven.

**Roman Catholics.**

St. Mary's—Rev. Bernard M. Bogan, rector—Masses, 6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 2:30; vespers at 3:30.

St. Joseph's—Rev. William H. Miller, rector—Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday-school at 3:00; benediction of the blessed sacrament at 3:30.

**Congregational.**

Congregational Church—Rev. C. L. Goodrich, pastor—10:30, preaching by the pastor; 11:55, Sunday-school; 7:45, sermon by the pastor, "Down from the Wall of Bethshan, a Splendid Deed of Daring."

Swedish Evangelical Pilgrim church—Rev. Theodore Englund, pastor—10:30, Sunday-school; 4:00, Young People's meeting; 8:00, preaching.

**Friends.**

Meeting house, Watchung avenue and Third street—Meeting First-day at 11:00 a. m.

**Lutheran.**

St. Peter's Lutheran—Rev. J. Duerschner, pastor—Grove street and Mercer avenue—9:30, Sunday-school; 10:30, sermon in English first Sunday in each month; all other Sundays in German; 8:00, preaching in Swedish.

**First Church of Christ, Scientist.**

Babcock Building—Service 11:00 a. m., preaching.

**Unitarian.**

All Souls'—Rev. A. C. Nickerson, pastor—10:30, preaching by the pastor; Sunday-school at 12 o'clock.

**Not Classified.**

Gospel Mission, East Front street and Bank place—7:30.

Salvation Army—11:00, Holiness meeting at the hall; 2:30, Sunday-school and Bible class in hall; 8:00 p. m., special vocal and instrumental music with gospel address.

There will be preaching of the Gospel at 209 East Front street at 7:30 p. m.

Plainfield Rescue Mission—In W. C. T. U. rooms, 7:45, Miss Clyde Burnet will speak, and Mrs. John Mundy will sing.

West End Tabernacle—3:00 p. m., Sunday-school and Baraca class; 8:00 p. m., Gospel address by F. E. Smith.

W. C. T. U.—4:00, Gospel service, led by L. W. Randolph.

Y. W. C. A.—4:00 p. m., vesper service.

Wilson Memorial Chapel—7:45, an address.

# AMONG OUR NEIGHBORS

## 'PLAINS AND FANWOOD.

The date of the week of special meetings which are to be held at the Methodist church by Rev. Mr. Hollingshead, has been changed from February 1 to the week of February 20.

James Fitzgerald, who has been dangerously ill with pneumonia at his home on Forest avenue, was reported as resting a little easier yesterday.

The Township Committee met last night in the town rooms. A number of township bills were paid and other routine business transacted.

Services tomorrow at the Baptist church will be as usual, morning preaching 10:45, vesper service 4 o'clock, B. Y. P. U. 7:15 p. m.

A regular meeting of the borough Council will be held in the borough rooms Wednesday night of next week.

Rev. Mr. Hollingshead will lead the weekly prayer and praise meeting tonight at the Methodist church.

Thomas Sellris, a former resident here but now of Westfield, has been visiting friends in town.

(Additional suburban news on page 2.)

# LAYMEN'S MASS MEETING

(Continued from page 1.)

ship in Plainfield and North Plainfield, 6,909; cost of maintenance, $86,330. Contributed to home missions, $28,581; to foreign missions, $16,959. Average contribution per member, $2.45. The membership is divided as follows: Baptist, 1,477; Congregational, 1,295; Episcopal, 1,040; Methodist, 1,289; Presbyterian, 2,158, and Reformed, 650. The average individual contribution to foreign missions was: Presbyterian, $4.37; Congregational, $2.55; Episcopal, $2.14; Baptist, $1.85; Reformed, $1.15, and Methodist, $0.83.

# CHARITY CENTRALIZATION

(Continued from page 1.)

these that a bureau was thought to be the ideal method.

It was suggested by Rev. George A. Warner that there are amateur social workers who, while doing good work, are often a hindrance in some ways. Yet they don't want to be deprived of the pleasure of raising and dispensing charity according to their ideas. This was admitted to be true. Mr. Warner thought it should compulsory for everyone to make a report to some designated head, and he suggested that the Mayor appoint a committee and have blanks sent out to be returned with all necessary information. This brought out the idea of having a registration bureau, the suggestion being made by Miss Mabelle Phillips.

It was the opinion of Mr. Tyler that what is needed is co-operation in relief. He suggested that all societies and organizations, lodges, even the Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A., be invited to co-operate in this matter and that a central secretary be employed to keep a complete record of all charities and what is done.

Another suggestion was that a "community Sunday," instead of a "Hospital Sunday" be designated for the purpose of raising funds. The question of how to reach people who don't give to the hospital or other charities seemed to be a perplexing one. It was then that the conference resulted in the adoption of the resolution given above, and the appointment of a committee. This committee will meet soon to take up its work and report later.

**Arkansas Keel Is Laid.**

Camden, Jan. 29.—Work of laying the keel of the battleship Arkansas was completed at the plant of the New York Shipbuilding Company Thursday. Unless something unforseen occurs, the company proposes to launch the 26,000-ton Dreadnought by Christmas, and establish a world's record for a boat of this size.

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# LEAVES FOR ARABIA TO BE A MISSIONARY

Dr. Paul Wilberforce Harrison, Trinity Reformed's missionary to Arabia, is now on the way to his distant post. Dr. Harrison sailed at 11 o'clock this morning on the steamship Berlin, of the North German Llyod Line from Hoboken, and is due to reach Bombay in six to eight weeks time. He made his departure from this city on the 7:55 a. m. train and a goodly number of the congregation were at the station bade Dr. Harrison goodbye and wished him Godspeed. The missionary was accompanied on the steamship by the Rev. John Y. Broek, Demetrie Farhart and Mr. French.

Dr. Harrison was formally consecrated to the missionary cause at an impressive service at Trinity Reformed church last night. The service

Rev. Paul Wilberforce Harrison.

was also of a farewell character and despite the storm there was a large number of members out to extend farewell greetings to their missionary.

It was the intention of the Rev. Dr. Zwemer to be present at the service but he was obliged to hasten to the bedside of his dying mother in the west.

The charge was given Dr. Harrison by the Rev. Dr. J. Preston Searle, of Rutgers College, and the prayer of consecration was offered by the pastor, Rev. John Y. Broek. Dr. Searle's address to Dr. Harrison was of an advisory character.

A congratulatory address to the congregation was delivered by the Rev. Stuart Nye Hutchison, representing the Newark Classis. "This church has become a world of power," said Dr. Hutchison. "A few years ago all of us maybe, did not believe in the imperialistic policy of President McKinley and Congress on the Philippine Island question, but this is the brand of imperialism we all believe in. Statistics show that churches that have not been missionary churches have been dead churches.

"Women," continued Dr. Hutchison, "spend more money for paper flowers every year than is expended for missionaries." The speaker also made reference to the big amount of money spent for tobacco by men. If tobacco money was set aside for the missionary causes a huge amount of good could be accomplished, said Dr. Hutchison.

The liberality of giving was also touched on by the speaker. He related a number of interesting incidents which came under his personal observations where the humble give more in proportion to missionary and church work than the rich. In emphasizing that point the speaker declared: "Many of the rich down in this world will be very poor in heaven, and many of the poor down here will find themselves rich in heaven."

Greetings from Arabia were extended to the congregation by the Rev. F. J. Barny, a missionary, who is now in America on a furlough. Mr. Barney declared that the Arabians are sure to extend a warm welcome to Dr. Harrison as a medical man. People in Arabia want the American missionary and thye will be glad to greet Trinity's representative.

Dr. Harrison when he departed this morning took along with him a mail bag which was presented to him. In the bag were between sixty and seventy letters. Mrs. William A. Woodruff had this matter in charge.

Dr. Harrison was born in Nebraska, where he received his secondary and collegiate education. He was a student of Doane College and of the University of Nebraska, at the latter of which he received his bachelor's degree in 1905. In 1908 he graduated in medicine at Johns Hopkins University. For the last two years he has been a house physician in the Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston. Dr. Harrison's church affiliations have been with the Congregational and Presbyterian denominations.

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WM. F. ARNOLD, Cashier.
Dated, Plainfield, January 25, 1910. 1 26 5

**Police Department.**
**EXAMINATION for Patrolmen.**

An Examination will be held Wednesday, February 9, 1910, for position of

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**Other Classified Ads on Page 2.**

**DIED**

RANDOLPH—On Friday, January 28, 1910, Edward F. Randolph, in his 70th year.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1310 Park avenue, on Sunday, January 30, at 2:30 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 28 2

SMALLEY—On Friday, January 28, 1910, David D. Smalley, aged 82 years.

Funeral services at his late residence, 33 Manning avenue, North Plainfield, on Tuesday, February 1, at 1 p. m. Interment at Mt. Bethel, N. J. Relatives and friends are invited. 1 28 2

FRITTS—On Friday, January 28, 1910, at Binghamton, New York, Lilian Richards, wife of Andrew Suydam Fritts, M. D.

# Classified Advertisements

Rates for advertisements under this heading one cent a word for first insertion, one half a cent a word for consecutive insertions of the same advertisement running for less than one month, one month, fifty cents a line (6 words to a line), double rate for advertisement set in capitals.

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THE DAILY PRESS is not at liberty to give any information regarding advertisements that require an address in care of this office. Persons answering these ads. should mail or leave answers as stated in advertisements.

**Help Wanted—Female.**

WANTED — Competent maid, (white), for general housework; references required. 1011 Madison avenue. 12 2 tf

COOKS, waitresses and general houseworkers wanted at Mrs. Keller's Agency, 22 Somerset place. 'Phone 196-W. 1 24 6

WANTED — Immediately, chambermaid and waitress. Call 964 West Seventh street.

GIRLS wanted. Inquire Recher & Co., North avenue. Formerly Vacuum Cleaner Co. 1 24 6

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WANTED—Girl for general housework and cooking; no washing. 34 Sycamore avenue. 1 28 3

WHITE girl for general housework. Call 15 Grove street. 1 28 3

WANTED — First-class colored waitress. 1233 Watchung avenue Call between 7 and 9 p. m. 1 29 2

GIRL for general housework; must be good cook and laundress, and have good references; family of two. Address Zero, care Press office. 11 1 tf

**Situations Wanted—Female.**

WANTED — Washing to take home. Call 316 Arlington avenue. 1 29 3

COLORED laundress wants place by month; best reference. Address A., care Press. 1 27 3

**Help Wanted—Male.**

WANTED—At once, one milling machine hand; also ten lathe hands. Pond Machine Tool Works. 1 27 6

WANTED — Good structural draughtsman and detailer. Ransome Concrete Machinery Company, Dunellen. 1 29 2

WANTED—Young single man to take care of horse, place and fires. Address M., care Daily Press. 1 28 3

**Lost and Found.**

LOST—At McIntyre's concert or returning from there, gold calla pin with small diamond in centre. Reward at this office. 1 28 2

LOST—On January 26, 1910, in train leaving New York, Jersey Central R. R., at 12:01 night, one diamond ring and one diamond and pearl ring; heirlooms. Kindly return to Daily Press, Plainfield, N. J. Reward. 1 29 3

LOST—Brindle bull dog, name on collar. Reward. Rogers, 955 West Seventh street.

LOST—Saturday morning between Franklin place and railroad station or on 8:30 train to New York, a ladies' hunting case watch with monogram M. G. M. Reward for return to 338 Franklin place. 1 29 3

LOST—Brindle bull dog, brass studded collar. Reward for return to 141 East Fifth street. 1 28 2

**For Sale or Rent.**

FOR SALE or to let, the Fountain Poultry Farm, just beyond the city limits on Plainfield avenue; houses for six hundred hens. George H. Fountain, 936 West Seventh street. 1 28 3

**For Sale.**

FOR SALE—Horse, young, sound, fine driver. Robinson, Greenbrook road, near Washington avenue, Dunellen.

FOR SALE—Story and Clark Piano Co. coupon worth $86, will sell at a bargain, Address Coupon, care Press. 1 29 6

FOR SALE—Mason and Hamlin organ, $10; wardrobe with looking glass; also small wood stove. 402 East Fifth street. 1 29 2

TWO fine heating stoves, dining-room table, oak sideboard, carpenters' bench, for sale. Inquire 310 Watchung avenue. 1 29 3

FOR SALE—Two fine folding beds, in good condition; will sell cheap. Address P. W. N., care of this office. 1 27 3

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**For Rent.**

TO LET—7-room house, 318 Stebbins place; improvements. Inquire 941 West Sixth street. 12 6 tf

TO LET—Six room house, near Safe Works; $12 per month. M. F. Gano, 142 North Ave. 1 11 tf

FOR RENT — Eight-room house and barn; all improvements; best residential section. Inquire Mrs. Kenyon, 515 Park Ave.; 'Phone 274-W. 1 15 tf

TO LET—7-room house, 644 Essex street. Inquire J. Sacher, 731 West Third street. 1 20 tf

HOUSE to let, 311 Madison avenue; possession April 1; all improvements; hot water heat. 1 20 tf

FOR RENT—Shop and office, centrally located, suitable for carpenter, $8.00; also loft with sky light, 21 Somerset street, $12.00. E. M. French, 171 North Ave. 1 22 tf

TO LET—February 1, 5 rooms; steam heated; all improvements; $18. 122 Watchung Ave. 1 25 6

FOR RENT—Eight rooms, convenient to R. R. station and trolley; good neighborhood. Address I. O. N., care Press. 1 29 3 s-tu-w

FOR RENT—10-room house; all improvements; 5 minutes from station; East Fifth; $35.00.

10-room house; all improvements; 10 minutes from station; East Fifth; $35.00.

7-room house; new; part improvements; Willever street; bargain; $15.00.

10-room house; all improvements; Craig place; $35.00.

10-room house; all improvements; Sandford avenue; $45.00.

10-room house; all improvements; Westervelt avenue; $30.00.

5 rooms; part improvements; Arlington avenue; good location; $13.00. I. E. Giles, 35 Grove street. 1 29 2

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FOR RENT—Farm about 50 acres with large modern barn and cow stables, located 3 miles from Plainfield on line trolley. Address J., care Press. 1 24 6

TO LET—7-room house, Summit avenue, cor. Verdon. M. B. Crane. 1 29 2

APARTMENT to let; all improvements; the Lincoln. Apply 307 Park avenue.

APARTMENT to let in the Bristle. Apply L. L. Manning's Marble Works. 1 28 tf

FOUR and six-room houses to let; $10 and $15. Inquire 28 Stone street. 1 28 3

TO LET—Modern 7-room house, with all improvements; 1659 South Second street; rent $15. 1 28 3

FOR RENT—From April 1, house 8 rooms and barn; all improvements; excellent location. J. V. E. Vanderhoef, care Woodhull & Martin. 1 22 tf

LOFT—Suitable for photographer, tailor, storage or similar purposes; centrally located. Elston M. French, 171 North avenue. 1 27 tf

**Wanted Miscellaneous.**

WANTED—To rent April 1 house, centrally located. Address House, care Press. 1 27 3

WANTED—To give house with all improvements in exchange for board. Fuel and light furnished. Address Times, Daily Press. 1 28 3

WANTED—To buy small store, candy or cigar. Address Candy, care Press. 1 28 6

MANURE wanted. Lewis Stout, Watchung, N. J. 1 28 3

WANTED—To rent from May 1, 10 or 12 room house in Washington Park section; small family. House, care Daily Press. 1 27 3

**Employment Agencies.**

CENTRAL Employment Registry, 430 Watchung avenue, Plainfield; 'Phone 1347-L. We endeavor to supply only reliable help; housekeepers, nurses, seamstresses, cooks, chambermaids, laundresses, waitresses, etc.; emergency help by day or week. 1 4 1m

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**Poultry for Sale.**

FOR SALE—Barred Plymouth Rock Cockerels, Gowell strain; also S. C. Rhode Island Reds, Tompkins strain. Lewin, Plainfield avenue, near Hunt Club. 1 27 3

**Rooms and Board.**

TO LET—Two rooms at 408 West Third street. 1 27 3

# ASK REAPPOINTMENT OF LABOR COMMISSIONER

Trenton, Jan. 29.—A delegation of thirty representatives of various civic and charitable organizations throughout the State called upon Governor Fort yesterday to urge the reappointment of Lewis T. Bryant as commissioner of labor. Among those in the delegation were Rev Francis A. Foy, of Nutley, representing the State Charities Association; Dr. Sara Spottswood, president of the Women's Club of Orange; Miss Howard Crosby Warren, chairman of the child labor committee of the State Federation of Women's Clubs; Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, wife of the president of Princeton University; Miss Duffield, Miss Hamill, Miss Miller and Mrs. Perkins, of the Civic Association of Princeton; Robert G. Patterson, of Orange, secretary of the Bureau of Associated Charities; Mrs. G. W. B. Cushing, president of the Consumers' League of New Jersey; Mrs. Henry P. Bailey, of East Orange, representing the Orange Charities Conference, and A. W. McDougal, of the Bureau of Associated Charities, Newark.

Father Foy, who introduced the various speakers, said by way of introduction that the department of labor, under its present management, had worked in harmony with the civic and charitable organizations in enforcing the laws prohibiting child labor.

He expressed the belief that valuable work in this direction had been rendered by the department, and said that in the judgment of this delegation it would not be good judgment to make any change. Mr. McDougal corroborated the statement made by Father Foy.

Governor Fort said he was surprised at the interest taken by the organizations represented, and added that he had heard of no opposition to the reappointment of Mr. Bryant. Subsequently, however, he qualified this remark by saying that he had in mind a man from East Orange who was a good friend of the organizations represented, and whom he had contemplated placing at the head of the department.

The Governor intimated that he had in mind the making of certain changes, which, if carried out, would result in placing Mr. Bryant in some other position and the substitution of another commissioner of labor.

This proposition did not meet with the approval of the delegates, and in answer to the Governor's remark that there had been no opposition to Mr. Bryant's appointment, Mrs. Cushing said it had been quite generally reported that the manufacturers of the State were organizing with a view to attacking the present labor laws, the enforcement of which they regarded as being carried on with too much vigor.

Continuing, she said that six years ago the women's clubs were very much opposed to the department and regarded it as useless. They were not then inclined to look for good results even when the department was reorganized, but had since changed their views. She expressed the belief that the child labor laws now are sincerely enforced to the best of the ability of the department.

## BELIEVE POPE WILL JOIN COLUMBUS KNIGHTS.

New York, Jan. 29.—Members of the order here assert that Pope Pius X. may become a member of the Knights of Columbus. Precedent for such a step is given by pointing to his enrollment about a year ago in the Ancient Roman Academy of the Arcadi.

The clerical and lay members of the Knights of Columbus would be joyous should the Pope become a knight. It is believed he will announce his position at a special audience he will give to a pilgrim band composed of knights and their families next summer. The pilgrimage will be led by the incorporators of the society—William M. Geary, Daniel Colwell and Dr. M. C. O'Connor—and by Rev. P. J. McGinney, brother of its founder.

In St. Peter's special services will be held for the pilgrims from America.

Mgr. Kennedy, rector of the American College in Rome, will bid the pilgrims welcome there, and they will greet the American students in their summer retreat just outside the city.

At the audience with Pope Pius the knights will present to him a substantial purse and an illuminated address conveying the greetings of the society.

The travelers will have a whole section of seats at the Passion Play in Oberammergau. In Genoa the pilgrims will be entertained by the faculty of the Collegio Brignoli Sal.

## HALLEY'S COMET TO BE ON VIEW IN FEBRUARY.

Chicago, Jan. 29.—While Halley's comet may not come any nearer the earth than 14,000,000 miles on May 18, it will be visible to the naked eye the latter part of February, according to a statement made by Professor E. B. Frost, of Yerkes' observatory. "The approach of the comet will be followed by meteoric showers," said Professor Frost. "At present the comet appears like a fuzzy ball, but this will disappear near the twenty-first of February and it will be easy for any person to see it with naked eye."

In speaking of the Johannesburg comet, the professor said it is disappearing. He says it is identical with the "Comet A of 1910" and has not been visible for three days.

"The Johannesburg comet is losing its brightness," said Professor Frost. "because of its rapid travel away from the sun, but a splitting of its tail would not be surprising, as this often happens."

## HOW DR. WILEY TESTS RELATIVE AGE OF EGGS.

Washington, Jan. 29.—Before the Moore committee of the House, investigating the high cost of living, Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, the government's chief chemist, yesterday gave a practical demonstration of egg testing.

He had a beaker placed on the table in the committee-room, filled with a ten per cent. solution of ordinary table salt in water—the best egg tester he knew, he said. Dr. Wiley showed how the know-to-be fresh eggs sank instantly to the bottom of the beaker, which is what fresh eggs should do, since no air chambers have had time to form inside of them. The eggs that have been in storage for ten months stayed at the top of the salt water, sticking out a third or a quarter of their diameters.

When asked how he knew the eggs which sank were fresh, Dr. Wiley replied that one of his inspectors had watched the hens lay them yesterday.

### Mad Dog Chews Boy.

Bayonne, Jan. 29.—Dennis Mellin, 3 years old, is in a dangerous condition as a result of being horribly chewed by a supposedly mad dog in the store of his father, 1032 Broadway, this city, last night. The boy was alone in the store when the dog ran in. Before the father reached the boy the latter had been bitten in a score of places. The boy was hurried to the Pasteur Institute, in New York.

### Arcanians to Celebrate.

Rahway, Jan. 29.—Carteret Council 884, Royal Arcanum, is arranging to celebrate its twenty-fifth anniversary in Graves Hall Friday evening, February 4.

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## HOME LIFE OF THE CZAR.

The first impression of the Emperor of Russia is of the gentleness and simplicity of his character, says London Tit-Bits. He is very kind and very slight, and his eyes, face and voice express a disposition that is unusually winning. In his delicate appearance and the quiet dignity of his bearing, however, there is no suggestion of any lack of physical or moral strength.

Perhaps there could hardly be a question of physical bravery in any royal case, since personal fearlessness is a part of royal training, if not inherent in royal blood. But no one could see the Emperor of Russia without realizing the spiritual force in his gaze and detecting a note of moral courage in his voice. To all who come near him he appears fully aware of the weight of his destiny, and to be bearing the awful burden with cheerful serenity, always looking at his great danger, and without wavering.

In meeting with strangers the Czar is, wherever possible, kindly and solicitous and entirely free from affection in the consciousness of his position. In this the Czarina resembles him, and also in a preference for the English language. Indeed, English is spoken exclusively by the imperial family in its home circle.

Music is the Czar's favorite recreation, and he is himself a composer of no mean merit. He plays the violin well, and is very fond of an instrument called the balalaika. He often sings to this instrument, for he possesses a tenor voice of excellent quality.

The Czarina is also very musical, and a celebrated violinist once said of her that if she were in another sphere of life, and became a professional, she would win great fame.

The Empress is a careful, loving mother, and personally supervises the education of her four little girls who were brought up by English who were brought by by English nurses, with an abundance of exercise and open-air life.

The Czar is quite up-to-date in his liking for golf, though he does not devote much time to the "royal and ancient game." In the park of the Winter Palace there is a links, and Nicholas II. was himself guiding the there enjoying himself immensely. The "Autocrat of All the Russias" has always taken an interest in agricultural matters, and another hobby of his is farming. Some photographs were taken some time ago showing an engineer giving the Czar instructions in the use of a newly-invented plow. In one of these pictures Nicholas II was himself guiding the plow as it turned up the furrows.

The Czar is by no means what can be called deeply read, but he takes great delight in literature of the lighter kind, and he is credited with the remark, "Were I not—well, what I am—I should be the greatest bookworm in the world." One of his hobbies is the study of occultism, while among others may be mentioned yachting, philately, and collecting birds' eggs. Many of the latter were collected by himself in his younger days, and at one time he was a most daring and expert climber of trees. Nichols II. is also fond of cards, and frequently plays a game in the evenings. His majesty is a great smoker, and continually seeks repose from his troubles in the soothing weed.

## AMERICAN CATS IN FAR EAST.

In the land of the nabobs you may escape serious punishment if you shy a hair brush or bootjack at a couple of cats courting on the backyard fence. But you had better not kill a tabby, says The Pathfinder. The people of India have themselves no particular love for the caterwaul of Tom and Tabby, but they have the most exalted admiration and respect for the teeth and claws of these felines, this being due to the fact that they have done noble work fighting the bubonic plague by sticking their claws and incisors into the rat that carries the flea that harbors the germ that does the bad work with man. These are American cats that are thus doing.

About a year ago the Salvation Army concluded that the cat of India was not equal to the occasion, that it was run down, and hence couldn't do much toward running down the rats that carry fleas, etc., so 50,000 cats were sent over on board steamship. Besides getting at once on the job and locating the rats, these cats multiplied so fast that it is now estimated that there are more than a million of the purring creatures in the land of the Ganges and Indus, which are of American ancestry.

Japan has taken the hint from India, and a few days ago, when the steamer Lichtenfels left New York, there was something doing in the hold, judging from the squalls that rose above the scream of the whistles in the bay. There were down there 400 cats on their way to the Flowery Kingdom to vent their instincts on the rodents that infest it. There will be more to follow and in a short while 500,000 cats will have been shipped to the Mikado's people. America is becoming a veritable Dick Whittington to the countries of the Far East.

Guest of Previous Evening's Bachelor's party—I say, old man, whatever's happened to the pictures this morning?

Festive Host—Can't make it out, old chappie. I put them all straight after you fellows had gone last night.

# THE FOURTH ESTATE

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"I thought so. I only wanted to make sure," he said. "He's a dangerous type. Comes from good enough people, but ambitious to get into the limelight by stirring up the mob. Thought he might have learned sense by now, but it seems he hasn't. Guess he never will; these fanatics never do."

"We consider him the best investigator in town," warmly, in praise of Brand.

"He's entirely too zealous. Do you catch me?" asked Dupuy, leaning over McHenry and gazing significantly into his eyes.

The managing editor caught Dupuy's meaning and stared at him blankly in his surprise.

"You don't mean"—

Dupuy smiled coldly.

"Yes—I mean—get rid of him!"

CHAPTER III.

THE managing editor again began to weigh just what significance the demand of Dupuy had. He directed his glance at him fixedly, and a long pause ensued after the lawyer lobbyist's abrupt demand that Wheeler Brand be discharged from the Advance.

Dupuy returned McHenry's stare, and his discerning eye and brain enabled him to read the workings of McHenry's mind. He felt instinctively as he glared at McHenry that he had the managing editor "on the run." During the period of the insurance company's ownership there had been no doubt that the decision of the managing editor of the Advance would have been in favor of Dupuy and his demand for the discharge of Wheeler Brand. And the lawyer, like McHenry, knew nothing of the new owner that would change the attitude of the paper.

Dupuy was right in his estimate of McHenry's weakness. The lawyer lobbyist was playing in rare fortune, indeed, to discover in his opponent a man who dared not stand for the right. He well knew that he would not find the same sort of man in a position of importance in many other newspapers of the land. Well, too, did he know "the power of the press" throughout all America, for he had learned at bitter cost that it was the foe of all the Ed Dupuys and all those that employed them to serve their ends.

Finally McHenry spoke in answer to Dupuy's demand.

"Let us give Brand one more chance!" protested McHenry. "I'll put him on baseball or water front. Come, now."

"I will be candid with you. I was instructed to make an example of somebody for this morning's story. Perhaps, though, a good hauling over might do for this time. Call him in now. It's his last chance."

A boy entered.

"Ask Mr. Brand to step in."

"I'd rather take a licking than do this," protested McHenry.

Dupuy was unsympathetic.

"Well, he's only got himself to thank!" he snorted.

Wheeler Brand came in.

"Mr. Brand," began the managing editor, "there is a kick being made on the Bartelmy story of this morning."

"Yes, sir; I suppose so." Brand looked up and saw Dupuy, and the reporter's face showed that he understood.

"I forward the kick to you, indorsing it O. K.," said McHenry. "In other words, the kick goes."

"Why, what"—

"This is a practical world," interposed Dupuy.

Brand grew bitter, for well he knew the practices of Dupuy.

"Oh, yes; I know the patter—a world of live and let live. We must be very careful before imputing motives, eh, Mr. Dupuy? Does not the good book say, 'Let him that is without sin among you cast the first stone—at United States judges.'"

"Wheeler, Wheeler," cried McHenry, "we only ask you in to talk it over calmly!"

"That man has hit me in the dark before," exclaimed Brand. "This is the first time that he has come into the light."

"I desire to say that my clients," put in Dupuy, "like a great many other of the—ah—subscribers—to this paper, were disappointed at what they conceived to be an unwarrantable attack full of insinuations about one of the most distinguished members of the United States bench, and they wish merely as readers of the paper to express the hope that nothing of the sort will occur again, in which case they are willing to overlook this morning's article entirely—to, in fact, regard it merely as a mistake, a mistake made without malice."

"You mean I am to have another chance to hold my job if I'll be good from now on?" asked Brand.

Dupuy once more became complacent.

"Such, I believe, is Mr. McHenry's decision," he announced calmly.

"You certainly have your gall, Dupuy," cried Brand in menacing tones, "to think you can muzzle me for $40 a week. I've paid more than that for the privilege of fighting you."

The lawyer turned quickly to the managing editor.

"You better let him go, McHenry," he suggested. "He's a crank."

Wheeler Brand was amazed at the way in which McHenry allowed Dupuy to influence him.

"Does he give you orders?" he asked meaningly of the managing editor.

"Yes, my boy; he does, and I accept your resignation."

The reporter was by no means daunted by his discharge.

"I'm sorry for you," he cried, inclining toward McHenry.

Dupuy laughed significantly.

"Reserve your sympathy for yourself, young man," he advised the young newspaper writer.

"Reserve your sympathy for Bartelmy; he'll need it before long," was his cutting retort.

"Oh! Is that so?" sneered Dupuy "Go west and grow up with the country, for if you hang around here to hurt Bartelmy don't forget that criminal libel is punishable with arrest."

"Sorry, old man," spoke McHenry kindly. "If I didn't have a family I'd go west with you."

"If it wasn't for men having families," put in Dupuy philosophically, "there'd be a revolution."

Brand straightened up and, with a contemptuous expression on his face, started toward the door.

"You've got more heart than sense, McHenry," was the parting shot which he hurled at the managing editor.

"Pretty tough on a reporter to fire him for 'scooping' the town on a big story," said the managing editor.

"Oh, pshaw!" grunted Dupuy.

A boy entered with a card. Dupuy crossed to a chair and picked up his overcoat.

"Mr. Nolan, sir," the lad announced, with an amusing grimace. "He's the new boss, and he's got a couple o' mitts on 'im like Jim Jeffries. Gee, out I'll bet Nolan is there with th' wallop, all right!"

"YES; IT WAS THE STREET CAR STRIKE, AND YOU AND JUDGE BARTELMY SENT JERRY DOLAN TO JAIL."

Dupuy put his overcoat back on the chair. His luck was still holding good, he congratulated himself. Here was a chance to make the acquaintance of the new owner of the influential Advance, an opportunity to pave the way possibly to secure future favors from him for his clients when emergencies arose. Needless to say, emergencies frequently arose to disturb the peace of mind of the varieties of people who sought the versatile aid of Mr. Ed Dupuy. He turned to face McHenry and said:

"Oh, the new owner! I'd like to meet him. If you don't object I'll wait." Dupuy seated himself at the extreme left hand corner of the office close to the rack containing files of the daily papers. He took down a file and began to read. McHenry, laughing at the patent anxiousness of the lawyer to meet Nolan, put on his coat.

A heavy step was heard, and the bulky form of the new owner of the Advance stood before the managing editor.

"I am Mr. McHenry," explained the latter.

"I am Mike Nolan," the newcomer remarked bluntly.

At the sound of the big man's big voice Dupuy, whom Nolan had not noticed in the corner, stirred and turned his head to gain a better view of him. There was something familiar in the ring of that voice. There was something familiar in the features and the poise of Mr. Mike Nolan. Surely he had met him somewhere. He pondered and pondered and finally gave up the problem in disgust.

"This is a nice looking place you've got here," he remarked to McHenry.

"That you've got, sir."

A feminine voice from the outer hallway was heard to exclaim breathlessly, "I refuse to climb another step."

McHenry turned inquiringly, whereupon Nolan explained: "My family's just outside. I wanted them to see me take possession." His voice was tinged with pride. He stepped to the door. "Come in, mother," he called gayly. Mrs. Nolan, a tall, well proportioned brunette, attired in the costliest of imported garments, entered the managing editor's office with a pronounced flourish, followed by the two Nolan children, Sylvester and Phyllis—the son about twenty-two years old and the daughter probably a year or two younger. "Oh, mercy, them stairs!" exclaimed the mother, endeavoring to catch her breath. Nolan presented his wife and son to McHenry. Mrs. Nolan called to Phyllis to draw near. "This is my daughter, Phyllis," she said. "She went to Bryn Mawr." Phyllis and the managing editor exchanged greetings. "My son, Sylvester," went on the mother proudly, "went to Harvard."

"Oh, you're a Harvard man!" spoke McHenry to Sylvester. "What class?"

The son, togged in the latest fresh-man effects in the line of sporty clothes and drawing on an unlighted cigarette, replied, "1909, 1910, 1911."

Mrs. Nolan pointed at a pile of papers lying on a small desk. "I don't see how you ever get time to read 'em all," she addressed McHenry.

"Oh, I read fifty or sixty a day. We've got to know what the other fellows are doing."

"That's just like me," she responded smoothly. "I always like to know what everybody else is doing, too," she went on. "I think what journalism needs is a soft feminine, refining influence. It seems you don't publish anything now but crime, divorces and people's troubles." She laughed.

"Oh, you wouldn't want to read every day that Mr. and Mrs. James Jones were living happily together. You're only interested when they're unhappy."

"Still I'd like to read once in awhile that somebody else was happy, at least for a little while."

It was McHenry's turn to laugh.

"Would you like to look over the plant, Mrs. Nolan?" he asked.

"Oh, yes! What I want to see is the reporters reporting."

When Mrs. Nolan, Phyllis and Sylvester had departed in the wake of the boy who had answered McHenry's ring, Dupuy rose and made a signal to McHenry behind Nolan's back that he wanted to meet the owner. The managing editor beckoned him over. "Mr. Nolan," he said, inclining toward the proprietor of the Advance, "this is Mr. Dupuy."

"I'd like to read that somebody else was happy."

Dupuy bowed, again trying to fix in his mind the occasion on which, somehow, somewhere in his busy past he had met Michael Nolan. He extended his hand, saying, "I am glad to meet you, Mr. Nolan."

The newspaper publisher pierced Dupuy with a glance which, to say the least, was searching. He crouched toward him and compressed his brows as though to render his sight more certain, more penetrating. He had half extended his own hand to grasp Dupuy's. Suddenly, with a half smothered oath, he drew it violently back.

"My God," he exclaimed, "it is Ed Dupuy!"

He continued to stare at the lawyer. After a moment a faint smile appeared.

"Ed Dupuy, that's funny," he continued—"that's awful funny. Well, don't it beat all? Don't you remember me, Ed?"

Dupuy couldn't place him as yet.

"Why—ah, Mr. Nolan! Yes, it must have been. Let's see. Wasn't it Monte Carlo two winters ago?" he ventured.

"No, Ed, no; it wasn't Monte Carlo two winters ago. It was here in this town twelve summers ago. Remember now?"

"Twelve summers ago—twelve summers ago?" Dupuy reflected.

"The street car strike," reminded Nolan.

"Oh, yes, the street car strike!" added Dupuy. Now he began to remember. He began to remember the part he, as the Consolidated Traction company's counsel, played in that war between capital and labor, and somewhere in it all he realized that a face something like the one before him had come to his knowledge; also the name "Nolan" had a familiar ring. "Nolan, Nolan!" he repeated to himself. No, it was "Dolan," he reassured himself; that had been the name of the man he had crushed and driven from the kin of men. Yes, that was it. "Dolan," and that man was a broken down and outer when Dupuy last heard of him.

*Jerry Dolan, the agitator.*

Nolan saw that Dupuy was nonplused, and he laughed as he said:

"Yes, it was the street car strike, and you and Judge Bartelmy between you sent Jerry Dolan to jail for contempt, and that broke the strike after it'd been won."

"He was a dangerous agitator, was Dolan," pronounced Dupuy, directing an interested glance at the new owner.

Nolan drew a deep breath and, clinching his fists at his sides, replied to his arch foe of twelve years before:

"He'll be a more dangerous agitator from now on. *I'm Jerry Dolan!*"

CHAPTER IV.

THE declaration of the new owner of the Advance that he was no less a personage than the blacklist victim of years back created the sensation that would a cannon shot in the dreamy solitude of the sylvan dells of Arcady.

Dupuy fell back as though struck by a violent blow. And, indeed, he and his interests would have every reason to believe, he now knew full well, that they had in all truth a new enemy to combat, an enemy that would cost them dearly if he were to be vanquished.

"You—you are Jerry Dolan, and you own the Advance!" the lawyer cried chokingly. "What are we coming to next?" he finally managed to say after a desperate effort to calm himself.

Jerry Nolan, for none other than the old time strike leader it was, enriched by his mining operations in the rock ribbed Nevada hills, thrilled with the realization that he was now in a position to strike terror into the hearts and souls of those who had attempted to destroy him and his loved ones. He knew that he had in his power the men who had almost succeeded in their designs against him twelve years before.

McHenry, at first even more puzzled than Dupuy and who was bending forward, with an expression of deepest interest and concern implanted on his features, began to understand the situation more clearly when he heard his new employer say in a voice that pulsated with determination:

"Yes, Ed Dupuy, I am Jerry Dolan, and I am back in the old town to pay my respects to my friends and—and"—his voice shook—"to my enemies."

The whole truth now dawned upon the amazed McHenry and also upon Dupuy, who had been dealing with men long enough to know that his only successful pose at the present momentous time would be a conciliatory one. He must at all hazards smooth over this dangerous factor in the city's affairs, the returned Jerry Dolan, and persuade him that he was now his friend.

"Well, well," Dupuy began ingratiatingly, simulating a sickly smile, "this is a most interesting meeting—most interesting, indeed." He laughed as loudly as the nervously contracting muscles of his throat would permit. "But it is time now to let bygones be bygones, eh, Mr.—er—ah"— He again thrust forward the hand that the newspaper proprietor had refused to grasp.

"Nolan," answered the newcomer in his deep, strong voice. "N-o-l-a-n, with an 'N' and not a 'D' on the front end of it. That's my name now. I had to change it." He stopped abruptly and again directed his dark eyes menacingly on the face of the man opposite him. After a few moments he continued: "You see, Ed Dupuy, I was blacklisted as Dolan. Likely you'll remember that too."

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## CENTURY MARK HIS GOAL

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to go elsewhere, so he again started out afoot. On the way he passed through Elizabeth, Metuchen and South Plainfield, finally reaching New Market. He walked all the way with the exception of the distance between South Plainfield and New Market, about one mile.

At that point he met a farmer driving a team of oxen, and the latter took his to New Market. When the tavern was reached (the hotel now conducted by John Harkins), both alighted and refreshed themselves with a hearty meal and a pint of grog each. The landlord at the hostelry then was Landin Blue, an Englishman.

New Market in those days, said Mr. Lowrie, was about as big as it is now. Mr. Lowrie decided to settle there and he secured a job in John Giles' wheelwright shop, which stood on the site of Jenner's brick house. The shop is now in the rear of the Jenner house, and the ancient landmark now used by Philip Jenner for the same purpose.

After working a time at Giles' wheelwright establishment, Mr. Lowrie took a job at Vail's saw mill, which occupied the site of the present grist mill. At that time the mill was the most importane business center in that village. In addition to woodsawing, a large clover cleaning industry was connected with the plant. There the farmers for miles around brought their clover to be cleaned in one hundred bushel lots and larger; then another adjunct to the mill was a hub factory; oakum was also turned out in large quantities which was marketed in New York for ship calking purposes.

The low wages in those days did not hinder men from saving money. Mr. Lowrie worked steadily at New Market for eight years at fifty cents a day and his board. He loaned his money to his employer at interest during that time, and at the end of the eight years, he discovered that he had about $500, or sufficient to get married.

So in 1840 he led Sarah Coriell, daughter of Ira Coriell, to the altar. Five children blessed that union—Mrs. George F. Giles, Mrs. Emma E. Giddes, of Dunellen; Mrs. C. T. Hunt, of Stockton; Abner Lowrie, of Dover, and Mrs. David Giles, of Plainfield, who is dead. Mr. Lowrie' first wife died and forty-eight years ago he married Susan Louise Harris, of Harris Lane, who died two and a half years ago. There was one son by this union, Elston Lowrie, who is living.

Soon after his first marriage Mr. Lowrie engaged in farming, which he followed chiefly during his remaining active years. He owned a farm on the site of the old "Eight Row," on West Front street, and his farmhouse was called by travelers as the "Half Way House," because of its central location between Dunellen and Plainfield. He was also owner at one time of the William Rice farm near Dunellen. It was for the murder of old man Rice that Lawyer Patrick is serving a life sentence in Sing Sing prison.

While in the employ of Vail's Mills at New Market, and in later years when he farmed for himself, Mr. Lowrie peddled flour, visiting Plainfield, Elizabeth, Newark, Rahway and New Brunswick. At that period Newark was boasting proudly over a population of 20,000.

The distinction of voting for nineteen presidential candidates is probably not enjoyed by another Jerseyman. Mr. Lowrie cast his first vote at New Market in 1836 for General William H. Harrison, the Whig candidate, who was defeated by Martin Van Buren, the Democratic nominee. Four years later he took party in the first Whig victory in forty years by voting for Harrison and Tyler in the memorable "Tippecanoe and Harrison too" campaign. The other presidential candidates for whom Mr. Lowrie voted for follow: 1844, Henry Clay; 1848, General Zachary Taylor; 1852, General Winfield Scott; 1856, John C. Fremont; 1860 and 1864, Abraham Lincoln; 1868 and 1872, General U. S. Grant; 1876, Rutherford B. Hayes; 1880, James A. Garfield; 1884, 1888 and 1892, Benjamin Harrison; 1896 and 1900, William McKinley; 1904, Theodore Roosevelt; 1906, President William H. Taft.

The most enthusiastic political meeting ever attended by him, Mr. Lowrie said, was in the first Lincoln campaign during the summer of 1860, at New Brunswick. At this gathering, he said, General Stockton addressed 10,000 people.

## PLAINFIELD KENNEL CLUB PLANNING BENCH SHOW

The Plainfield Kennel Club is actively engaged in making preparations for its annual bench show to be held here in June. The club now numbers about 150 members and it is hoped that one hundred more may be added by the time the show is held. Since the first bench show held last summer there has been an increasing interest among dog fanciers in this vicinity. The new officers for the coming years are as follows:

President, Abraham G. Hooley; vice-president, John C. Haywood; secretary, Charles E. Faber; treasurer, Edward F. Feickert; honorary vice-presidents, William J. Buttfield, Edwin S. Hooley and Robert A. Fairbairn; board of governors, Abraham G. Hooley, John C. Haywood, Charles E. Faber, Edward F. Feickert and A. Clinton Wilmerding.

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## MEAT BOYCOTT CONTINUES; DECREASED SALES HERE

Local butchers report a big falling off in the sales of meat during the past two weeks. According to one prominent merchant his sales in that time has decreased between 33 and 50 per cent., the biggest slump being noticeable during the present week.

All of the markets report a shrinkage in sales. Interviews with about half a dozen of downtown dealers indicate that sales have decreased one-third on an average. This is evident that hundreds of Plainfielders are determined to go without meat diet until the prices take a drop.

While the sale of meat has been on the decline, the sales of fish have correspondingly increased. Grocers also report larger sales in canned goods than ever before which all goes to show that the populace would fare well in case of a meat famine.

In Essex county the boycott is on in earnest. Last night the members of the Essex Trades Council at their meeting in Newark voted to abstain from eating meat as much as possible until such time as the prices again reach reasonable figures.

The same conditions apply to Elizabeth in which city the butchers report a big falling off in sales.

### Candy Pull and Election.

A highly successful and enjoyable candy pull was held by the members of the Wilhelmina F. Runyon Association at the home of Miss A. M. Clark last night. The sociable was for the purpose of rallying the members for the start of the 1910 work. The following officers were elected. President, Miss Sarah Boyd; vice-president, Miss Ethel Gaskill; secretary, Miss A. M. Clark; treasurer, Miss Eloise Stutsman.

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## JERSEY DEMOCRATS TO HONOR JEFFERSON

Ray E. Mayham, of Rahway, president of the Federation of Democratic Clubs of New Jersey, has sent an appeal to all the clubs affiliated with his organization to arrange for the celebration of Thomas Jefferson's birthday, which falls on Wednesday, April 13. The federation promises to provide speakers for such clubs as arrange to celebrate Jefferson's birthday.

Another sign of activity among the New Jersey Democrats comes in the announcement of Job H. Lippincott, chairman of the Democratic State Auxiliary Committee, that a conference of Democrats will be called for an early date in February to devise ways and means for a thorough organization of the State, with a view to party success in the approaching Gubernatorial campaign. The first conference of this kind was held in Trenton December 11 last. One of the principal purposes of this meeting will be to adopt a declaration of principles intended to represent Democratic ideas with relation to the State government.

Mr. Lippincott has sent a copy of the tentative Democratic platform, which was presented to the Trenton conference, to all those who attended that meeting. He requests that any amendments to the text of the proposed declaration be forwarded to the auxiliary committee headquarters, 772 Broad street, Newark, so that they may be assembled and presented to the forthcoming conference in systematic form.

In the Trenton conference the paragraph in the proposed platform which favored the direct election of United States Senators by popular vote stirred up a vigorous discussion, with considerable sentiment expressed against the idea.

### ROME AS A HEALTH RESORT.

Two important factors are almost always lost sight of in looking at Rome from a hygenic and climatic point of view, writes the Roman correspondent of The Medical Record. These are the sea and the mountains. Rome is really a seaport, although the Tiber is not freely navigable to all vessels. The distance to the mouth of the river is a short fifteen miles, while an air line from the city to the sea reduces the distance greatly.

About the same distance on the other sides are the Sabine Hills, Mt. Socrate, the Alban Hills and farther north the spurs of the Apennines, the city itself being about 200 feet above sea level. There is not a better watered city in the world and few as well watered, with its excellent drinking water and copious fountains in every piazza or open space. Nor is there a city that affords purer air, as might be expected from the topographical situation.

The winter climate is cold enough to make indoor fires comfortable, and we always have a stretch of about six weeks of unbroken cloudless weather in December and January—just crisp enough to be invigorating. The temperature of the summer months averages about 85 degrees. For bronchial affections in all their forms and neurasthenia a winter in Rome is usually very beneficial, and you can be assured of being cooler all through the summer than in either New York or Boston.

The municipality evidently favors open air, whether for prophylaxis or treatment, and, realizing how many cases of incipient phthisis or those predisposed to it may be thus cured or benefitted, has established hospices in the hills for the climatic treatment and recreation of children during the summer months. These hospices are entirely gratuitous, the only requisites for admission being that the child must be between seven and twelve years of age and must have an attestation of poverty and a physician's certificate of vaccination.

Roman fever, so called, no longer exists. It was really a malarial fever with every now and then a malignant case. Since the Campagna has been drained and cultivated and old portions of the city where fevers of this nature were of more frequent occurrence have been demolished and new buildings with modern improvements put up, no one ever hears of Roman fever.

### Lenten Bible Talks.

Miss Charlotte Adams, a Bible teacher in the National Training School, of the Y. W. C. A., will give a course of Lenten Bible talks Monday afternoons in March at 4 o'clock at the local Y. W. C. A. Miss Adams spoke at the Bible study rally held here two weeks ago and her engagement here is the result of that visit.

### New Domestic Science Teacher.

The domestic science class at the Y. W. C. A. is now in charge of Miss Helen Clark, of Brooklyn, a graduate of Pratt Institute, who takes Miss Mary Farrell's place. The latter gave up her position on account of illness.

### Dr. Randolph Will Preach.

Rev. Dr. D. B. F. Randolph, of Sandford avenue, district superintendent of the Elizabeth district, Newark Conference, will preach at Grace M. E. church tomorrow night.

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### BASKETBALL.

Owing to the cancellation by the Fort Slocum basketball team the Y. M. C. A. five will play its annual game with the "second" team at the Y. M. C. A. tonight.

Only two of the three scheduled games in the Sunday School Athletic Basketball League were played last night. The Hope Chapel-Congregational contest was postponed because neither of the teams had a sufficient quota of men to play. The other two contests resulted as follows: First Baptist, 40; Grace P. E., 18; Scotch Plains, 34; Trinity, 32.

E. R. Honeyman, of the New Madison, is recovering from a severe attack of indigestion which has detained him at home.


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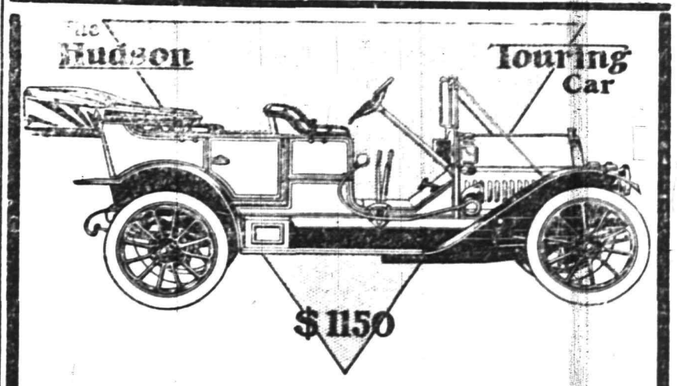


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